

Wobble vs traditional text-to-speech

at a glance

Traditional TTS reads text in one voice. Wobble layers character voices, a focus line, and tap-to-define on top, so reading stays active rather than passive.

voice

- Traditional TTS: one synthetic voice, usually neutral.
- Wobble: narrator plus named character voices in Books mode. Single calm voice in Photo and Scan modes.

focus support

- Traditional TTS: highlighting on the current word or sentence.
- Wobble: word-by-word highlighting plus an optional focus-line ruler that dims surrounding text.

vocabulary support

- Traditional TTS: usually a separate dictionary lookup, often disrupting flow.
- Wobble: tap any word for a kid-friendly definition, syllable breakdown, and audio, in a single card.

orientation in long texts

- Traditional TTS: no character recap.
- Wobble: Who's who panel pulls up an in-book cast list mid-read.

setup cost

- Traditional TTS: usually app install, often per-device licensing.
- Wobble: open in any browser, no install, no login.

when traditional TTS is the better fit

Adult learners reading professional documents in a single voice, or any context where a single neutral voice is preferred (legal, medical). Wobble is built for school-age neurodivergent readers.