



Beginning Skills Check

Your child's first session is a skills check. It checks their skill level as we start so we can **measure** how much they grow using Waterford UPSTART!

To begin, go to the **Waterford Mentor homepage** and **click the "Start" button** to the right of the Early Reading task.

Early Reading



Click the Start button to launch your child's session here.





Sheriff Wyatt the Marmot will guide your child through the activities.



To make sure the results are **accurate**, please:

Let your child answer questions on their own

Encourage your child to pick the answer they like best if they're unsure

Avoid giving your child help or hints

We want to see how much they learn and grow!



If the skills check times out, your child can complete it the next day.

The skills check will be more difficult than the normal program in order to properly pinpoint your child's starting level.

It may be hard for them, but don't worry! The daily sessions will be exactly on their level.

After the skills check is complete, your child can begin regular daily sessions.

We're so excited for you to join the Waterford UPSTART family!