



Dear Parent,

As part of HMH's commitment to teachers and students nationwide, we are offering free use of *Waggle's* digital, personalized learning solution for grades 3-8. As an online program, *Waggle* offers the ability for students to engage in adaptive ELA and Math foundational skills practice from the comfort and safety of their homes. Despite school closures, students will benefit from features like embedded hints and encouragement that foster a growth mindset -especially important when students and teachers are unable to meet in person.

To learn more about *Waggle*, please go to <https://www.hmhco.com/programs/waggle>

How do I get my child started?

1. Ensure you have an adequate learning space with good internet connectivity.
2. Ensure you have the correct URL, username, and password sent to you by your district/school.
3. Have your child watch the 4-minute [Student Walkthrough Video](#) demonstrating how to use *Waggle*.
4. Once content is assigned by your district/school, your student is ready to begin *Waggle*ing!

How can I support my child's progress in *Waggle*?

Success in *Waggle* has a lot to do with how students approach the program. *Waggle* is designed to "meet the student where they are" when presenting appropriately leveled questions to your child. To have the most engaging and effective experience, remind your child of these *Waggle* best practices:

- Slow Down and take your time
- Read everything on the page, closely and carefully BEFORE checking your answer
- Use your hints! They never count against you!

It is okay if your child gets a question wrong because *Waggle* will analyze why and how they got it wrong and provide the next practice item to address your child's learning needs. If you have any questions about *Waggle*, please contact your child's classroom teacher.

The Student Dashboard

The Student Dashboard is your child's *Waggle* homepage. Here they can see view their assignments, progress, and collect and keep track of all their earned badges. Below you'll find some more information on other elements of the Student Dashboard.

The screenshot shows the Waggle Student Dashboard interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Waggle logo, a home button, and tabs for Games, My Progress, and a user profile for Sarah Smith. Below the navigation bar, there are two callout boxes: "ACCESS GAMES AND TRACK YOUR OVERALL PROGRESS" and "CHOOSE OR CHANGE YOUR AVATAR ANYTIME!".

The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column displays a list of assignments with callout boxes: "CLICK ON AN ASSIGNMENT TITLE TO START PRACTICING!" and "PROGRESS WHEEL TRACKS JOURNEY THROUGH ASSIGNMENT. EXPAND TO SHOW SKILLS PROGRESS". The assignments listed are:

Days	Subject	Assignment Title	Progress
8 DAYS	MATH:	Sample Math Items	90%
Almost There	MATH:	Place Value	
3 DAYS	MATH:	Multistep Word Problems	55%
7 DAYS	MATH:	Lines and Angles	25%

The right column shows a progress wheel and a list of achievements with callout boxes: "CLOUDY GIVES YOU TIPS, REMINDERS, AND CONGRATULATIONS!", "COLLECT YOUR FEET!", and "COLLECT YOUR FLOCKS!". The progress wheel shows a score of 4,700. Below the progress wheel, there is a "+50" badge and a "600" badge. The achievements list shows scores of 4,650, 4,590, and 4,550.

At the bottom of the dashboard, there are three summary cards with callout boxes: "TRACK YOUR TIME ON WAGGLE" (1 hr 42 min TIME SPENT), "EARN FLOCKS OF PIGS WHEN YOU GO ON A HOT STREAK OF CORRECT ANSWERS!" (9 FLOCKS RELEASED), and "EARN FEET FOR YOUR EFFORT AND PERSISTENCE!" (2,300 FEET TRAVELED).