



Use of Federal Funding Packages: Smarthinking Online Tutors



General Overview: Smarthinking gives learners on-demand, anytime, anywhere access to academic help from experts at their moment of need. With professional tutors staffed 24/7 every day of the year, Smarthinking provides personalized support in over 150 core subjects areas including standardized test prep from 3rd to 12th grade, through college and beyond, as well as support to address gaps in critical skills and concepts as identified by assessments. Tutors also provide expert guidance in improving core English language & writing skills across all disciplines including essays, research papers, lab reports, personal statements, and resumes. Via a proprietary and secure technology platform or mobile apps for iOS or Android, students can access support in three main ways: on-demand online tutoring, scheduling a future session with a tutor of choice, or submitting a document for review with feedback in less than 24 hrs.

Smarthinking Solutions for Covid Relief Funds: Smarthinking can assist states & districts close learning gaps caused by Covid 19 as well as longer term equity issues across diverse student populations. Solutions include:

I. SAAS Tutoring & Conferencing Platform:

States & districts license Smarthinking's tutoring platform to deliver their own online tutoring, mentoring, and instruction with their own staff.

III. Middle School Solutions (7th & 8th Grade)

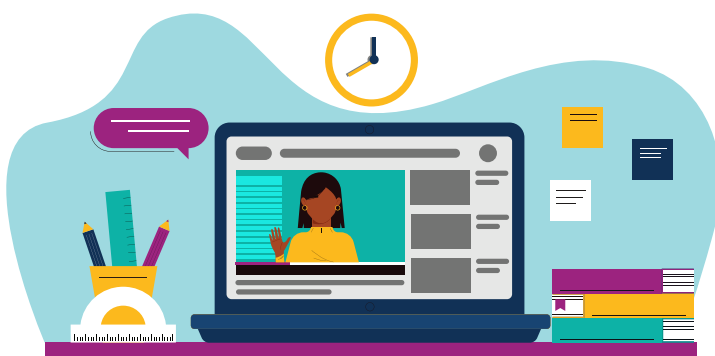
- Writing Fundamentals
- Math Fundamentals
- Post assessment remediation support

II. Elementary School Solutions* (3rd-6th Grade)

- Writing Fundamentals
 - Math Fundamentals
 - Post assessment remediation support
- * For these grades all sessions need to be pre-booked.*

IV. High School Solutions

- On-Demand 24/7 Tutoring & Writing Support across core high school courses including Math & Writing Fundamentals
- AP exam tutoring
- Tutoring for dual enrollment learners
- Standardized test prep tutoring (SAT, ACT, etc.)
- Summer bridge tutoring for students preparing for 2 & 4 year college degrees
- College application, internship, and interview prep & support
- Post-assessment remediation support



School Assessment's Pursuit of Equity

Chart A show how Smarthinking aligns with School Assessment's Equity Strategy & includes draft language for needs & solutions surrounding tutoring & SAAS platforms.

CHART A: THE PURSUIT OF EQUITY		
Support for schools reopening		
Challenge	Need	Solution
Unfinished Learning	<i>Highly accessible remediation options for students who demonstrate learning loss</i>	<i>Smarthinking Tutoring Services Smarthinking SAAS platform</i>
Distance Learning	<i>24/7 tutoring support for students & families beyond the classroom - when teachers, faculty, administrators aren't available for assistance</i>	<i>Smarthinking Tutoring Services Smarthinking SAAS platform</i>
Supports for lost instructional time - academic		
Challenge	Need	Solution
Assessment/Data	<i>Post assessment, support for students who need remediation & learning support help beyond the classroom</i>	<i>Smarthinking Tutoring Services Smarthinking SAAS platform</i>
Language Development & Mastery	<i>Writing & Literacy fundamentals</i>	<i>Smarthinking Tutoring Services Smarthinking SAAS platform</i>
Supports for lost instructional time - social-emotional learning		
Challenge	Need	Solution
Child Well-Being	<i>Infrastructure to virtually connect students with internal support resources</i>	<i>Smarthinking SAAS platform</i>