App Evaluation

Title: Solar Walk/Planet Explorer

Version: 2.5.0

Publisher/Producer/Creator: Vito Technology Inc.

Target Audience: Any kids 4+; however, I don't think it can be truly appreciated until the kid is a little older.

Type(s) of Software: Simulation / Discovery Learning - this is a space simulation app that students can use to explore the Solar System. It simulates outer space in a effective way, and also allows for students to learn on their own by searching a discovering things about the Solar System.

Curriculum(s): This could very easily fit into a Physical Science classroom, aiding the curriculum being taught in the classroom by providing a fun, hands-on simulation for students to explore and discover new things about what they are learning in class.

Cost: $4.99 to download, then there are a few different exploration packages that can be downloaded from $1.99 - $2.99.

Explaining the Software: On this app, students can explore the Solar System in an interactive 3D model. This would allow students to navigate throughout the simulation, gaining a better understanding of the Solar System and the planetary system that we live in. It would be a great way to reinforce a lesson in class about the Solar System. It also has videos and movies on all sorts of different topics in relation to space and Earth.

Impressions / Can I Use it in My Class? I cannot use it in my class, it is pretty much exclusive to Physical Science/Space Science.

Does the software pass Review? Yes.

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