

## Evaluating Apps

**Title: Kodable**

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Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
Have you played enough to know every aspect? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Did you try things that were wrong and/or unexpected</li> </ul>	X		
Did the software crash?		X	
Was the content appropriate? Did it meet the user's needs?	X		The app is targeted for children ages 4 years and up.
Were the screens appealing? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Color, items on screen, sounds .....</li> </ul>	X		The app has many colors and is a space theme. I think children would really be engaged within this app.
Is it easy to navigate?	X		
Is it easy to learn?	X		
Does the user need Supervision to use		X	
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)		X	
Were there bells and whistles? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If so, do they enhance instead of detract?</li> <li>• If not, should there be?</li> </ul>	X		The app has many bells and whistles that would keep children very engaged.

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Did you like using the App?	X		
What was the cost? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Was there a "lite" version               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ If so, was it enough</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	X		There is a light version. The app has a free trial but changes to a monthly fee of \$6.99
Were there in-app purchases? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If so, what were the additional costs?</li> </ul>	X		There is a Kodable monthly plan of \$6.99 a month and also a parent plan of one-time fee of \$29.99
How does it compare to other apps that do the same?			This app is great for children to learn coding skills.
Additional Comments			We think that the app could be very beneficial.

### Developmentally Appropriate

Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
Child Development and Learning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Subject Matter appropriate?</li> <li>• Educational Focus?</li> <li>• Provides for Learning New Content?</li> <li>• Follows Appropriate Teaching Sequence?</li> </ul>	X		We think that the app could be very beneficial for students to learn coding. It is very pleasing to the eye and could keep the students very engaged.
Individual <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Does it match individual's abilities?</li> </ul>	X		

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• Does it meet individual's needs?			
Social/Cultural <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bias?</li><li>• Commercialism Comments</li></ul>	X		There is a lot of pricy versions that need to be added to be able to use it.