

Software Evaluation Instrument

Software Evaluation Criteria

Title: _____ Type:(circle one) CD-ROM or Floppy Disk
Author/Designer _____
Publisher: _____ Year _____
Age Range Indicated on Box: _____ Student Tested (yes/no) Price _____
Technical Requirements: Operating System _____ RAM _____ MAC or MS-DOS _____

Management (Check if Available)

- _____ Sound Control
- _____ Speed Control
- _____ Support Materials
- _____ Teacher Control
- _____ User Control

Program Type (Check if Available)

- _____ Drill
- _____ Entertainment
- _____ Multimedia
- _____ Problem Solving
- _____ Reference

Services (Check if Available)

- _____ Free Tech Support
- _____ On-line Support
- _____ Program Updates
- _____ Tutorials
- _____ Warranty

Technical (Check if Available)

Check if Available

- _____ Downloading
- _____ Easy Installation
- _____ Networking
- _____ Printing
- _____ Sound Card Features

Key:

- R= (Recommended)
- A= (Accepted)
- N= (Not Recommended)
- n/a= (Not Applicable)

Content Evaluation

R A N n/a

- Active Learning Emphasized
- Age Appropriate
- Can be Customized
- Current Information
- Curriculum Congruence
- Group Instruction
- Logical Learning Sequence
- Meets Objectives
- Menu Operation Provided
- Motivating to Students
- Multicultural
- Precise Directions
- Process Oriented
- Promotes Independent Use
- Uniqueness of Software

Other Comments: