

Title: Disney Jigsaw Puzzles

Version: 4.0

Publisher: Disney Publishing Worldwide Applications

Target Audience: Disney Jigsaw Puzzles is for ages 4+, it is a little below our grade level, but I feel like it could still work for some kindergarten students that are still struggling. It also allows you to enter the child's age before it opens up the app so that you can get age appropriate content.

Curriculum: Benefits of Playing with puzzles includes improved cognitive skills, problem solving skills, fine motor development, hand and eye coordination and social skills. Very effective in a kindergarten classroom.

Possible Environment: Disney Jigsaw Puzzles, has family puzzles games. I believe this app would be good for using at home or at school, but with the price of the puzzles I would just suggest playing at home with the family in case you needed to buy something.

Cost: The initial download is free, and the app offers several free puzzles, but there are cost for other sets of puzzles and it includes several different prices some are \$4.99. You can change the setting for students so that they cannot buy anything.

Does the Software pass: I would probably find a better app that didn't cost so much.

Disney Jigsaw Puzzles is an app for students who love Disney and can choose from hundreds of Disney Jigsaw puzzles, from Frozen to Inside Out, Disney Princess to Live Action Jungle Book, Disney Nature to Disney Classic Movies. The app allows you to level-up the challenges as you resize and solve puzzles from 6 to 200+ pieces. You can beat the clock and your personal bests as you puzzle against the timer, and customize your experience by changing background colors, showing edge pieces and more. You also get free daily puzzles and there are new puzzle packs being added all the time!

I believe this app is something fun for children, but it can also be very pricey. I believe they could make this app less pricey and more affordable for parents so that they do not have to spend five dollars on a puzzle. The navigation is easy for this app and the home screen has a lot of purchases available. The graphics are great, and the sounds follow the puzzles. Music plays while students try and figure out the puzzles. I also really liked that you could change the settings so that students could not buy anything if they tried to.