## Evaluating Apps

<u>Title:</u> Science Lab for Kids

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Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
<ul><li>Have you played enough to know every aspect?</li><li>Did you try things that were wrong and/or unexpected</li></ul>	×		
Did the software crash?	x		Error when opening app
Was the content appropriate? Did it meet the user's needs?		x	
Were the screens appealing?  • Color, items on screen, sounds	x		Colors are appealing
Is it easy to navigate?		X	
Is it easy to learn?		Х	
Does the user need Supervision to use	X		
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)		×	
<ul> <li>Were there bells and whistles?</li> <li>If so, do they enhance instead of detract?</li> <li>If not, should there be?</li> </ul>		X	They wouldn't open
Did you like using the App?		X	
What was the cost?			Free

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<ul> <li>Was there a "lite" version</li> <li>If so, was it enough</li> </ul>		
<ul><li>Were there in-app purchases?</li><li>If so, what were the additional costs?</li></ul>	X	
How does it compare to other apps that do the same?		Would not work very often and received error message a lot
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>	×		Would be a good tool for Science experiments if it worked better
<ul><li>Individual</li><li>Does it match individual's abilities?</li><li>Does it meet individual's needs?</li></ul>		X	
Social/Cultural  Bias? Commercialism Comments		×	