



# KALAMAZOO RESA **ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY TEAM**

Fall 2017

## Free Assistive Technology Workshop

Join us for the **FREE** full-day Assistive Technology Seminar for professionals working with students with special needs - Southwest

Michigan Assistive Technology Workshop: Ignite Your Learning! hosted by the Kalamazoo RESA Assistive Technology Team.



Friday, February 2, 2018  
Kalamazoo RESA Service Center

Registration information will be distributed via email and posted online soon.

- Google Extensions
- Speech-to-Text
- Classroom Tools & Technology
- SETT Framework
- Snap Media Lending Library



## Submitting an AT Proposal

If a district wishes to request Assistive Technology (AT) devices or programs through the Kalamazoo RESA Assistive Technology team, a [proposal form](#) must be completed.

The cost of the requested AT materials must be above \$500. Materials less than \$500 are the responsibility of the local districts. An AT proposal flow chart and sample AT proposal form are available to view on the [Kalamazoo RESA website](#).

Proposals will be accepted at the AT meetings held in the months from September through April. All proposals to be approved for the current school year must be

submitted on or before the April AT meeting, held on the third Friday in April.

If you have questions about an AT proposal, please ask an AT team member. A list of members can be found [here](#).

## Kalamazoo RESA Assistive Technology Team Mission

Our mission is to work as a team supporting and collaborating with educators and students to promote independence in all areas of education through assistive technology. For more information, check out [this Power Point](#).

## About the Kalamazoo RESA Assistive Technology Team

The Kalamazoo RESA Assistive Technology Team is made up of representatives from Kalamazoo RESA and local school districts. The team meets monthly to discuss current AT proposals, plan trainings and professional development, and develop county-wide AT policies and procedures. We welcome new members who are excited to learn more about assistive technology and share that information with their district teams. To join our team, fill out [this form](#).



## Contacts

Members of the AT Newsletter Committee are:

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Please contact any committee member with suggestions, ideas, or questions.

Thanks for reading!!

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