

Evaluating Apps

Title: My Horse

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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	X		
Did the software crash?		X	It did freeze up a little though.
Was the content appropriate? Did it meet the user's needs?	X		The content was very appropriate for students, but we think it might be a little difficult for elementary children.
Were the screens appealing? <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Color, items on screen, sounds	X		The colors were very vibrant and the graphics of this game were very so real and there were many different sounds, that we think the students would enjoy that makes the app more fun.
Is it easy to navigate?	X		
Is it easy to learn?	X		Yes it's easy to navigate, but it

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			might be a little difficult for elementary students.
Does the user need Supervision to use		X	There wasn't anything that popped up that would need supervision use.
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)		X	This app didn't require a response
Were there bells and whistles? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If so, do they enhance instead of detract? • If not, should there be? 		X	There were sounds that went along with the horse that you are taking care of which we both think it enhances instead of detracting.
Did you like using the App?		X	
What was the cost? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Was there a "lite" version <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ If so, was it enough 		Free	This app was free to use.
Were there in-app purchases? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If so, what were the additional costs? 		X	There were places on the game where you could purchase more coins to get

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			more things that you could buy for your horse like saddles, food, etc.
How does it compare to other apps that do the same?	X		There are other apps that are just like this with more things to do, but overall this was a very good app.
Additional Comments		X	

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? 	X		The app was very subject matter appropriate, and it really helped with simulation. It shows the students how to take care of a pet and all the responsibilities you have to do with having a pet horse.
Individual <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does it match individual's abilities? • Does it meet individual's needs? 	X		Yes, but we think it could be difficult for an elementary student to use but once they got the hang of it we

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			believe it would really help them and they would enjoy it.
Social/Cultural <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bias?• Commercialism Comments		X	This app was not biased at all.