

# Products – DT Trainer – Overview

## Overview: Discrete Trial Trainer

You will find the DT Trainer to be a robust independent virtual tutor for your child or students. You will be happy to see that the product is designed to be an amazing value. This is a large effective product for a very reasonable price. We charge enough to keep evolving and expanding the product without charging so much that it is not affordable.

The DT Trainer was created based on methods developed to educate our most difficult to educate individuals: children with autism. However, the DT Trainer's configurability also makes it beneficial for children with other learning disabilities, and even with typically developing but young children. Behavioral methods have been proven to be effective for teaching individuals including those with autism.

The software motivates individuals to perform tasks which they may not want to learn or may find difficult to learn. There are hundreds of colorful, interesting, and fun reinforcers to pick from which engage even difficult to motivate individuals. You can even add your own reinforcers! The DT Trainer breaks down learning into the appropriate steps for low functioning to high functioning students.

The DT Trainer is especially designed for learners that have one or more of the following characteristics:

- developmentally between the ages 2-9 years (limitation of current content)
- easily distracted or overloaded
- not well self directed or motivated
- have difficulty following directions
- require moderate to substantial repetition
- need maintenance of previously learned materials

## Designed for Independent Use

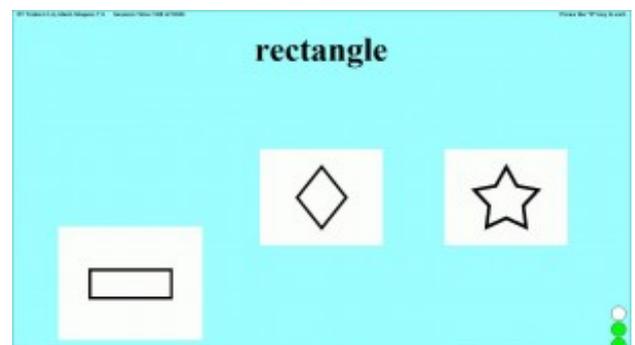
Even individuals that require one-on-one teaching can usually become independent learners on the DT Trainer.

- eliminates or reduces the cost or time of a one-on-one teacher, therapist, or parent while the child is using the software
- allows parents and teachers to work on topics the DT Trainer can not teach, help generalize, or maintain
- frees parents and teachers to attend to other responsibilities while the child is engaged in a productive educational activity

Note: Low functioning or young users may need a touch screen or switch input device.

## Individualized Instruction

The DT Trainer is highly adjustable to accommodate the needs of the individual learner and the preferences of the





productively spent time

- improves self esteem – child realizes that he can learn on his own
- increases ability to stay on task

#### **Complements Variety of Classrooms & Settings**

The DT Trainer complements a variety of school & home educational programs:

- Autism classes (ABA – DT & VB, TEACCH, and eclectic)
- Self contained Intellectual Disabilities classes
- Home based ABA – DT & VB and eclectic programs
- At Risk 4 year old preschool

Regular education kindergarten and preschool classes

The DT Trainer comes with training videos and there are also prerecorded and live web based training sessions available.

