



## The best apps for other curricular areas

App Name	Details	Teacher review
 <a href="#">CountriesLE</a>	<p><b>Subject:</b> SESE  <b>Class Level:</b> 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> up  <b>Price:</b> FREE</p>	Reference app for world countries. Has maps, facts and trivia for each country.
 <a href="#">Dictionary.com</a>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Various  <b>Class Level:</b> 1<sup>st</sup> upwards  <b>Price:</b> FREE  <b>Recommended app</b></p>	Dictionary and thesaurus for ipad
 <a href="#">Scan</a>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Reference tool  <b>Class Level:</b> 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> up  <b>Price:</b> FREE  <b>Recommended app</b></p>	QR reader and barcode scanner for ipad. Can be used to access websites through QR codes frequently used now by companies.
 <a href="#">GearedHD</a>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Thinking skills/Logic  <b>Class Level:</b> All levels  <b>Price:</b> €2.69</p>	This app is ideal to encourage and promote thinking skills. You are presented with a set number of gears which you must connect together in the correct combination in order to get all gears moving and complete the level.
 <a href="#">iMovie</a>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Several  <b>Class Level:</b> 1<sup>st</sup> up  <b>Price:</b> €4.49  <b>Recommended app</b></p>	Movie making app. Ideal for use in many subjects but especially English and also Irish.
 <a href="#">2<sup>nd</sup> Non-fiction</a>	<p><b>Subject:</b> English/SESE  <b>Class Level:</b> 2<sup>nd</sup> up  <b>Price:</b> €2.69</p>	This app is a non-fiction comprehension app but the topics covered would be ideal for many SESE lessons. It has 20 stories related to the daily life of a child. There is also the option to create and add your own stories to the app. Click on the icon to see the page in iTunes which details the topics covered.



 <p><a href="#">Reading Comprehension First, second grade non-fiction</a></p>	<p><b>Subject:</b> English/SESE  <b>Class Level:</b> 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> up  <b>Price:</b> €2.69</p>	<p>This non-fiction reading comprehension app has twenty stories about the children's daily life. You can also create and add your own stories to the app. Each story has about 80 words. Each story introduces new vocabulary and concepts, and is followed by a set of exercises that measure the student's comprehension. The exercises include multiple choice questions, true/false questions and matching exercises that ask the student to match words or concepts with their definition, compound words, suffix or prefix words. The app allows unlimited individual users, and provides detailed reports on each student's progress. The app can be configured to email the progress reports to a parent or teacher. This app helps develop reading, vocabulary and comprehension skills.</p>
 <p><a href="#">Analogy</a></p>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Thinking skills/logic  <b>Class Level:</b> 1<sup>st</sup> up  <b>Price:</b> €1.79  <b>Recommended app</b></p>	<p>The analogy app challenges children in analytical thinking, problem solving, perception, spatial skills, memory, and creativity.</p>
 <p><a href="#">Save the Pencil</a></p>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Thinking/Logic Skills  <b>Class Level:</b> All  <b>Price:</b> €1.79*                  Lite version available  <b>Recommended app</b></p>	<p>Choose the correct path to have the pencil join all the dots but there are some obstacles to avoid. Children must apply logic and speed to complete the levels. There is an option to replay the level if unsuccessful. Enjoyable and addictive game!</p>
 <p><a href="#">Flow Free</a></p>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Thinking/Logic  <b>Class Level:</b> All  <b>Price:</b> FREE  <b>Recommended app</b></p>	<p>Connect matching colored dots with pipe to create a flow. Pair all colors, and cover the entire board to solve each puzzle.</p>
	<p><b>Subject:</b> Thinking/logic  <b>Class Level:</b> All  <b>Price:</b> €0.89</p>	<p>Drag the moving coloured dots to the matching goals to score points. Clear all moving dots from the field to advance to the next level. Avoid colliding with dots</p>



<p><a href="#">DodgeDot</a></p>		<p>of different colours. Avoid contacting unmatched goals of different colours. Join dots of the same colour to earn bonus points.</p>
 <p><a href="#">Letter Find</a></p>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Phonics /Reading/Special Needs  <b>Class Level:</b> Infants up  <b>Price:</b> €1.79</p>	<p>Letter Find is an app designed to help children practice quickly identifying letters when they are amongst other letters. Children tap on letters and need to find all ten to move on. This is an activity used by Reading Recovery teachers to help quick recall of letter identification.</p>
 <p><a href="#">Dexteria</a></p>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Special Needs/OT/Fine Motor Skills  <b>Class Level:</b> All  <b>Price:</b> €1.79  <b>Recommended app</b></p>	<p>Dexteria is a set of therapeutic hand exercises (not games) that improve fine motor skills and handwriting readiness in children and adults. Dexteria’s unique hand and finger activities take full advantage of the multi-touch interface to help build strength, control, and dexterity. It is ideal for use with all children.</p>
 <p><a href="#">Cúla Caint</a></p>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Gaeilge  <b>Class Level:</b> All  <b>Price:</b> FREE  <b>Recommended App</b></p>	<p>This App from TG4 brings you over 100 fun Irish language words and images for pre-school kids or learners. The words include Weather, Animals, Vehicles, and Parts of the Body. It includes the written and the spoken version of each word. It also includes a drawing page, to scribble your own words!</p>
 <p><a href="#">Cúla Caint 2</a></p>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Gaeilge  <b>Class Level:</b> Infants -2<sup>nd</sup>  <b>Price:</b> FREE  <b>Recommended app</b></p>	<p>This second App in the TG4 Cúla caint series, brings you over 100 fun Irish language words and images for pre-school kids or learners. Learn the Alphabet, Numbers, Colours, Food and Clothes in both the written and the spoken version of each word.</p>
 <p><a href="#">Olly an veain bheag bhán</a></p>	<p><b>Subject:</b> Gaeilge  <b>Class Level:</b> Junior Infants  <b>Price:</b> FREE</p>	<p>This app is based on a popular animation series on TG4 for younger children. It has two sections: In “Rás na mBeartán” children have to drag Olly around the screen to collect parcels in his van. In “Cuir Caoi Air”, Olly’s vehicle friends are missing pieces and children have to drag the missing pieces into the correct places to put the vehicle back together again. This is a nice game but is best suited to Junior Infants.</p>