

Evaluation Write-Up

App Title: *States & Capitals Map Games* (iphone & ipad)

Version: *5.2*

Publisher/Producer/Creator: *JP Game LLC, Joy Preschool Game*

Target Audience: *4+, Made for ages 9-11*

Type(s) of Software:

Tutorial and drill & practice. This app is great for learning geography as well as practicing with previously learned information.

Curriculum(s):

This is a geography-based app meant solely for teaching and reviewing US geography skills.

Cost: *Free with in-app purchases; Unlock all states & games for \$20; Unlock all states & games for life for \$30.*

Software Evaluation:

You can choose a state from a US map and the cute little hippo will tell you all you need to know. It tells the capital, the flag, the seal, the abbreviation and the nickname. Then you are allowed to play games, like puzzles, matching and spelling. At the end of each, there is a review of the state.

The cute little hippo is encouraging and fun. The navigation is easy and inviting. The app is very colorful, bright and clear. The only disappointing part is that everything is not unlocked without subscription.

Does the software pass Review? *Yes*

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