ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS IN THE NISH LIBRARY

Moving forward to its motto 'Information without Barriers' the NISH Library is equipping itself with an array of Assistive Technology (AT) devices, services and solutions enabling Persons with Disabilities (PwDs). Please find a range of AT Solutions for PwDs, especially Persons with vision impairment/s.

This is made possible through the Scheme for Implementation of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (SIPDA) programme of the union Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment. The New Initiative (NI) & Centre of Assistive Technology and Innovations (CATI) departments of NISH provided principal and technical supports.



JAWS talking Computer

JAWS (Job Access with Speech) converts the computer into a talking computer. It reads out all the matter that is on the computer's screen through the computer's speakers/ headphones, thus enabling a visually challenged person to use the computer independently and work on all Microsoft Windows applications.





PEARL Open Book Reader

OpenBook is a Scanning and Reading Solution that converts printed documents or graphic-based text into an electronic text format on your PC, using high-quality speech and the latest optical character recognition (OCR) technology. OpenBook is innovative software designed to enhance success for people who are blind or have low vision who need access to printed and electronic materials.

Orbit Braille Reader

The Orbit Reader 20 is portable and features 20 refreshable eight-dot braille cells. It offers reading books via SD card, simple note-taking, Bluetooth and USB connectivity. As a stand-alone device, you can read content stored on an SD card that simply inserts into the back of the unit.





Niki Video Magnifier

Niki Pocket-Size Video Magnifier is one of the world's smallest pocket size low cost video magnifiers for helping persons with Low Vision to read/ view independently - no matter where they are!

Great Features in a Small Package: Magnification Range: 3x to 15x.

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