

## Evaluating Apps

**Title** Swift Playground

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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		beautiful variety of colors and playful images
Is it easy to navigate?	x		
Is it easy to learn?	x		gradual step by step instructions that make it simple to learn
Does the user need Supervision to use		x	
If the App required a response, was it appropriate? (right or wrong)	x		celebration for correct answers and no penalty for wrong answers, simply does not complete the task, but hints are offered if the student can not figure it out
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		animations that enhance the experience and make it more entertaining for students

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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	
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?			Easy to use and navigate, with step by step instructions. well put together and helpful compared to some other apps
Additional Comments			

### 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		
Individual <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Does it match individual's abilities?</li> <li>• Does it meet individual's needs?</li> </ul>	x		easy to navigate and starts from the beginning to make it easy for students to grasp

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Social/Cultural <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bias?</li><li>• Commercialism Comments</li></ul>			