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Getting Started with Clicker Docs App v. 1.4.7

Introduction

The Clicker Docs app is a supportive word processor that allows for writing with word prediction, spell-check and text-to-speech in various voices. Clicker Docs also features the ability to create or download Word Banks to support students in writing in a wide variety of topic areas. Check out LearningGrids, the repository of resources available from Cricksoft from the File Explorer area of the app. Don't forget to look at SET-BC's resourceSET for Word Bank supports in Clicker Doc format also: http://www.setbc.org/resourceset/

Learning Objectives

Completion of this tutorial will give you experience with the following:

- • Using the Clicker Docs apps to write with word prediction, spell-check and read-back
- • Using a supportive Word Bank in Clicker Docs
- • Adding a new document to Clicker Docs
- • Adding a new Word Bank to Clicker Docs

This tutorial assumes

- • that you have basic iPad skills
- • that you have the most recent version of the Clicker Docs App loaded on your iPad

Case Study

Mrs. Reynolds works with a wide variety of students in her Grade 5/6 class. Their writing abilities vary as do their reading skills. She is looking for a portable and supportive word processor that will allow students easy access to producing quality work and using the new vocabulary words that she introduces with each new unit.

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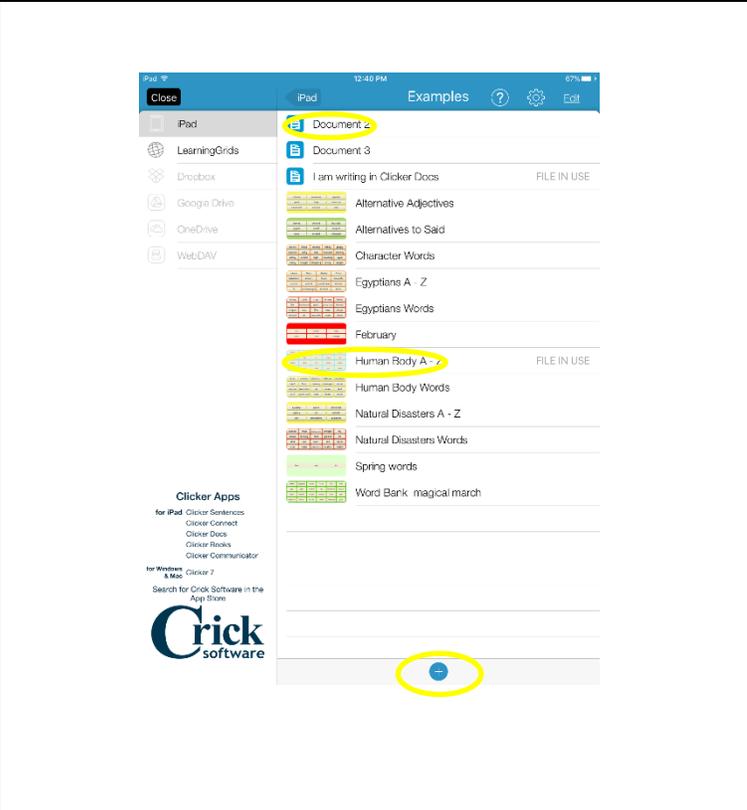|		
1	Open the Clicker Docs app to one of the four screen shown here: From the **Writing Screen**, you can simply begin writing. To navigate from **Word Bank Edit Mode to Writing Screen**, select Go in top right. From **File Explorer to Writing Screen**, select the name of the document that you are working on. From **File Explorer in Edit Mode to Writing Screen**, select Done and then select the document that you are working on.	 **Writing Screen** **File Explorer** **Word Bank Edit Mode** **File Explorer in Edit Mode**	

