

THE MUSICAL BRAIN INSTRUCTOR FOR TEACHING TURKISH TO THE FOREIGNERS: *EARWORM(S)*

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Abstract

In this study, the application named as *Earworms Rapid Turkish* that is brought into use with the expression of *Musical Brain Trainer* through the IOS operating system developed with the aim of teaching Turkish to the foreigners had been examined. The application's assurance of processing the words and patterns of the target language into the long-term memory with the musical basis makes it different than other applications. The application that is prepared in the form of phrasebook has the claim of providing permanent learning with the rhythm of music without any limitation of time/place. In the study fundamental components of the application had been examined, and determining of which factors had been benefited on the application in terms of memory and learning had been struggled. The application which is specified as prepared properly according to the Common Application Text for the Council of Europe Foreign Languages had been examined with this context and in terms of foreign language teaching methods and principles.

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