


## Apps for the Classroom

App	Learning Area	Description	Cost
FarFaria 	Literacy	Online library of books. Students can choose to read it themselves, have it read to them or auto-play the book.	Free \$4.49 to remove ads
Endless Alphabet 	Literacy	Each word has an interactive puzzle, a short with its definition and then put it back together again.	(lots)
Endless Numbers 	Math	The number, then a sum which is knocked over and needs to be placed back. Numbers say what number they are as moved.	(lots)
Endless Reader 	Literacy	Activities to introduce and reinforce sight words. Monsters knock it over – kids put it back.	(lots)
School A to Z 	Everything!	A list of apps for all subject areas by the NSW Ed Dept.	Free
Daisy the Dino 	Coding	Learn the basics of computer programming with Daisy the Dinosaur! This free, fun app has an easy drag and drop interface that kids of all ages can use to animate Daisy to dance across the screen. Kids will intuitively grasp the basics of objects, sequencing, loops and events by solving this app's challenges. After playing Daisy, kids can choose to download a kit to program their own computer game.	Free
Run Marco 	Coding/Game	Following instructions – very, very basic coding. This gives the basis for the harder coding later. Children must lead Marco to his goal through a graphically excellent environment. This is a game that, while playing it, players are being led through the concepts and structures of programming languages. It is a great introduction to coding.	Free
ToonTastic 	Literacy/Digital	Make your own story and record it. Students choose characters, scenes/settings, and can animate their characters by moving them around with their fingertips.	Free
A Life Cycle App 	Science	A series of life cycles with explanations.	\$0.99
Sago Mini Robot Party 	Creativity Colours Numbers	Sago Mini Robot Party allows young users to stretch their imaginations as they create literally billions of possible robots and then take the inventions to the Robot Party where they can make music, decorate cupcakes, swat at the piñata, and more.	\$2.99
Matching 	Numbers Letters	Learn to match colors, numbers, and letters. It includes three identification activities and a game that requires players to match based on three attributes.	\$1.99

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Trace It, Try It 	Letters	<i>Trace It, Try It</i> gives kids the chance to learn how to form their letters, numbers, and basic words. This cute app from This Reading Mama offers three different types of activities: learn, practice, and play.	\$2.99
Little Digits 	Numeracy	Using the iPad multi-touch screen, Little Digits displays number characters by detecting how many fingers you put down. Children can learn to associate the number on the screen with the number of fingers they place down, whilst enjoying the unique characters and animations of the Little Digits world.	\$3.99
Quizlet 	All - quizzes	The app allows you to search through thousands of sets of flashcards other users have made and to create sets of your own. With each set, you can play games such as Scatter and Gravity as well as test your memory with multiple-choice sample tests generated by the app.	Free
Monster Math 	Numeracy	Have your students practice and learn addition, subtraction, division, times tables and basic problem solving with Monster Math Pro! Be Maxx's personal math helper as you explore new worlds, battle enemies and find allies in unexpected places by using addition, multiplication, subtraction and division!	\$6.99
Hairy Letters 	Literacy	Trace the letter shape onscreen with your finger. Play games to build letters into simple words. Letter sounds come to life with animated characters. Learn to blend sounds into words.	\$5.99
Little Story Maker 	All	Creating your own story with Little Story Maker is as simple as a click. Click to add a new story, give the story a name, add photo, text and record. In Little Story Maker, you can create an unlimited number of personal stories. The only limit is your creativity.	Free

### General Websites

#### **Educational App Store**

<http://www.educationalappstore.com/>

Great reviews on apps that are education related. They also give really good descriptions of the app – far better reading than the sometimes flowery app store sdescription!

#### **AppEd Review**

<http://appedreview.com/>.

Reviews on apps, a blog for all things digital and a link to their The App Teacher Jrnl.

#### **Best Kids Apps 2016**

<http://www.pcadvisor.co.uk/test-centre/google-android/best-kids-apps-2016-best-apps-for-children-ipad-iphone-android-3464905/#primary>

Listed by age groups – very appropriate content and short bio on each app.