

# Official Rules for Leadership Talks 2019 Sweepstakes

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# Eligible Entries.

In order to be eligible to enter the Sweepstakes on behalf of your school, you must be a legal resident of the United States, at least eighteen (18) years of age and an educator actively employed by a school at the time of entry. Employees of HMH, as well as the immediate family (spouse, parents, siblings, and children) and household members of each such employee are not eligible to enter.

You must provide the name and address (physical or electronic) of your principal or other school administrator, so that HMH may notify such principal or administrator if you win the Prize on behalf of your school. You hereby grant permission to HMH to so notify such principal or administrator and to ship the Prize to your school, care of such principal or administrator. Except where prohibited, participation in the Sweepstakes constitutes your consent to HMH's use of your name, likeness, voice, opinions, biographical information, and state of residence, to the extent collected as part of the Sweepstakes, for promotional purposes in any media without further payment or consideration.

# Agreement to Official Rules.

By entering the Sweepstakes, you indicate your full and unconditional agreement to, and acceptance of, (i) these Official Rules and (ii) HMH's decisions regarding the administration of this Sweepstakes and interpretation of these Official Rules, which are final and binding in all respects.

## **Entry and Drawing.**

From July 25 – September 18, 2019 we will promote the opportunity for one webinar attendee during each of our five webinars to win a Prize for use in their school by engaging in our poll questions presented during the webinar session. To be entered to win, the webinar attendee must respond to at least one poll question during a live webinar on Webex. One respondent will be randomly selected during each of five live webinars taking place during the Sweepstakes period. During each webinar, HMH will randomly select one winner from the list of submissions. Entries submitted after the Sweepstakes has closed will not be eligible. The odds of winning depend on the total number of eligible entries.

#### Notification.

The winners will be announced within a week of each respective webinar held on July 25, 2019, July 29, 2019, August 13, 2019, August 21, 2019, and September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019. You do not need to be present to win. In the event the Prize notification is returned as undeliverable, or you or your school are otherwise unreachable using the contact information you provided, HMH reserves the right to award the Prize to an alternative winner (to be randomly selected from all remaining eligible entries), at its sole discretion. Failure to provide accurate and complete contact information for yourself and your school principal or school administrator, or failure to comply with these Official Rules may result in disqualification.

### Prize.

One set of 25 copies of the novel, *Who in the World is Carmen Sandiego?*, valued at Three-Hundred Fifty Dollars (each, a "Prize") will be awarded. The Prize will be provided "as is" and does not include service of any kind. HMH is not responsible for any costs or expenses associated with using or maintaining the Prize. HMH makes no warranty, guaranty or representation of any kind concerning the Prize, and disclaims any and all implied warranties related to such Prize to the maximum extent permitted by law. HMH reserves the right to substitute a Prize with one of comparable or greater value at its sole discretion.

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# Representations and Warranties.

You hereby represent and warrant to HMH that (i) You have the right to enter into this agreement free of any claims or encumbrances, (ii) that the submission is your original work and that there is no content owned by third parties included in the submission, and (iii) that the submission does not violate any copyright or other intellectual property, privacy or proprietary rights of third parties.

#### Attribution and Credit.

HMH and its licensees may provide authorship or other credit to you in connection with the use of your submission but is not required to do so.

## **General Conditions.**

No purchase is necessary to enter or win; any purchases will not affect your odds of winning. HMH reserves the right in its sole discretion to disqualify any individual it finds to be tampering with the entry process or the operation. of the Sweepstakes or to be acting in violation of these Official Rules. Failure by HMH to enforce any provision of these Official Rules shall not constitute a waiver of that provision. The Sweepstakes is subject to federal, state, and local laws and regulations and is void where prohibited. These Official Rules will be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts without giving effect to conflict of laws principles. By participating in the Sweepstakes, you agree to release and hold harmless HMH, its parent, subsidiaries, affiliates, and each of their respective officers, directors, employees, and agents from and against any claim or cause of action arising out of participation in the Sweepstakes or receipt or use of any Prize and you waive the right to claim any damages whatsoever, including, but not limited to, punitive, consequential, direct, or indirect damages.

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Signature below indicates that you agree to the rules of this contest:

