

Title: Duolingo - Language Lessons

Version: 6.106.1

Publisher/ Producer / Creator: Duolingo

Target Audience: 4+

Type of software: Tutorial

Curriculum(s) (Possible environment(s) and why): This would probably be mainly used in an English class but it would fit into any subject area. Teachers could use this to help students speak a language of a non-english student. This app could fit into a lesson plan or students could use it for an amount of time every day to learn!

Cost: Free, \$12.99/month and \$79.99/year for Duolingo+

Description Paragraph: In the beginning you get to pick what language you want to learn and then it starts out with simple words and phrases. You have to pass each level to unlock different areas like restaurants, places, stories etc. It uses sounds and avatars for each level, some you have to remember and some you have to pick out the sounds you hear. It's very easy to navigate and it gives you hints and tips when you get something wrong. You have so many lives to use and after they run out you must use your coins to buy more. Each time you get an answer wrong it takes away a heart. You can also tap on a word to see its meaning. Main color scheme for the app is green.

Impression and Usage Paragraph: This app is really fun to use and navigate. The content starts out simple and gets more complex with the levels that you pass. The use of sounds and being able to click on words to see their meanings help with visual and hands on learners. This would be a great app for students to use to communicate with another student who might not speak English. While the content may seem new and hard, the app provides hints and tips when needed to make the process fun and simple. There are no in-app purchases or ads.