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<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 	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 very kid- friendly. It had cartoon monsters and bright colors and designs.
Is it easy to navigate?	X		
Is it easy to learn?	X		
Does the user need Supervision to use		X	The only thing you can do on this app is practice multiplication and addition.
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)		x	
Were there bells and whistles? • If so, do they enhance instead of detract? • If not, should there be?	X		There were bells and whistles. There was background music, sounds when you clicked on answers, and lots

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			of colors. It enhances the app. It is very easy to use.
Did you like using the App?	X		use.
What was the cost?			Everything was
 Was there a "lite" version If so, was it enough 	X		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?			Other apps have all the basic math categories like subtraction, division, multiplication, and addition. This only has the last two.
Additional Comments			

Developmentally Appropriate

Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
Child Development and Learning			Yes, it is appropriate. The focus is
 Subject Matter appropriate? 	X		multiplication and addition problems.
Educational Focus?			Students can learn new content by

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 Provides for Learning New Content? Follows Appropriate Teaching Sequence? 			practicing what number sentences go with each total.
IndividualDoes it match individual's abilities?Does it meet individual's needs?	X		Yes. The purpose is to learn and practice math skills, and it does.
Social/Cultural Bias? Commercialism Comments		×	