**Evaluating Apps: CRAPPIES for APPS**

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Currency

How current is the app? When was it developed? Last updated?

Relevance

How relevant is the app to your educational purpose or learning outcome?

Authority

Who created the app? Who is the author, publisher, or source? What is their expertise?

Purpose

What is the purpose of the app? Is the information fact, opinion or propaganda?

Privacy

Does the app have privacy statement or setting? Does the app share information on social networks? Does it use location services?

Intuitive

Is it easy to use? Can you use it without instructions?

Easy

How easily can you find (needed) information?

Stable and/or Security

Does the app crash? How secure is the app?