# **Calling Jarvis**

## Learning Companion for Neural Divergent Kids & Parents

#### **Problem Statement**

Children with neurodevelopmental disorders (NDD)— including autism spectrum disorder (ASD), attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), and dyslexia — require personalized, evidence-based learning strategies to thrive. However, families and caregivers face significant systemic challenges

**Isolated Support Systems:** Parents often lack immediate access to expert guidance or peer communities, forcing them to rely on fragmented online forums or overextended specialists.

**Inadequate Digital Solutions**: Most educational tools are either overly clinical, failing to engage young learners, or too generic, lacking the specialized features needed to address NDD-specific challenges (e.g., emotion regulation, sustained attention, or adaptive learning).

**Disconnected Progress Tracking:** Without integrated tools, parents struggle to monitor developmental milestones, reinforce skills outside therapy, or collaborate effectively with educators.

## **Target Audience**

## 1. Primary Users:

- <u>Children with NDD</u>: Young learners who benefit from interactive, adaptive, and engaging educational tools designed for their unique cognitive and sensory profiles.
- <u>Parents</u>: Families of children with NDD seeking accessible, research-backed strategies to support learning and emotional growth.

#### 2. Future Vision:

- <u>Tutors & Therapists</u>: Professionals who require supplemental tools to enhance one-on-one sessions and track longitudinal progress.
- <u>Educational Institutions & NGOs</u>: Organizations focused on inclusive education that need scalable, cost-effective solutions for diverse learners.

#### **Relevance of the Problem**

- <u>Rising Prevalence</u>: According to the CDC, 1 in 6 children in the U.S. is diagnosed with a developmental disability, yet 60% of parents report insufficient support systems (ADDitude Magazine). In India autism spectrum disorder affects an estimated 1 in 68 children (Indian Journal of Pediatrics, 2023).
- <u>Market Gap</u>: Current digital solutions fall into two ineffective extremes—rigid, medicalized applications (e.g., static emotion flashcards) or superficially gamified apps that lack NDD-specific adaptations (e.g., Duolingo ABC). Neither addresses the holistic needs of NDD learners.
- <u>Long-Term Consequences</u>: Research from the National Institutes of Health (NIH) underscores that early, targeted intervention can dramatically improve academic, social, and vocational outcomes. However, barriers like high costs, internet dependency, and geographic inequities limit access to critical resources.

#### Use of Gen-AI

We are committed to strategically integrating Generative AI into NeuroNest's evolution to create smarter, more personalized, and deeply empathetic support tools for neurodivergent children and their families. This isn't just about technology—it's about building a future where AI bridges gaps in accessibility, understanding, and individualized care for the NDD community.

### 1. Emotion Detection (DeepFace + OpenCV)

- After detecting emotions (e.g., frustration), Gen AI generates *real-time coping strategies* (e.g., "Try a 5-minute calm-down game") tailored to the child's history.
- Progress Reports: AI summarizes emotional trends for therapists (e.g., "Weekly meltdown triggers: transitions, loud noises").

#### 2. AI chat-bot

- Detects learning patterns, suggests optimized strategies and creative teaching methods
- Can adapt recommendations based on proven successes

#### 3. Tutor Match

- AI rewrites tutor bios to highlight NDD expertise & considers child's needs and parent reviews
- Limitation: Requires verified tutor data (start with manual entries).

## 4. Community Chat for Parents

- Smart Moderation: Auto-flags harmful advice using sentiment analysis.
- Knowledge Synthesis: Generates weekly "Top 3 Parent Tips" from discussions.
- Why Impressive?: Transforms chaotic chats into structured support.

#### 5. Visual Daily Planner

- Task Image Generator: Converts "Brush teeth" into custom cartoon prompts.
- Reward Personalization: Suggests prizes based on the child's interests.

## 6. Parent Progress Tracking

- Strengths/Weaknesses Report: NLP analyzes gameplay data + planner logs.
- Bridge the Gap: "Try counting vegetables during shopping—Rahul responds well to visual math."

