The Real Work Ahead

I know I can do this. I just need some help.
– Student

So many of my students need individual instruction right now to catch up and stay on track.
– Teacher

We need to be on the fast track to better student outcomes and we need to be there now.
– Administrator

Educators know the challenges. The real work ahead is addressing them without leaving any learner behind or over-stretching teacher and system capacity.
Varsity Tutors for Schools is the partner districts and schools choose to accelerate learning, deliver the right interventions at scale, and expand the boundaries of the classroom.

Together, We Can Meet Your Objectives for Individualized Instruction & Expanded Teacher Capacity.

Varsity Tutors for Schools works with 200+ schools and districts to tackle the challenges ahead. That means using proven tutoring solutions to accelerate learning, close equity gaps, and help expand instructional capacity at scale.

Our comprehensive platform delivers all the right components to design, scale, and sustain district-wide, individualized instruction: 1:1 tutoring, small group tutoring, adaptive assessments, an administrative dashboard, a dedicated support team, and a growing portfolio of enrichment and special focus opportunities for students.

Individualized instruction is a district and community priority, so we can fully address the needs and potential of every learner.

– Administrator
The Destination: Improved Student Outcomes. Tutoring Will Help You Get There.

Close the Equity Gap
Varsity Tutors for Schools works side-by-side with our district partners to level the playing field by making personalized learning a reality for every student, regardless of background, and at no cost to families. That removes barriers to opportunity and achievement.

Boost Overall Student Achievement
All eyes are focused on accelerating student outcomes. Our proven expertise, more than a decade of experience, technology, and cadre of 40,000 highly qualified, vetted tutors available through our Live Learning Platform make Varsity Tutors for Schools the only partner capable of helping educators meet aggressive learning objectives at scale, with data-driven, research-based personalized learning.

Expand Teacher Capacity
Empower your educators with the ability to assign students individual tutors, qualified to meet their specific learning needs. Teachers drive instruction to ensure a seamless alignment with students' existing learning content.

Comprehensive Support Centered in One Place
Your students' and teachers' needs and goals are expanding. As an administrator, you can empower your educators with the ability to assign students individualized tutors, qualified and ready to meet learners' specific needs and learning styles. Teachers remain in control, driving instruction to ensure a seamless alignment with your curriculum and the materials and content students are using.

With tutoring, I'm catching up. My tutor knows just how to help me so I'm doing better in class. My goal is to work in health care. Now, I think I can do it!
– Student
Study Shows 217% Growth in Math Proficiency for Elementary Students

A recent randomized-controlled-trial (RCT) research study conducted with one of the nation’s largest school districts, a university partner, and Varsity Tutors for Schools investigated the impact of high-dosage tutoring on learning progress in math.

The study at a glance:

Objective

• 4th grade math proficiency
• 1:1 student-to-tutor ratio
• 45 minute tutoring sessions, delivered 3 times per week for 9 weeks

Study Details

• Baseline student proficiency levels in math were determined for 217 Grade 4 students, using i-Ready assessment data.
• The 107 students selected for the treatment group received tutoring immediately after school, were supervised by school personnel, and used school computers with microphones and headphones.

Results

• Students who received tutoring achieved 217% greater growth than students in the control group (a 9.8 point increase versus 4.5)

Score Point Increase

Control
N=110

Treatment
N=107
Tutoring Delivers Personalized, Supplemental Instruction and Proven Results

A recent article in *Education Week* noted, “Intensive tutoring is considered one of the most effective ways to help students quickly make up for lost ground.” The Annenberg Institute recently validated that consistent, regular tutoring, delivered in an environment that reinforces engagement and collaboration can positively impact student achievement.

Varsity Tutors for Schools provides schools and districts with the flexibility and expertise needed to ensure every child can receive the benefits of personalized supplemental instruction.

