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What is Tutor.com?

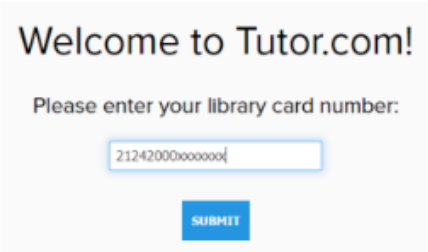
Tutor.com offers one-to-one learning solutions for students through educational institutions such as colleges, universities, K-12 schools, and public and state libraries as well as through corporations for employee benefits and workforce development. Tutor.com connects learners with qualified, expert 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
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**.



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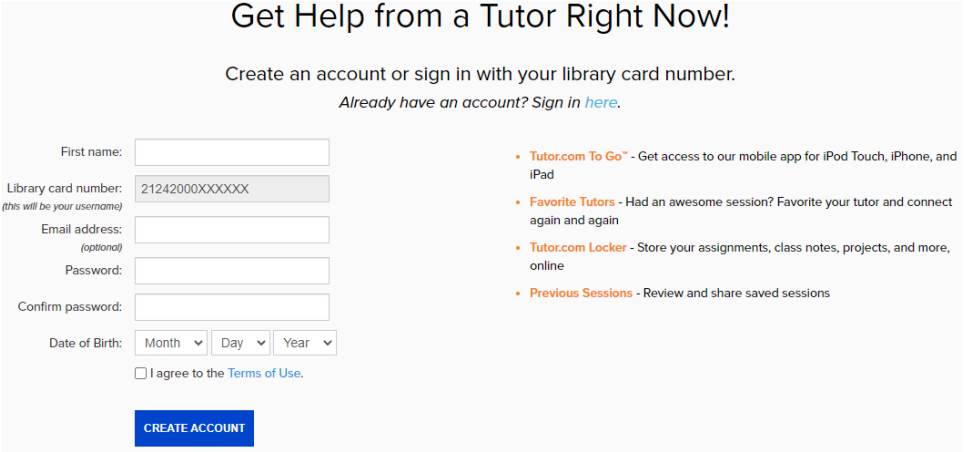
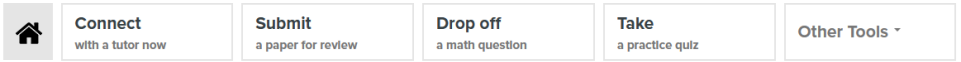
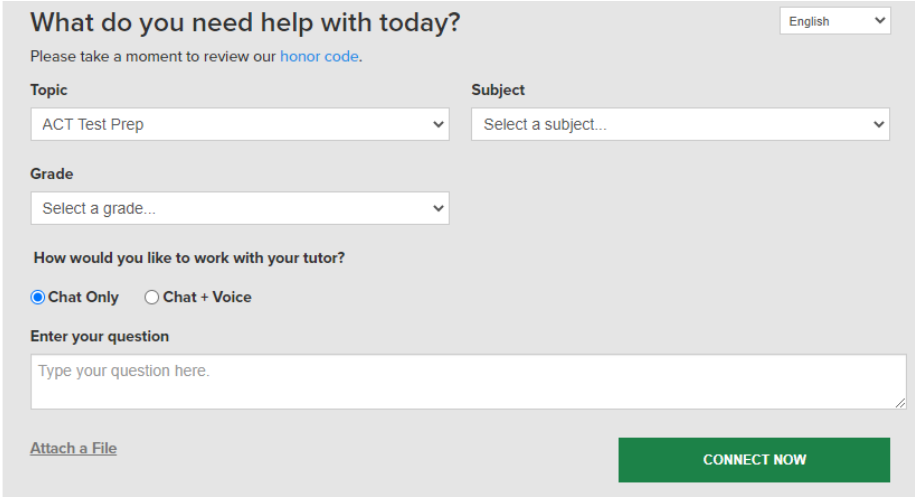


1. We recommend you create a free Tutor.com account to unlock extra features, save resources for later, and keep track of your progress. If you're under 13, your caregiver can create the account for you.



