Ease of Access Center

The Ease of Access Center is built into every PC computer. Below is a synopsis of what is available for your students:

**ON-SCREEN KEYBOARD**

Windows has tool called the On-Screen Keyboard that can be used instead of a physical keyboard. You don’t need a touchscreen to use the On-Screen Keyboard. It displays a visual keyboard and you are able to use your mouse or another pointing device to select keys.

**NARRATOR**

Narrator reads text on your PC screen aloud and describes events, such as notifications or calendar appointments.

Narrator is available in Arabic (Egypt, Saudi Arabia), Catalan (Spain), Cantonese (Chinese Traditional), Czech, Danish (Denmark), Dutch (Netherlands, Belgium), English (United States, United Kingdom, India, Ireland), Finnish (Finland), French (France, Canada, Switzerland), German (Germany, Austria, Switzerland), Greek, Hindi, Hungarian, Indonesian, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Mandarin (Chinese Simplified and Chinese Traditional), Norwegian (Norway), Polish, Portuguese (Brazil, Portugal), Romanian, Russian, Slovak, Spanish (Spain and Mexico), Swedish (Sweden), Thai, Turkish (Turkey).
MAGNIFIER

Gives you options on magnifying your computer screen. The magnifier is beneficial for students who need test, quizzes, handouts, power points, websites, etc. enlarged.

HIGH CONTRAST

High contrast increases the contrast in colors to reduce the eye strain and make things easier to read.

MOUSE SETTINGS

You can adjust the pointer size and color.
**STICKY KEYS**

**Sticky Keys** is a feature that makes it possible to use keyboard shortcuts or type capital letters without needing to press more than one key at once. With sticky keys, students can first press the Shift key and then press the letter they wish to capitalize without needing to hold the Shift key down.

![Sticky Keys settings](image)

**TOGGLE KEYS**

ToggleKeys is a feature of Microsoft Windows. It is an accessibility function which is designed for people who have vision impairment or cognitive disabilities. When ToggleKeys is turned on, computer will provide sound cues when the locking keys (Caps Lock, Num Lock, or Scroll Lock) are pressed.

![Toggle Keys settings](image)