

Evaluating Apps

Title

Coding

Evaluators

Kaylee Nelson and Alexis Primm

Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
Have you played enough to know every aspect? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Did you try things that were wrong and/or unexpected 		X	It only let us solve one map and then made us purchase the whole app.
Did the software crash?	X		
Was the content appropriate? Did it meet the user's needs?	X		It did make the user think to solve the map.
Were the screens appealing? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Color, items on screen, sounds 	X		It did look kid friendly.
Is it easy to navigate?		X	They should have more instructions to get started.
Is it easy to learn?		X	It was a little hard to get going.
Does the user need Supervision to use	X		They would need some instruction on what is going on.
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)	X		
Were there bells and whistles?		X	

Evaluating Apps

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If so, do they enhance instead of detract? • If not, should there be? 			
Did you like using the App?		X	
What was the cost? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Was there a "lite" version <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ If so, was it enough 	X		There was a very small "lite" version.
Were there in-app purchases? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If so, what were the additional costs? 	X		2.99 a month to purchase.
How does it compare to other apps that do the same?		X	This one was much harder to use than other coding apps.
Additional Comments		X	

Developmentally Appropriate

Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
Child Development and Learning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subject Matter appropriate? • Educational Focus? • Provides for Learning New Content? 		X	

Evaluating Apps

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follows Appropriate Teaching Sequence? 			
<p>Individual</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does it match individual's abilities? • Does it meet individual's needs? 		X	
<p>Social/Cultural</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bias? • Commercialism Comments 		X	