

Evaluating Apps

Title Timeline Eons

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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	yes		We did as much as we could do on the app. We explored the timeline and tried to add items to it.
Did the software crash?		no	
Was the content appropriate? Did it meet the user's needs?	yes		It is appropriate for exploring history or creating a visually appealing timeline.
Were the screens appealing? <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Color, items on screen, sounds	yes		
Is it easy to navigate?		no	The timeline jumps around a lot, sensitive to manipulation/touch. It was difficult to find the various subjects available for different timelines.
Is it easy to learn?		no	It is a pretty basic format, but there is no tutorial or guidance. The instructions given

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Does the user need Supervision to use	yes		The timeline is made up of information linked to the internet, so it is possible to access information that may not be appropriate for all ages or content areas.
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)			N/A
Were there bells and whistles? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If so, do they enhance instead of detract? • If not, should there be? 		no	Not really anything spectacular outside of pictures pulled from the internet.
Did you like using the App?		no	
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 			Free
Were there in-app purchases? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If so, what were the additional costs? 		no	
How does it compare to other apps that do the same?			It seems to be pretty basic and not as user friendly as we would like.
Additional Comments			This app has potential, but it

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			would require a lot of trial and error to fully understand and utilize it to its potential.
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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? • Follows Appropriate Teaching Sequence? 			
Individual <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does it match individual's abilities? • Does it meet individual's needs? 			
Social/Cultural <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bias? • Commercialism Comments 			