## Evaluating Apps

<u>Title:</u> Sushi Monster

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Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
Have you played enough to know every aspect?  • Did you try things that were wrong and/or unexpected	×		
Did the software crash?		X	
Was the content appropriate? Did it meet the user's needs?	X		
Were the screens appealing?  • Color, items on screen, sounds	X		We believe that this app would be extremely appealing to children due to the cartoon monsters and the name of the app itself.
Is it easy to navigate?	X		
Is it easy to learn?	Х		
Does the user need Supervision to use		X	It is only used for math, so no supervision would be needed.
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)		x	

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Were there bells and whistles?  • If so, do they enhance instead of detract?  • If not, should there be?	X		One of the biggest attention grabbers of the app is that everything has sounds. There is background music and sounds when the user clicks on certain things.
Did you like using the App?	x		Very easy to use, so it would be great for elementary students.
What was the cost?  • Was there a "lite" version  ○ If so, was it enough			Free
Were there in-app purchases?  • If so, what were the additional costs?		X	
How does it compare to other apps that do the same?			There are many other apps that work with mathematical concepts, but this app is great for a creative mind. Students will love the way the app looks and sounds. The only downfall of the app is that it only includes multiplication and

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		addition whereas other mathematical app usually have subtraction and division also.
Additional Comments		

## Developmentally Appropriate

Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
<ul> <li>Child Development and Learning</li> <li>Subject Matter appropriate?</li> <li>Educational Focus?</li> <li>Provides for Learning New Content?</li> <li>Follows Appropriate Teaching Sequence?</li> </ul>	×		This app is great for elementary students. Incorporating Subtraction and division into the app would be my only critique of the app.
<ul><li>Individual</li><li>Does it match individual's abilities?</li><li>Does it meet individual's needs?</li></ul>	X		Addition and multiplication can be practiced with the help of the app. The great majority of students would be able to use this app.
Social/Cultural  Bias? Commercialism Comments		X	

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