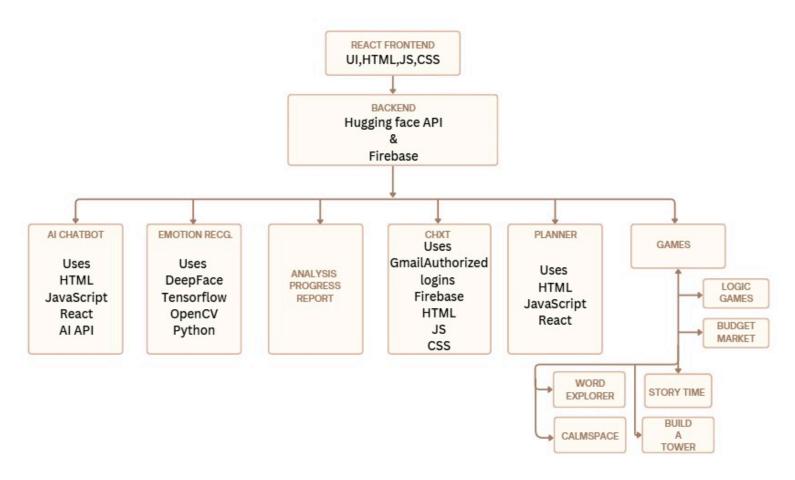
#### 7. chXt - Community Chat

- Auto-tags posts by topic (meltdowns/school issues) using NLP
- Flags urgent posts & suggests crisis resources
- Generates weekly "Top Tips" from discussions

## **Solution Framework**

Core Idea

To create a multi-functional, AI-powered parenting ecosystem tailored for families with neurodivergent children. It combines intelligent advice, visual routines, emotional understanding, gamified learning, and community support—all in one seamless experience.



## **Feasibility & Execution**

#### **Implementation Plan**

- 1. Core Infrastructure:
  - Frontend: React Native (cross-platform) + D3.js (visualizations)
  - Backend: Node.js + Firebase (auth/realtime updates)
  - AI Services:
    - OpenAI API (chatbot/story generation)
    - TensorFlow Lite (on-device emotion detection)
    - Google Maps API (tutor matching)
- 2. Critical Data:
  - Therapist-curated libraries (social stories, flashcards)
  - Parent/tutor profiles (opt-in)

- Anonymized usage analytics (for personalization)
- 3. Rollout Phases:
  - MVP (3 months): Planner + 1 game (e.g., Budget Market)
  - Phase 2: AI features + community tools
  - Pilot: 50 NDD families (feedback-driven iterations)

## **Scalability & Impact**

### **Technical Scaling:**

- Horizontal Growth:
  - Expandable architecture supports new features like voice analysis effortlessly.
  - Cloud-native infrastructure (Firebase/AWS) supports 100K+ users
- Global Adaptation:
  - Localize content (stories/activities) via generative AI + regional experts
  - Low-bandwidth mode for emerging markets

#### **Impact at Scale:**

- For Families:
  - Democratizes access to NDD support (24/7 AI + global parent network)
  - o Reduces therapy/tutor costs via tech-augmented care
- For Ecosystem:
  - Crowdsourced data improves AI personalization (with privacy safeguards)
  - Creates jobs for tutors/therapists in-platform

#### Monetization → Sustainability:

- Freemium model (base tools free, premium analytics for professionals)
- School/district licenses for classroom use

#### **Challenges** → **Mitigations**:

- Quality Control: Therapist review boards for AI-generated content
- Bias: Diverse training datasets + user feedback loops

#### **Conclusion**

#### **Summary**

NeuroNest is a compassionate support platform for neurodivergent children and their families. It combines an AI emotion coach, visual task planner with rewards, parent-tutor network, and adaptive learning games - all designed to grow with each child's unique needs while giving caregivers professional-grade tools in a simple, privacy-focused package.

## **Uniqueness**

We merge clinical precision with child-friendly design, offering real-time adaptive support that grows with each user. Unlike single-solution apps, we integrate emotional, educational and community tools in one privacy-focused platform - because neurodiversity deserves holistic care.

#### potential as a viable business.

NeuroNest will sustainably monetize through premium features for families, institutional licenses for schools, and curated tutor partnerships - all while expanding access to quality neurodiversity support.