

## Evaluating Apps

**Title:** Brain Pop

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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		
Were the screens appealing? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Color, items on screen, sounds .....</li> </ul>	X		Very colorful on every single link.
Is it easy to navigate?	X		
Is it easy to learn?	X		I think it needs to be used for ages 6+. Smaller children will need an adult help.
Does the user need Supervision to use	X		For 4-year old's and below.
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)	X		Many different simulations.
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	
Did you like using the App?	X		I actually used this app when I was in grade school.
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>			Free to download and I didn't notice any in-app purchases.
Were there in-app purchases? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If so, what were the additional costs?</li> </ul>		X	
How does it compare to other apps that do the same?			I think this app goes above and beyond with the

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			information that it provides.
Additional Comments			None.

### **Developmentally Appropriate**

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<b>Child Development and Learning</b> <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		This app checks off every box, it is very informational. You can find just about everything you need for a lesson.
<b>Individual</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Does it match individual's abilities?</li> <li>• Does it meet individual's needs?</li> </ul>	X		You can work on this app alone if needed, there are still many different pages that can be helpful to each individual student.
<b>Social/Cultural</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bias?</li> <li>• Commercialism Comments</li> </ul>		X	All around great app for anyone.