

# DIGITAL RESOURCE GUIDE LEARNING

## Tutor.com



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# What is Tutor.com?

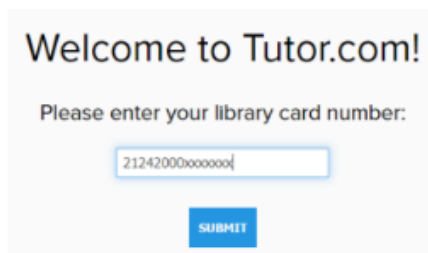
Tutor.com offers one-to-one learning solutions for students through educational institutions such as colleges, universities, K-12 schools, and public and state libraries as well as through corporations for employee benefits and workforce development. Tutor.com connects learners with qualified, expert tutors online, on-demand. They provide tutoring services in more than 200 academic subjects and test preparation areas in an engaging and uplifting learning environment.

## Offerings

- Online classroom and learning support for K-12th grade as well as intro-level college students, adult learners, and job seekers
- Live tutors using text or voice chat, video lesson libraries
- 24/7 drop-off reviews
- College admissions test preparation
- Graduate school admissions test preparation
- Practice quizzes & skill drills
- SkillsCenter resource library

## How to access Tutor.com

1. Go to the library's website, [lincolnwoodlibrary.org](http://lincolnwoodlibrary.org)
2. Hover over **Resources**. Select **Resource Quick Links**.
3. Then select **View Resource** to the right of Tutor.com.
4. Enter your **21242000XXXXXX** library card number with no spaces and select **Submit**.



Welcome to Tutor.com!

Please enter your library card number:

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For more information about using library resources, please visit our website [lincolnwoodlibrary.org](http://lincolnwoodlibrary.org) or stop by the Adult Services desk in the library.

# What next?

## Get Help from a Tutor Right Now!

Create an account or sign in with your library card number.

*Already have an account? Sign in [here](#).*

First name:

Library card number:   
(this will be your username)

Email address:   
(optional)

Password:

Confirm password:


Date of Birth:

I agree to the [Terms of Use](#).

- **Tutor.com To Go™** - Get access to our mobile app for iPod Touch, iPhone, and iPad
- **Favorite Tutors** - Had an awesome session? Favorite your tutor and connect again and again
- **Tutor.com Locker** - Store your assignments, class notes, projects, and more, online
- **Previous Sessions** - Review and share saved sessions

**CREATE ACCOUNT**

1. We recommend you create a free Tutor.com account to unlock extra features, save resources for later, and keep track of your progress. If you're under 13, your caregiver can create the account for you.

	<b>Connect</b> with a tutor now	<b>Submit</b> a paper for review	<b>Drop off</b> a math question	<b>Take</b> a practice quiz	<b>Other Tools</b> ▾
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2. Once you're logged in, select **Connect** to start getting help.
3. Fill out the **What do you need help with today?** form and select **Connect Now**.

**What do you need help with today?** English ▾

Please take a moment to review our [honor code](#).

**Topic**  ▾ **Subject**  ▾

**Grade**  ▾

**How would you like to work with your tutor?**

Chat Only    Chat + Voice

**Enter your question**

[Attach a File](#) **CONNECT NOW**

For more detailed instruction, book a one-on-one session with a librarian. Registration requires a Lincolnwood Library Card. For scheduling, contact Adult Services at (224) 233-1859.

Scroll down to the bottom and select Take the tour to get an overview of how Tutor.com works.

## More on working with a tutor

Tutor.com offers live tutors from 8am-10pm daily. Choose from a variety of topics which are divided into subjects and grade level.



My Account ▾



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Hi Name!

Live one-to-one help is available 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. [Get a tour of Tutor.com!](#)

The screenshot shows a web form titled "What do you need help with today?". It includes a language dropdown set to "English", a "Please take a moment to review our honor code." link, and fields for "Topic" (ACT Test Prep), "Subject" (Select a subject...), and "Grade" (Select a grade...). Below these are radio buttons for "Chat Only" (selected) and "Chat + Voice". There is a text area for "Enter your question" with the placeholder "Type your question here." and an "Attach a File" link. A green "CONNECT NOW" button is at the bottom right.

## Connecting with a tutor

- Click on the **Topic** box and select the topic you want help with.
- Click on the **Subject** box to select a specific subject within the topic.
- Click on the **Grade** box to select the grade level of the subject.
- If desired, click on the box under Grade to request a tutor who can instruct by voice chat.
- Enter your question in the box marked **Enter Your Question**. If you need to include a diagram or other visual help, click on **Attach a File** below and choose the file from your hard drive, flash drive, etc.
- Click the **CONNECT NOW** button.

# Submitting documents for review

Tutor.com has a staff of tutors who can check your essay, résumé, or cover letter for factual errors, grammar, and other issues that could impact the effectiveness of your document.



## Submit your document for 12-hour review

It's easy—just complete the form below to let our tutors know what you're working on, submit your document, and we'll get it back to you within 12 hours.

