Magid

Tutorial
User Guide --- Open the application
The application starts with a default board. First thing, we need to switch to Edit Mode.

- Shake the device
- You’ll be asked to enter the first 4 digits (enter 1234 and “OK”)
- This will bring the Edit Mode view
Edit Mode

- Name of the board
- Mode selector (changes the action when tapping a symbol)
- Go to settings
- Import from Files app
- Go to View mode
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- Adjust number of rows in the board
- Navigation buttons: “Home”, “Previous”
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Adjust settings

Default is “Right-to-left”, turn it off if you’re not Hebrew/Arabic speaker

Pick language
Go to viewer mode (this is the mode for your kid)
View mode

• When you click a symbol, it is pronounced and appeared on the yellow bar
• Clicking the yellow bar speaks the entire line
• The left buttons are for navigation (“home” board, “previous” board)
• The right button deletes one word

How to go back to Edit Mode?

• Shake the device and follow the instructions (enter 1234 and “OK”)
Create new board
Create new symbol

Select “edit”

Click on an empty symbol

Edit the symbol text, click “Save” when you’re done
Add image to symbol

Click on a symbol while in “edit” mode

Turn on the “show image switch”, and then click on “replace image”

In the first time, you should allow Magid to access the photo library (Click “ok”)

The selected image will appear in the symbol
How to bring photos to your photo library?

- You can use the built in camera to take pictures.
- You can browse the internet to find a picture (e.g., Google images). Then, a long click on the image will bring a menu with a “save image” option.
Link from symbol to board

Let's make room in the “home” board to new symbols.

Select “edit” and then click on an empty cell.

Edit symbol name.

Turn on the “Goto board” switch.

Choose the board you want to link to.
Copy/Paste/Cut symbols

Select “copy” and then click on a symbol to copy it.

Select “paste” and then click on a symbol to paste the copied symbol before the selected symbol.

When “cut” is selected, clicking on a symbol copied it to memory and delete it.
Enable Magid as a Keyboard

Go to “Settings”

Choose “General”, “Keyboard”, “Keyboards”, to arrive to this screen

Tap “Add New Keyboard”, and then choose “Magid”
Using Magid as a Keyboard

Open any application (e.g. Safari) and click on a text box.

The keyboard appears. A long click on the “switch keyboard” button shows a menu. Choose the Magid keyboard.
Backup and share your boards

Press “backup”

Press “Save to Files”

Better to create new directory

Choose location to save (Prefarably, “on My iPhone”).
Exit Magid and go to Files app.

Locate the backup files.

Find the directory you’ve saved to and click on it.
The backup files

Boards.json contains all the textual information of your boards in a standard json format.

The rest of the files are the images you’ve created for the boards.
Importing files

**Warning**: importing a new json file will erase your existing one. Be sure to backup before importing !!!

Click on the “Import” button
Importing files

Find the files you want to import. You can use the “select” menu.

You can “Select all”.

Once you’ve selected, press “Open”.