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| Teacher-Assigned Tutoring          | Teachers schedule face-to-face, personalized support from tutors to deliver individualized student instruction and intervention as needed, extending teacher capacity and control. | - Teacher Portal for scheduling tutoring  
- Live, video-based instruction  
- Consistent high-quality tutors |
| High-Dosage Tutoring               | Students work 1-on-1 or in a small group with a consistent tutor inside or outside of the school day via our Live Learning Platform. | - Highly personalized 1:1 tutoring  
- Small group tutoring (up to 5 students per group)  
- Aligned to your district’s academic objectives  
- Detailed student progress reports and analysis |
| On-Demand Help                     | 1-on-1, 24/7 tutoring access for students via chat, with essay review and enrichment options to extend learning. | - 24/7 support that’s always on and accessible for students |

I'm accountable for my students’ progress and I care deeply about them. With tutoring support, I can intervene faster and more precisely, and help them move forward.

– Teacher

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Five Essential Components of Tutoring Program Success:

Does Your Partner Check the Boxes?

☐ Sourcing, vetting, training, scheduling, and monitoring of U.S. based, highly qualified tutors from a large pool of qualified instructors and content experts

☐ Onboarding, training, and continuous support for your instructional and administrative teams

☐ Flawless virtual delivery of high-dosage, on-demand, and teacher-assigned tutoring options, scaled to fit your school and district-wide needs

☐ Data collection and ready-access, real-time reporting for every stakeholder through a secure online administrative portal

☐ Personalized instruction, learning plans for students, alignment to your curriculum, and progress monitoring all supported by adaptive assessments

The right tutoring program should do even more than boost student outcomes and educator capacity. It should alleviate the administrative and reporting burden of starting and equally important, managing a tutoring program at scale.

Varsity Tutors for Schools partners with 200+ school districts. That work continues to underscore the importance and value of our program’s operational and implementation expertise.

Of course, we need highly qualified tutors. But we also need full programmatic services to deliver tutoring at scale. It takes structure, training, reporting, and a partner that functions fully within our system.

– Administrator
Four Critical Questions to Ask Your Tutoring Partner

1. How do you select and monitor tutors?
   Does your partner’s tutor selection process include background checks, content knowledge assessments, and evaluations of their expertise with online instruction? Are tutoring sessions evaluated consistently? Can students rate their tutoring sessions? Varsity Tutors for Schools answers yes to these questions. For 15+ years, parents have consistently praised the quality of our tutors and they are the heart and pulse of our work for schools and districts.

2. Do you have evidence of impact?
   Will you receive monthly reporting on tutor sessions, covering hours delivered, and average session rating? Does your partner use research-based assessments to track learner progress against learning goals? Can your partner provide third-party validation of tutoring’s impacts on students’ attendance, satisfaction, and learning outcomes specifically for your tutoring program? Continual impact measurements are core to the Varsity Tutors for Schools solutions.

3. What is your pedagogy, curriculum model or learning philosophy?
   Does your partner only use their own curriculum and instructional resources? That can cause confusion and disruption for learners and teachers. Varsity Tutors for Schools meets students where they are, using the curriculum materials they’re already using. As we onboard tutors for our district partners, we provide specific insights on the curriculum and assessments in use, and we give classroom teachers the opportunity to provide tutors with their perspectives and important insights into their students’ needs.

4. What subjects and grade levels do you cover?
   Is your tutoring partner capable of covering the full K-12 curriculum, including all core content areas? Will they deliver tutoring in all AP subjects, business education, humanities, languages, advanced mathematics, science, technology and engineering? What about serving students with all learning differences? Varsity Tutors for Schools supports the complete K-12 instructional spectrum, so all your students have access to the academic content they need to achieve their learning goals.

"We consider our tutoring team to be essential contributors to classroom instruction. That helps me make sure I’m giving individual instruction to students consistently."

– Teacher

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Recent Awards and Recognition

- Best of STEM Winner 2022
- Tech & Learning Award of Excellence 2022
- ED TECH Breakthrough 2022

Varsity Tutors by the Numbers

- 1 million students served and supported
- 15+ years of tutoring experience
- 200+ K-12 district partners
- 40,000+ highly qualified, vetted tutors

Varsity Tutors for Schools in the News

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- Education Week, December 14, 2022: How to Make Online Tutoring Work for Your School: 5 Best Practices

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