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Title: BrainPOP (Discovery Learning)

Version: BrainPOP Featured Movie (version 3.1.9). There is a series with many other brainpops, though.

Publisher: BrainPOP

Target Audience: 4+, Made for Ages 9-11. This app is great for younger ages, but to effectively navigate through the app, a student would need to be about 9, so this is appropriate. This app is compatible with iPad, iPhone, iPod touch.

Curriculums: BrainPOP can be used for an introduction or an assessment in a lesson. Perhaps, this app can even be used for a lesson itself. With several topics and subject areas, learning is very possible and very fun for everyone. Very easy to integrate into the curriculum and beneficial to all.

Possible Environments and Why: BrainPOP can be used in any subject area. BrainPOP is great to implement in the classroom to help gather an understanding of any subject and any specific content area. BrainPOP is also great for home environments. The app is so fun, children don't know they're learning because the app is organized so wonderfully. It's a fun "game" that also extremely educational and beneficial to students, no matter the environment.

Cost: Free, but to really use the app, it's \$6.99 a month.

Software: With fun colors and great graphics, this software screams fun. Several topics to choose from with various levels of concentration, it is possible to learn about pretty much anything and everything in the most fun way possible. The videos and graphics used makes learning very attainable and easy to learn. The game like atmosphere makes it educational without even realizing it.

Impressions of Software & used in Class: The easy navigation and bright, colorful graphics makes this software so appealing. This software is so fun and so educational at the same time, which is great. The design was excellent-couldn't be better. Great sound, all around, wonderful software. Can be used in the classroom to teach certain topics or review certain subject areas. Reviews were very positive-saying this software helped individuals learn in many areas while having fun. Some reviews said the content could be bias depending on what a person's views are. Other than that, the reviews were very agreeable.

Does Software Pass: Yes