

Evaluating Apps

Title R-Controlled Vowels

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Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
Have you played enough to know every aspect? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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		Yes, all content involved R-Controlled Vowels
Were the screens appealing? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Color, items on screen, sounds 		X	It is kind of boring
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"> • If so, do they enhance instead of detract? • If not, should there be? 	X		There are bells and whistles but very few. There are some graphics but it does have audio and sounds when you have all correct answers.

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Did you like using the App?	X		
What was the cost? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Was there a "lite" version <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ If so, was it enough 			Free
Were there in-app purchases? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If so, what were the additional costs? 		X	
How does it compare to other apps that do the same?			It isn't as elaborate as some apps but it does serve its purpose
Additional Comments			I like this App, I think it could be better but honestly if that were the case then it wouldn't be free. This would be a good app to recommend for at home use.

Developmentally Appropriate

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Questions	Yes	No	Comments/ Notes
Child Development and Learning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subject Matter appropriate? • Educational Focus? • Provides for Learning New Content? • Follows Appropriate Teaching Sequence? 	X		Yes, subject matter is appropriate and goes along with standards. Educational focus is phonics/word recognition. Yes it follows appropriate teaching sequence.
Individual <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does it match individual's abilities? • Does it meet individual's needs? 		X	No it does not. It is a general practice for r-controlled vowels.
Social/Cultural <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bias? • Commercialism Comments 	X		No there is no social/cultural bias or commercialism.