

Test 4 Time New Math App Developed by FHPS Parent

Hello Families!

My name is Tim Smock. I'm the father of two boys in the Forest Hills school district. I am also the creator of a new android app called Test 4 Time. What's the Test 4 Time? It's an app that helps kids improve their math fact fluency by using repetition of flash cards to achieve that goal.

BUT, what makes the Test 4 Time app unique is that it blocks the other apps on your android mobile device. Kids are then required to answer age appropriate math questions to EARN time on the app they'd like to use. They earn one minute of device time for every correctly answered question. The age appropriate questions cover kids in grades K-6.

Why I am telling you all of this? As a dad, I think that this unique idea really resonates with many of us who experience on a daily basis the clash of two great forces of nature: A parent's desire to see their children realize their full potential academically and a kid's desire to play as many video games as possible.

I'D LIKE YOUR HELP!

We have just started a Beta test of the Test 4 Time. That means the app hasn't been released officially to the Google Play store. It's in testing mode and I need testers like you, people with children in elementary school to help. I'd like you to download the app to your android tablet, phone, or kid's phone FREE OF CHARGE and try it out for me. I also want your feedback on the app including what you like and what you don't like. Your feedback is how I make the app better and more usable! The way to respond with those comments is described in the Beta test download or you can do it on the website: www.test4time.com.

To participate in the test go to www.test4time.com and click the "Beta Testers" tab at the top of the page.

The beta test will end June 30. At that time the app will show that there is an update. That update will then take you to the regular Google Play store and if you'd like to continue using the Test 4 Time you can subscribe to the app for \$1.99 per month.

Thanks so much for your help!

Tim Smock