

## Make learning more accessible with Paper's Voice Typing and Text Reader



Many students prefer auditory learning methods while they're absorbing new information or working through problems with a tutor. Two new features from Paper<sup>TM</sup>—Voice Typing and Text Reader—further educational equity for students who prefer this style of learning during their Live Help sessions.

Both Voice Typing and Text Reader allow students to interact with tutors verbally. Learners can dictate messages to tutors to be transferred into a written format (Voice Typing) and listen to any message sent with an easy playback button (Text Reader).

## **How Voice Typing works**

- Step 1: Students click the sound wave icon in the chat bar and speak out loud to share their questions or responses with tutors.
- Step 2: The tool transcribes their speech into a text format, and students have the option to edit messages.
- Step 3: The student sends the resulting message via chat.

## **How Text Reader works**

- Step 1: Students hover over any message from their Live Help session.
- Step 2: A bubble appears with icons, including a play option.
- Step 3: Students click the play button to hear the message dictated aloud.

## Which students can benefit from Paper's Voice Typing and Text Reader?

- Young learners: Elementary school students who are still developing proficiency in reading and writing.
- English-language learners: These students might find it easier to express themselves verbally or listen to (rather than reading) tutors' responses.
- Students with physical limitations: Some students may have physical limitations that make it difficult for them to use a keyboard.
- Students who prefer auditory learning: These features better support students who prefer to learn by listening.
- Students on mobile: Voice Typing is a great option for students who use the mobile app and are on the go.

Could learners in your school benefit from these accessibility features during Live Help sessions? Reach out to your customer success manager or visit <a href="mailto:paper.co">paper.co</a> for more insights!