Getting Connected.

Use Technology to Enhance Your Life.
Hello.
Welcome to Connection Pointe at Braille Institute, a state-of-the-art technology center developed to help you stay connected and lead a more independent life. Learn new ways to stay close to loved ones; travel safely; manage your day-to-day; enjoy your favorite books, music, and more. Here, we’ll teach you how technology can make your life easier, and show you how it can transform your life for the better.

Best of all, it’s free!
Getting Started
All currently registered Braille Institute students are eligible for Connection Pointe classes and services. Contact your regional center to learn about available classes and training.

New to Braille Institute?
Call your nearest regional center or 1-800-Braille (272-4553), Monday–Friday, 8.30am to 5pm, to make an appointment. We’ll take it from there!

Find more information at BrailleInstitute.org/connection-pointe
Our Services

We offer instruction for a wide range of mainstream and adaptive technology devices. We also provide access to many of these devices for you to work with, or to get hands-on training. They’re here—and we’re here—to help you make technology a useful part of your life.

Many of our instructors are blind or visually impaired themselves—they’ll show you what you need to know in a way that you can understand.
Choose From:
One-on-One Instruction
Receive hands-on assistance with a dedicated instructor

Group Classes
Learn alongside others and share experiences

Workshops and Seminars
Get up to date on the latest hardware and software

Tech Lab
Brush up on your skills, ask questions, or get help with a specific topic

Learn How to Use:
Mainstream Devices
- Android phones and tablets
- iPhones and iPads
- Computers with JAWS for blind users, Zoomtext for low vision users, or other adaptive software
- Voice-activated technologies like Google Home, Amazon Echo, and Apple HomePod

Adaptive Technology Devices
- Closed-circuit televisions (CCTVs)
- Victor Reader Streams
- BARD stations (for digital downloads of books)
Benefits
As a student at Connection Pointe, you’ll learn all about the latest smartphones, computers, and voice-activated tech, and a whole lot more. We offer a flexible and friendly environment that’s designed around you. Set your own goals, and we’ll help you reach them. Learn at your own pace, and we’ll be there to guide you.

Whatever you’re interested in, we’ll put you on the path to digital literacy and help you stay connected and remain independent.
Connection Pointe allows me to learn new technology in a fun environment with helpful instructors. I can now send emails and texts to stay connected to friends and family, and master programs that make life easier.”

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