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2	At the writing screen, be sure to look at the Settings you have for this document. Determine font size, style, background and font colour. Determine choice of voice to read back to you. Determine spell-check and predictor levels and settings. Provide access to sharing possibilities if desired. Change access options as needed.	Settings I am writing in Clicker Docs. Settings Document Speech Spell Checker & Predictor Sharing Accessibility
3	From writing screen, select File icon in top left to get to File Explorer.	I am writing in Clicker Docs. athletic broad chubby flabby gangly hunched lanky lean muscular scrawny skinny slender slight slouching squat stocky straight strapping strong upright Physique Face Expression Eyes Hair Voice Clothes
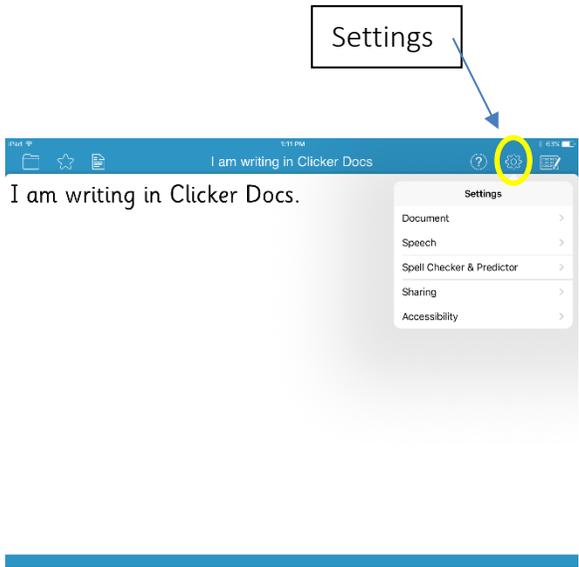
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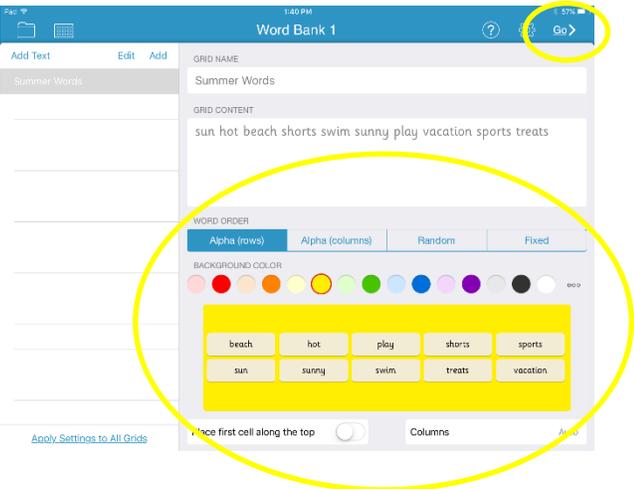|		
4	At the Explorer Screen, you can add a Document, a Word Bank or a New Folder by selecting the Add button at the bottom **OR** Simply select the document and word banks that you wish to use together by touching their titles on the list.	
5	If you choose to add a Word Bank, you will be prompted to name it and then it will open to the editing format so that you can add all the words you will need.	

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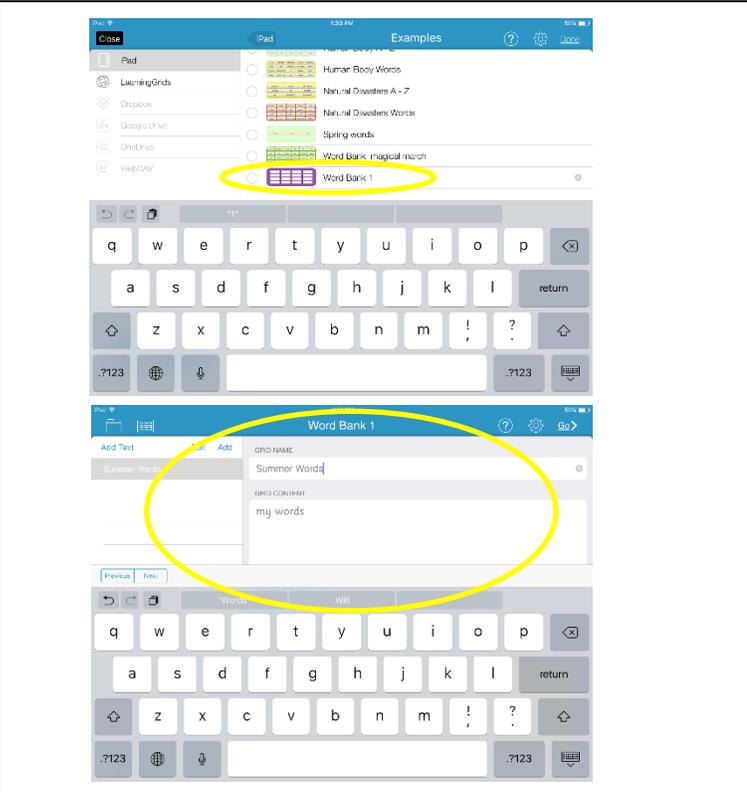
6	Grid colors and style can be altered in the Word Bank Edit Mode also. Select GO in top right to run your word bank with your document.	
7	Your students can now write using the supportive Word Bank that you have created. Use the green keyboard icon to switch between keyboard and word bank.	