

Educational Application Evaluation Checklist	
Critical Items for Data Privacy and Security	
Content is appropriate for the student	<input type="checkbox"/>
Privacy Policy is posted clearly in the app store, website, or application	<input type="checkbox"/>
No in-app purchases are necessary for the intended use of the application	<input type="checkbox"/>
Application contains no advertising	<input type="checkbox"/>
Data is not shared with third parties	<input type="checkbox"/>
Location tracking is not part of the application	<input type="checkbox"/>
Items that promote usability/learning	
Application meets the goals of the learning	<input type="checkbox"/>
Use of the application is relevant to your purpose and student needs	<input type="checkbox"/>
Help or tutorial is available in the application	<input type="checkbox"/>
Information is error-free, factual, and reliable	<input type="checkbox"/>
Applications settings and/or content can be customized	<input type="checkbox"/>
History is kept of student use of the app	<input type="checkbox"/>
Design of application is functional and visually simulating	<input type="checkbox"/>
Students can exit the application at any time without losing progress	<input type="checkbox"/>
Works with accessibility options like VoiceOver and Speak Selection	<input type="checkbox"/>
Application is free of charge	<input type="checkbox"/>
Application loads quickly and does not crash	<input type="checkbox"/>
Application promotes creativity and imagination	<input type="checkbox"/>
Application provides opportunities to use higher order thinking skills	<input type="checkbox"/>
Application promotes collaboration and idea sharing	<input type="checkbox"/>
Application provides useful feedback	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number of boxes checked	0
The more boxes that are checked the better, but it is important to use this as a piece of data to decide if the application is appropriate.	
Keep this checklist handy for the next time you are adopting a new application!	