

# Software Evaluation Checklist

Title of Software Evaluated: \_\_\_\_\_ Interactivity Level: \_\_\_\_\_

- The software offers a divergent path and choice-making opportunities.
- The software is open-ended and invites exploration in a non-threatening environment.
- The software provides problem-solving opportunities.
- The software allows a child to be successful.
- The software stimulates a child's interest.
- The software encourages active involvement.
- The software contains quality animation, graphics, sound, and color.
- The software features an option for selecting a language other than English.
- The content reflects a diverse society.
- The content is developmentally appropriate.
- The feedback is effective and non-threatening.
- The responses to "incorrect" input are not confusing.
- The program is easy to navigate.
- The program operates at an acceptable speed.
- The program is easy to exit.
- The instructions, if any, are clear and easy to follow.
- The software is compatible with classroom hardware.

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