







iPad Case Options – November 2018

Following requests from a few different families, I decided to put together a list of case options for iPads used as communication devices. I have certainly not used all of these cases but have compiled the list (in no particular order) based on recommendations from a variety of speech pathologists on different online forums. I hope you find it a helpful place to start!

Cases:


Name	Photo	Cost	Features & Link
Go Now		\$220 including shoulder strap and stand, \$140 - 154 without	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires no batteries or charging • Built-in handle • Improved audio • Magnetic lock/unlock switch • Easy access to charging dock http://www.spectronics.com.au/product/gonow-rugged-case-for-ipad
Lifeproof		\$185 - \$240	Waterproof, drop-proof, and dirt-proof https://www.lifeproof.com.au/apple/ipad-cases

<p>Otterbox Defender</p>		<p>\$100 - \$130</p>	<p>Case covers your entire iPad with three layers of rugged protection. And, it includes a shield stand for added screen protection and hands-free use everywhere.</p> <p>https://www.otterbox.com.au/search?q=ipad&lang=en_AU</p>
<p>Speech Case</p>		<p>\$695</p>	<p>The Tobii Dynavox Speech Case and Speech Case Pro are iPad cases designed specifically for Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC).</p> <p>Equipped with extra loud speakers, an ergonomic and durable design, warranty options, and more - the Speech Case and Speech Case Pro provide a reliable communication solution for iOS users by transforming your iPad/iPad Pro* into a true AAC device.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • integrated handle, strap, and mounting plate holes • powerful, integrated, outward facing speakers that provide AAC quality speech output from your iPad. <p>https://linkassistive.com/product/communication/speech-case-for-ipad/</p>

<p>iAdapter</p>		<p>\$555 or \$705 with carry bag, colourful skin, and bluetooth keyboard</p>	<p>Purpose built for turning iPads into communication devices.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved, very slim case design • Thicker plastic design to resist breaking from accidental drops • Improved internal rubber shock absorbers on all sides to enhance protection • Captive screws that won't fall out when removing the iPad from the case • Shoulder strap can be clipped to any of the four corners • Excellent sound quality, connecting to your iPad using Bluetooth™ technology - larger rear facing speakers and front-facing "sound slots" that allow better forward projection. • Continue hearing your iPad's built-in speakers even if the amplifier is disabled through the newly designed, front facing "sound slot" side vents • Detachable handle that folds out of the way • Detachable stand that will hold the iAdapter upright in landscape mode • Wheelchair mounting plate screw holes fitted (Mounting Plates are purchased separately) <p>Included Accessories</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shoulder strap • Detachable fold-down handle • Detachable table-top stand • Anti-smudge screen protector • USB charger & USB cable <p>http://www.communicateat.com.au/webstore/iadapters/iadapter-cases.html</p>
<p>ArmorBox Kiddo</p>		<p>\$22</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Versatile and fun to use, free-standing and kid-friendly case for iPad • Constructed from impact-resistant polycarbonate and double-enforced with a shock absorbing silicone inner-sleeve. Corners feature double-thick silicone for outstanding protection against drops and other impacts. • Super Light Weight and durable Hazard Free Safe Material Perfect for Boys and Girls Alike • Raised screen bezel Edges for Extra Protection When Fall • Cut out and openings for Buttons Controls and Cameras • Fun Driven Convertible Stand Case Can Change in To A Handle for Easy Handling and Carrying Around (School/Home) <p>https://www.amazon.com/i-Blason-ArmorBox-Protection-Convertible-Generation/dp/B008J80FP0</p>

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<p>Griffin Survivor</p>		<p>\$90 - \$100</p>	<p>Tested to meet or exceed US Department of Defense Standard 810F, Griffin's Survivor Military-Duty Case is designed from the inside out to protect your iPad from extreme conditions ... dirt, sand, rain, shock, vibration and a host of other environmental factors.</p> <p>Survivor is built on a shatter-resistant polycarbonate frame clad in rugged, shock absorbing silicone. A built-in screen protector seals your Multi-Touch display from the outside environment, while hinged plugs seal the dock connector, camera lens, headphone port, hold switch and volume controls. The included stand clips on, then folds open for landscape viewing and typing.</p> <p>https://griffintechology.com.au/collections/ipad</p>
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I also use a Ghost Amor (Matte) screen protector on my iPad which was \$40 and I'm very happy with (<https://www.ghost-armor.com/tablets/apple.html>). I'm sure there would be many other options out there though and would love to hear your suggestions.