Evaluating Apps

<u>Title:</u> QR'T

Evaluators

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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 	x		
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		It was just orange and white. It was real straight forward and to the point.
Is it easy to navigate?	X		It is easy to navigate but it does not rotate with your device.
Is it easy to learn?	X		
Does the user need Supervision to use	x		Yes, because they can scan any QR code on the internet, and it immediately takes them to that URL.
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)			It asked to go to the URL when you scanned the QR code.

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Were there bells and whistles? • If so, do they enhance instead of detract? • If not, should there be?	×	You can click the "+" to create your own code. (We created a code for one of our phone numbers" OR you can scan a code. You can add colors and backgrounds to your QR code if you create one.
Did you like using the App?	x	
What was the cost? • Was there a "lite" version ○ If so, was it enough	×	It was free to download.
Were there in-app purchases? • If so, what were the additional costs?	×	Premium version for .99 and a dragon art pack which is .99
How does it compare to other apps that do the same?	x	
Additional Comments		You can choose Website; phone Number; Note; Location; Email; SMS; Contact; Clipboard

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Developmentally Appropriate

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 Child Development and Learning Subject Matter appropriate? Educational Focus? Provides for Learning New Content? Follows Appropriate Teaching Sequence? 	x		You could design a scavenger hunt, and students could use this app to find different things. It could be used in any subject matter.
Individual			
 Does it match individual's abilities? 	X		The app is straight forward and easy
 Does it meet individual's needs? 			to navigate.
Social/Cultural Bias? Commercialism Comments		X	There were no biases we came across while using the app.