

SETT Information

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- The SETT Framework is a four part model intended to promote collaborative decision-making in all phases of assistive technology service design and delivery from consideration through implementation and evaluation of effectiveness. (Definition from Joy's website)
- SETT stands for Student, Environment, Tasks, and Tools
- Not supposed to be an intended order but just a reminder that all 4 areas need to be considered when making effective assistive technology decisions
- www.joyzabala.com
- The SETT is a tool to help:
 - Guide decisions
 - Gather and organize information (it is not an evaluation)
 - Designed with the idea that team members need to have a collective knowledge of the student, customary environments, and tasks that are expected before decisions can be made about appropriate tools
- SETT is a framework, not a protocol
- Critical elements of using the SETT
 - Shared Knowledge
 - Collaboration
 - Communication
 - Multiple Perspectives
 - Pertinent Information
 - Flexibility and Patience
 - Idea that need to gather all of the information first
 - Look at children first, before solutions
 - Same ideal as a Feature Match
 - Ongoing Process