

Evaluating Apps

Title: 1st Grade Math Learning Games

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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	•		
Did the software crash?		•	
Was the content appropriate? Did it meet the user's needs?	•		You can pick your child's grade from K-5th, and there are different math subjects within the grade.
Were the screens appealing? <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Color, items on screen, sounds	•		It's very entertaining for the kids, and it would hold their attention well.
Is it easy to navigate?	•		
Is it easy to learn?	•		
Does the user need Supervision to use		•	
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)	•		It wasn't inappropriate or too much.

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<p>Were there bells and whistles?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If so, do they enhance instead of detract? • If not, should there be? 	•	<p>As you play the game and earn "stars" as you complete levels, you get to choose fish to put in your aquarium.</p>
<p>Did you like using the App?</p>	•	
<p>What was the cost?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Was there a "lite" version <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ If so, was it enough 	•	<p>You got to play one section for free, then you have to subscribe, and you will get 1 week for free. The cost is billed yearly or quarterly. costing \$29.99 every quarterly if billed quarterly, or \$59.99 annually if billed annually.</p>
<p>Were there in-app purchases?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If so, what were the additional costs? 	•	
<p>How does it compare to other apps that do the same?</p>	•	<p>Splash Math is really a good math app, children work well with it, but it does come with a cost. There is bound to be an app out there somewhere</p>

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			that is just as good, for free or less of a cost, but I have not found it yet.
Additional Comments		•	

Developmentally Appropriate

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Child Development and Learning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subject Matter appropriate? • Educational Focus? • Provides for Learning New Content? • Follows Appropriate Teaching Sequence? 	•		You choose your child's grade level and it adapts to their ability. It is very focused on the subject matter and very education. The learning content pushes the children to reach new milestones, and there are many different activity questions.
Individual <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does it match individual's abilities? • Does it meet individual's needs? 	•		It adapts for your child and what they can do.
Social/Cultural <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bias? • Commercialism Comments 		•	There were no commercialism comments or bias, but you do have to subscribe to it to really use it to the

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			fullest of its ability.
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