

Using HMH ELA Curricula with Roadmaps – Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Greetings YCS Teachers!

In this FAQ we will post answers to your questions about how to use Roadmaps with HMH curricula. And, if you have a question that isn't answered here – ask us! There is a [form](#) at the end of the FAQ; fill it out and we will be *right* back to you! **We are here to help!**

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NOTE: If you have a question that needs an *immediate* answer, please use this email since a number of our Team Roadmappers are monitoring it: UofMichCDC@umich.edu

YCS Teachers: Here is the *original plan*, developed by Dr. Lopez and B. Whatley for moving to the Roadmap implementation of HMH for ELA for grades 3-5. Please give it a review:

[Centering Students & Staff in Continuous Rigorous Academic Work Through ROADMAPS
in Grades 3-5 - 2022-23 School Year](#)

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Open Professional Development Webinar:

Come and have your questions answered by a Team Roadmapper (see names, above)!

Date and Time: by request

Please sign up: [Google form sign up](#)

Tell us what you want help with – we will provide instructions! [Questions](#)

How do I log into HMH Roadmaps?

- Go to Roadmap.Center
- Sign in with Google
- Allow Google permissions by clicking 'Allow'
- Click on the wrench icon to view your Roadmaps
- [Video](#)

How do I find Roadmaps in the Library?

- Click on the magnifying glass on the left hand side of the screen(Roadmap Library)
- Use search tools to find what you are looking for (such as HMH)
- Click the orange button to save the Roadmap to your collection
- [Video](#)

How do I create a student link to send an assignment?

- [Video](#)

How do I use the tools in Flipbook?

- [Video](#)

How do I animate in Flipbook?

- [Video](#)

How do I create a class in Roadmap.Center?

- [Video](#)

How do I distribute Roadmaps to my students?

- Click on the three dots in the top right corner.
- Choose 'Distribute Roadmap.'
- Select Class.
- Click 'Next.'
- Click 'Distribute.'
- [Video](#)

How do I distribute collaborative maps?

- Choose Distribute Map from the left hand side menu. (clipboard)
- Search the title of the desired Roadmap. Click on the map title in the list.
- Scroll down to choose 'Next.'
- Select Class.
- Click 'Next.'
- Choose 'Collaborative.'
- Choose either 'Add Group' and add students manually.

or

- Choose 'Quick Options'
- Choose 'Randomize Groups'
- Choose how many students you want in each group.
- Click 'Generate.'
- To adjust groupings: Move students by clicking on a group box and choose the student, then click save.
- Click on the desired group, click the student's name to place them in the new group. Click save.
- When satisfied with group make up, scroll down and click 'Distribute.'
- [Video 1](#) or [Video 2](#)

How do I review student work?

- Click on Monitor & Assess on the left side menu. (bar graph)
- Select assignment type from the drop down menu.
- Select class from the drop down menu.
- Select a distribution.
- [Video](#)

How do I notify students that they need to go back to an assignment?

- [Video](#)

When roadmaps are assigned, and the "Launch" button takes the students into HMH to complete an interactive assignment, where is this data stored? We can check student work through Roadmaps, but when reports are ran on HMH, the assignments do not show up, therefore neither do the scores.

- Interactives such as vocabulary are not scored by HMH nor can teachers access the work students completed in an interactive. That is an HMH issue, not a Roadmap issue. If you are referring to an assessment, that has to be assigned in HMH. That link should be able to be placed as a web resource in a Roadmap.

Can I print items from a Roadmap?

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- Click on three dots in the upper right corner
- Choose EXPORT
- Choose PRINT (select printer as needed)
- [Video](#)

Too many tabs, how do I manage this?

- *New feature:* you can choose to have tabs open in current page by selecting settings from the drop down menu in the three dots(upper right corner of every map. Unclick the check mark. Students then can navigate use the back button in the browser. Video

or

- Teach students to go back one tab to the left for the previous page.

How do students record an answer via video?

- In MediaWriter student clicks plus sign at the bottom
- Choose Photo/Video
- Choose video camera
- Click camera to record
- Click square to stop
- Click 'check mark' to save
- [Video](#)

Can I use my own Google Slides in a Roadmap?

- [Video](#)

Video: A YCS Teacher using ELA HMH Roadmaps in her/his classroom:

- <https://youtu.be/Eswp-PjhXtU>

Message From Dr. Lopez

- <https://www.loom.com/share/d10761dbbbc346fab05a1553b4657863?sid=69d65e63-c213-4e72-a241-64ca1c73ec90>

Ask us a question, please! We will respond as fast as we possibly can!

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OR

Fill out this 1 min Google Form: [Questions & or appointments](#)