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**.



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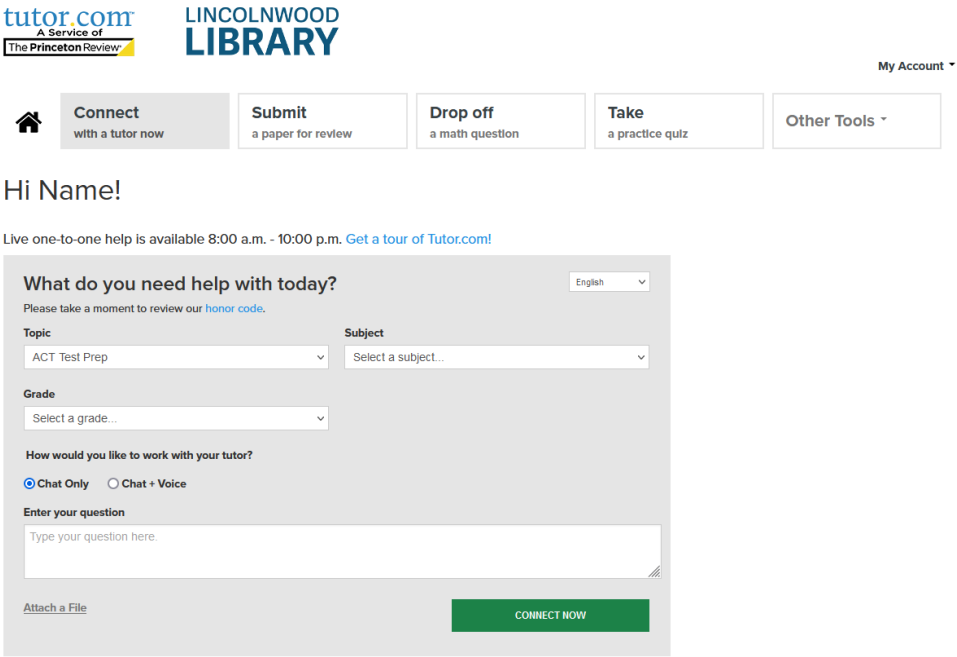
Scroll down to the bottom and select Take the tour to get an overview of how Tutor.com works.

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.



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.

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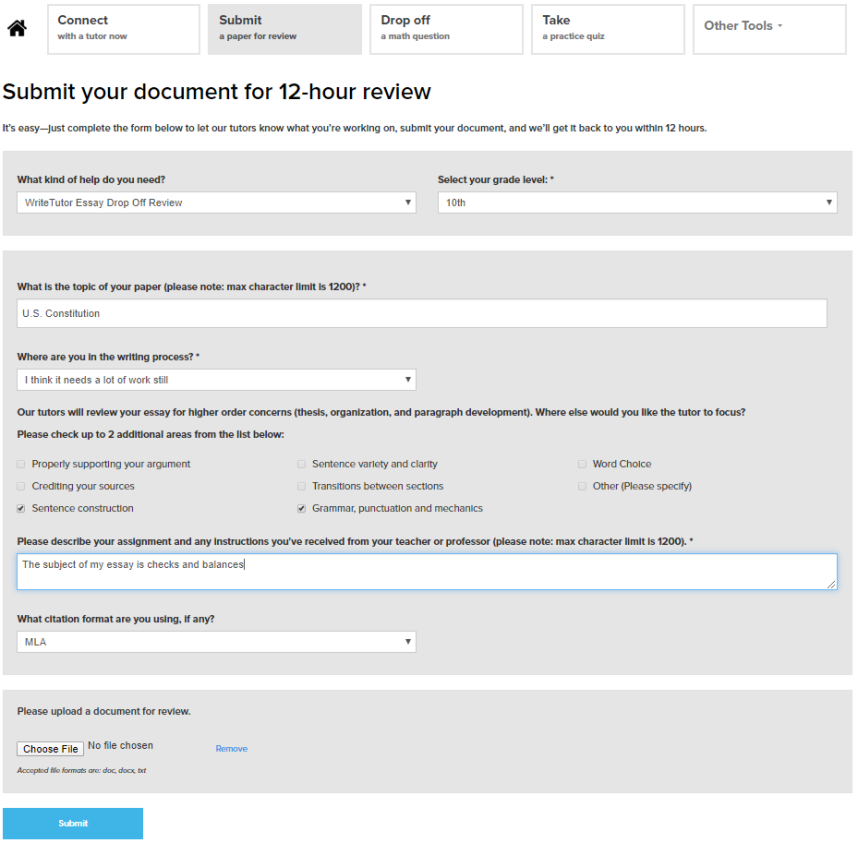
Submitting documents for review

