ABA Data Notebook

Cost: Free of Charge.

Publisher: Operant Systems, Inc.

Platform: iOS devices such as the iPad or iPhone.

Description: This app allows record keeping for multiple students simultaneously. You can collect data via graphs for both behavior record keeping and skill management. For each student, you may also set goals, track their progress, and document certain consequences for their behavior. A feature that helps this app stand out amongst the rest is the ability to use curriculum in alignment with your chosen behavior plans or incorporate your own systems per student.

Features: Data collection tool designed like a regular planner/notebook/lined paper.

Grade Levels: K-12

Subject Area: Data Collection Tool

Strengths: It is an easy to use format, designed exactly as an actual notebook would represent. It is also very straightforward to use for anyone regardless of their ability/comfort with using technology. It provides a great way for teachers to organize their student’s data on one device, displaying their gathered information in graph form, lists, etc.

Weaknesses: Unfortunately, there is not a read aloud option to describe the graphs and/or the data presented. There are also no differences between the student’s information besides a tab section, which may or may not be beneficial for the user.

Overall Impression: I would highly recommend this app due to the fact that it is simple to implement, especially for busy teachers. It is a great tool for keeping data organized and all in one place.

Connections to the UDL Guidelines:
Enhance capacity for monitoring progress (6.4).
Highlight patterns, critical features, big ideas, and relationships (3.2)