

# Support student success with expert online tutoring





Providing the help students need can be a challenge. With competing demands for their time and many balancing work and family with their coursework, students need flexible options for after-hours or off-campus help.

Online academic tutoring services from Smarthinking give students access to expert tutors—on-demand or by appointment—in a wide range of subjects within their field of study.

## Maximize faculty resources and improve student success

Allow faculty to focus on at-risk students and other initiatives by providing an additional channel of support for students who don't need face-to-face attention or cannot make it to campus.

Research shows that online tutoring from Smarthinking positively impacts student success. You'll see higher grades, improved course completion, and increased student retention.

# Provide help in a variety of Mathematics & Statistics topics

- Algebra
- Basic Math
- Calculus (Single Variable)
- Differential Equations
- Discrete Mathematics
- Geometry

- Liberal Arts Math
- · Linear Algebra
- Multivariable Calculus
- Statistics & Advanced Statistics
- Trigonometry

#### Our tutors

- 85% have master's degrees or PhDs in Mathematics or Statistics
- All are thoroughly screened with ongoing monitoring and training
- All tutors are trusted teachers and/or tutors, with an average of 9 years of tutoring experience among them

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### Our approach

Smarthinking's tutors do not solve problems for students. Instead, tutors use a problem-solving based teaching style to help students learn underlying math and statistics concepts and engage them in the learning process. This way, students gain confidence in their skills and learn to handle future assignments on their own.

Our student satisfaction scores—as well as consistent faculty praise and feedback—show us that this approach works. Over 91% of students are pleased with the assistance they receive.

### How Smarthinking works

#### Access

Students can sign in directly from our website, from their LMS, and with integrations available from select Pearson MyLab™ & Mastering™ products. Android™ and iOS apps are also available so students can sign in from their mobile or tablet device.

### Live, on-demand online tutoring

Typically available 24/7 during the school year, Smarthinking's live tutoring sessions are conducted one-on-one within our virtual whiteboard environment, which provides real-time collaboration.

Prescheduled sessions are available and offline questions are also accepted for response within 24 hours. For those students who prefer to supplement text-based dialogue, prescheduled sessions are also available with audio. Support is also provided in Spanish for ESL learners.



Even at late hours of the night when I am up doing homework and just cannot seem to do a math problem, I know that I can always turn to Smarthinking and ask an online tutor... a REAL person, and not a computer!

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— Brandi L., Student, South Louisiana Community College

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