What kind of help do you need? Select your grade level: \*

WriteTutor Essay Drop Off Review 10th

What is the topic of your paper (please note: max character limit is 1200)? \*

U.S. Constitution

Where are you in the writing process? \*

I think it needs a lot of work still

Our tutors will review your essay for higher order concerns (thesis, organization, and paragraph development). Where else would you like the tutor to focus? Please check up to 2 additional areas from the list below:

<input type="checkbox"/> Properly supporting your argument	<input type="checkbox"/> Sentence variety and clarity	<input type="checkbox"/> Word Choice
<input type="checkbox"/> Crediting your sources	<input type="checkbox"/> Transitions between sections	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please specify)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sentence construction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grammar, punctuation and mechanics	

Please describe your assignment and any instructions you've received from your teacher or professor (please note: max character limit is 1200). \*

The subject of my essay is checks and balances

What citation format are you using, if any?

MLA

Please upload a document for review.

Choose File No file chosen [Remove](#)

Accepted file formats are: doc, docx, txt

[Submit](#)

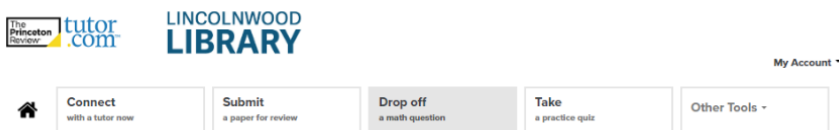
- Under **What kind of help do you need?** box, select **WriteTutor Essay** or **Job Help**.
- Select your **grade level** if applicable.
- **Explain the topic of your paper.**
- **Select from the Where are you in the writing process box, followed by selecting any boxes you want the tutor to focus on.**

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- Describe your assignment, including instructions from your teacher.
- If your teacher requires a **citation format**, select one from the box.
- Upload the document for review, then click **Submit**.

## Dropping off a math question

Mathematics can be difficult sometimes, and as exams near, a live tutor session for more complex questions may take up too much time. In addition to live tutoring, one can send a question to a tutor, who will send feedback within 24 hours.



### Got a question? Ask it now.

Sometimes you don't have time for a live session. That's OK. Tutors are standing by to provide step-by-step explanations for your specific problem - just fill out the form below, and you'll get expert feedback in less than 24 hours.

Please submit one question at a time [Why?](#)

What kind of help do you need? Select your grade level: \*

Math PreCalculus Drop Off Help 12th

Type your question here. Include all directions and a note to the tutor if there is a certain way you want it solved. For example, "Use graphing" or "use factoring".

How do you divide polynomials?

[Attach a File](#) [Draw your Problem](#)

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- Under the **What help do you need?** box, select a topic.
- Select your **grade level**.
- Type your question in the box.
- If required, **attach a file** by clicking the link. Alternatively, you can click on **Draw your problem** to illustrate the problem.
- Click the **Submit** box.

## Exam preparations

Tutor.com offers practice testing for high school and college students. These tests include practice tests, score reports, and even timing accommodations.

### High School:

- SAT/ACT
- AP Biology
- AP Physics
- AP U.S. History
- AP World History

### College:

- GRE
- MCAT
- LSAT
- GMAT

The screenshot shows the Tutor.com website header with logos for The Princeton Review, tutor.com, and LINCOLNWOOD LIBRARY. Below the logos is a navigation bar with buttons for 'Connect with a tutor now', 'Submit a paper for review', 'Drop off a math question', and 'Take a practice quiz'. To the right is a 'My Account' dropdown menu. A purple arrow points to the 'Other Tools' dropdown menu, which is open and shows options: 'Prep for the SAT/ACT', 'Prep for grad school tests', 'Prep for the AP exams', and 'Watch videos for math & English'. Below the navigation bar is a large banner for 'The Princeton Review' with the text 'Start your path to college with help from the experts at The Princeton Review—the leading provider of college test prep for over 40 years. Getting ready for the SAT or ACT can be intimidating, but it doesn't have to be. With experts at The Princeton Review, you can prep on your schedule, reach your target score, and get into your dream school.' There are two blue buttons: 'PREP FOR THE SAT NOW' and 'PREP FOR THE ACT NOW', and a link 'Learn more'.

### Built by The Princeton Review. Customized for you.

Whether you're shooting for the Ivy League or a great state university, your score on the SAT or ACT matters. The Princeton Review has been helping students get into their target schools for decades, and now—in partnership with Tutor.com—they've designed a special test-prep program for students like you.

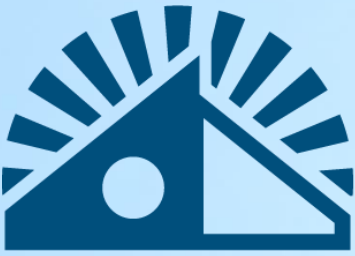
### Your SAT/ACT Essentials program includes:

- FULL-LENGTH PRACTICE TESTS**  
Take a complete practice test online —we'll even time it for you, just like on test day.
- DETAILED SCORE REPORTS**  
Learn where you need the most help and focus on problem areas to get your best score.
- ENGAGING VIDEO LESSONS**  
Master key concepts and powerful test-taking strategies with fun and engaging videos.
- POWERFUL PRACTICE DRILLS**  
Hone your skills with hundreds of sample problems developed by our team of test-prep experts.

## How to access practice exams

- Click from the **Other Tools** menu and select your exam of choice.
- Select the test from one of the blue boxes.
- On the top of the page, select **Practice Tests**.

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