## Evaluating Apps

### <u>Title</u> Total Recall

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| Questions  | Yes | No | Comments/ Notes  |
|--|-----|----|--|
| <ul> <li>Have you played enough to know every aspect?</li> <li>Did you try things that were wrong and/or unexpected</li> </ul> | ×   |    |  |
| Did the software crash?  |     | ×  |  |
| Was the content appropriate? Did it meet the user's needs?   | ×   |    | similar to<br>inspiration just<br>with fewer options               |
| Were the screens appealing?  • Color, items on screen, sounds  | ×   |    | various colors and<br>icons that made<br>sense with each<br>button |
| Is it easy to navigate?  | ×   |    |  |
| Is it easy to learn?   | ×   |    | very simple operations   |
| Does the user need Supervision to use  |     | ×  |  |
| If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)   |     |    | N/A  |
| Were there bells and whistles?  • If so, do they enhance instead of detract?  • If not, should there be?                       |     | ×  | bells and whistles<br>were not necessary                           |
| Did you like using the App?  | ×   |    |  |
| What was the cost?  • Was there a "lite" version   |     | x  | no cost  |

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| <ul> <li>If so, was it enough</li> </ul>  |   |   |
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| <ul><li>Were there in-app purchases?</li><li>If so, what were the additional costs?</li></ul> | × |   |
| How does it compare to other apps that do the same?   |   | compares to inspiration 9 but with less options for layouts, bubbles, and text, but easily useable for young students |
| Additional Comments   |   |   |

# <u>Developmentally Appropriate</u>

| Questions   | Yes | No | Comments/ Notes   |
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| <ul> <li>Child Development and Learning</li> <li>Subject Matter appropriate?</li> <li>Educational Focus?</li> <li>Provides for Learning New Content?</li> <li>Follows Appropriate Teaching Sequence?</li> </ul> |     |    | no explicitly stated subject or focus,<br>but could be used for planning in any<br>paper or project that students may<br>need |
| <ul><li>Individual</li><li>Does it match individual's abilities?</li><li>Does it meet individual's needs?</li></ul>   | ×   |    | very simple and students can make a<br>web that is as complex or as simple as<br>they would like                              |
| Social/Cultural  • Bias?  • Commercialism Comments  |     |    | N/A   |