

# VoiceThread Accessibility

VoiceThread takes a very broad view of accessibility, focusing on ensuring that all people can use VoiceThread to communicate and collaborate. Here are just a few of the features VoiceThread has developed to expand accessibility to all users.



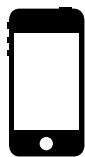
## **VOICETHREAD UNIVERSAL**

An HTML platform designed to work well with full screen readers. Whether a user is visually impaired or simply prefers to listen to information rather than reading it, VT Universal enables everyone to participate. ([Find out more](#)).



## **CLOSED CAPTIONING**

Add closed captions to any video slide. VoiceThread supports most major caption files.



## **VOICETHREAD MOBILE**

A Mobile App for iPad, iPhone, and iPod touch - a great solution for VT on the go or for users who don't have access to a computer. ([Find out more](#)).



## **WEBCAM**

A webcam can be used to record comments and even be the central media. This creates not only a warm, dynamic conversation, but also one that need not revolve around an image. ([Find out more](#)).

Webcam recording also allows for an entirely visual conversation, opening online communication to ASL speakers in a way like never before. ([See an example](#)).



## AUDIO CENTRAL MEDIA

The ability to use audio as the central media allows for a conversation that is entirely audial. This type of conversation can be used by visually impaired users or for speaking practice. ([Find out more](#)).



## TEXT COMMENTING

Text comments are useful for deaf and hard of hearing users and those who are either uncomfortable or unable to use their voices to comment. ([Find out more](#)).



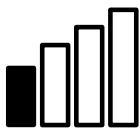
## PHONE COMMENTING

People who want to leave a voice comment but do not have access to a microphone can comment using a telephone. Any phone that a user can answer may be used to comment. ([Find out more](#)).



## AUDIO FILE COMMENTING

Record a comment using a voice recording program, and then upload that audio file as a comment. Use this feature to edit the audio before uploading, or record the audio without access to the internet and upload it later. ([Find out more](#)).



## LOW BANDWIDTH REQUIREMENTS

VoiceThread is designed to use few bandwidth resources so that it can be utilized on virtually any internet connection. People all over the world, in the most remote of locations, use VoiceThread to communicate.

[Click here](#) to learn more about VoiceThread accessibility and download our whitepaper.

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