

Educational Software Write-up

Title- Prodigy Math Game

Publisher- Prodigygame.com

Version- 2.3.1

Target Audience-: 1-8th grade students

Curriculum- Math classes in elementary and middle school. They could also use it during a free choice time to practice.

Cost- This app is completely free and the developers have noted that they intend to always keep it free. However, you can subscribe for a membership. Whether free or paid membership, everyone gets access to the educational content. There is one plan where you can pay month to month which is \$8.95, a 6 month plan which is \$47.70, and a 12 month plan which is \$59.88. However members get more options for customization.

Description of Software- In prodigy, students play along in an online wizard world while solving math problems. They must go through wizard battles where they answer math questions to cast spells against the opposing wizards. There are 6 worlds at a time where students can choose to join that other students are playing in. They can add others as friends, or play with classmates. Students follow along quests and stories.

Teachers can create classrooms through classroom codes where they can either allow students to add themselves or have the teacher create accounts.

Does the app pass? Yes.

Impression of Software- Even as an adult myself, I wanted to keep playing the game. It is a fun yet educational game that I believe many students could enjoy. The questions increase in difficulty as the student progresses which is great to find out where their skills are at. I think I would let students play this in class a few times a week and encourage them to play at home if they would like to.