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.



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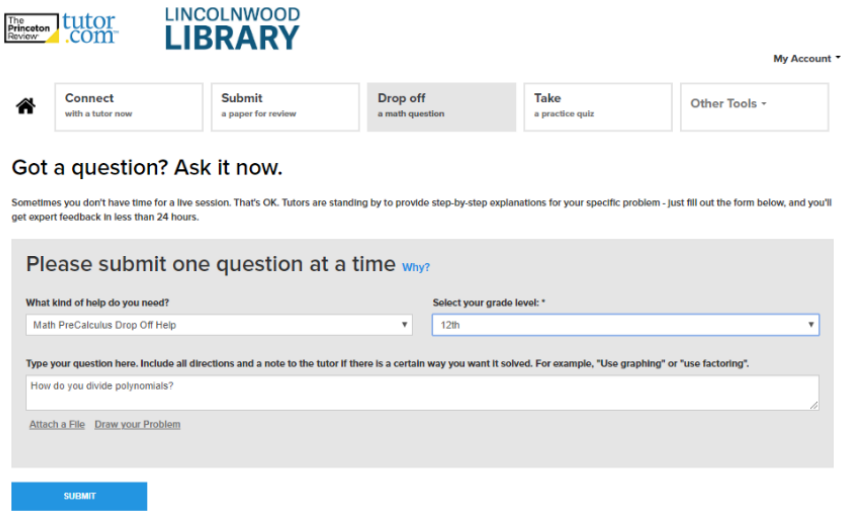
- Describe your assignment, including instructions from your teacher.
- If your teacher requires a **citation format,** select one from the box.
- Upload the document for review, then click **Submit.**

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.



- 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.

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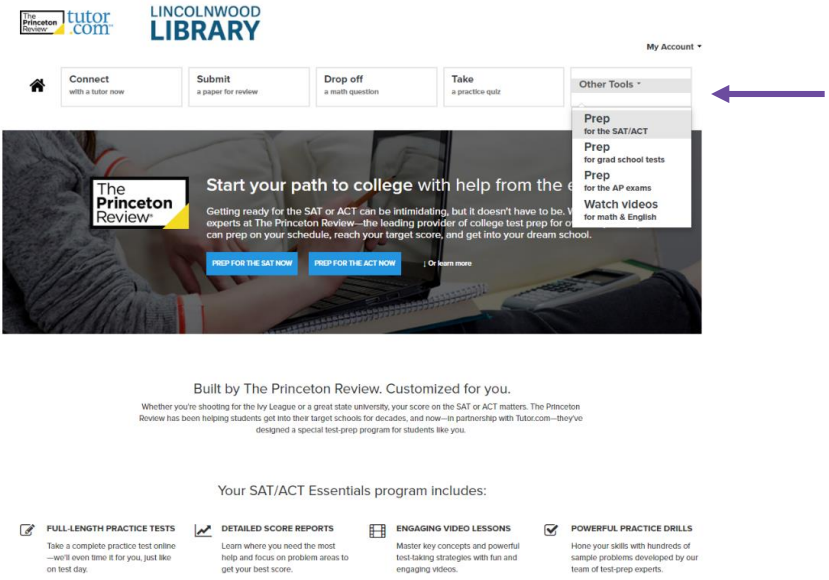
Exam preparations

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



How to access practice exams

- Click from the **Other Tools** menu and select you 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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