

How It Works: Tutor.com Classroom For Elementary School Students

Get expert help in a **safe, secure** virtual learning space—anytime, anywhere, on any device.

Tutors can help you with reading, math, and so much more! You can connect by voice or text-chat and work together with your tutor in our online classroom.

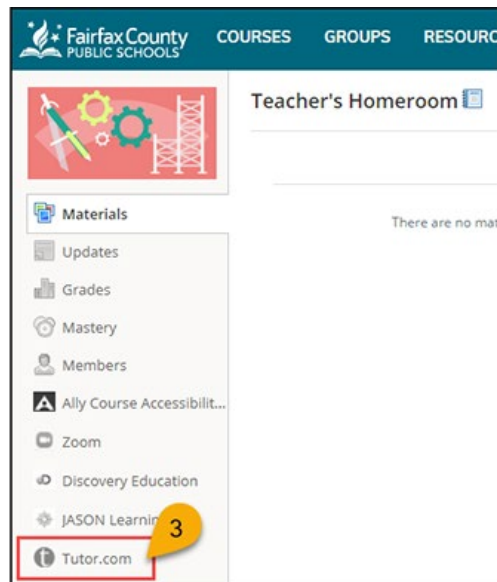
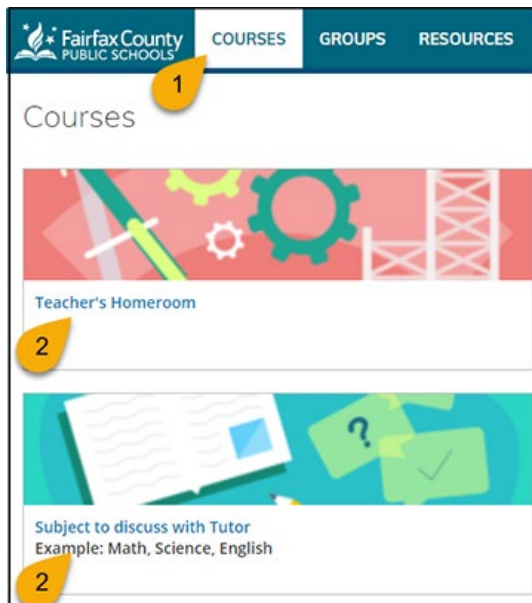
LIVE TUTORING

Step 1: Get started

Log in to your Schoology® account. (<https://lms.fcps.edu/>)

Step 2: Enter your Homeroom or a specific course

1. Click on the "**COURSES**" link in the top navigation bar in Schoology.
2. Select your "**Teacher's Homeroom**" or the "**Subject**" you want to discuss with your tutor
3. Click on **Tutor.com** on the left side of the screen (opens in a new window)

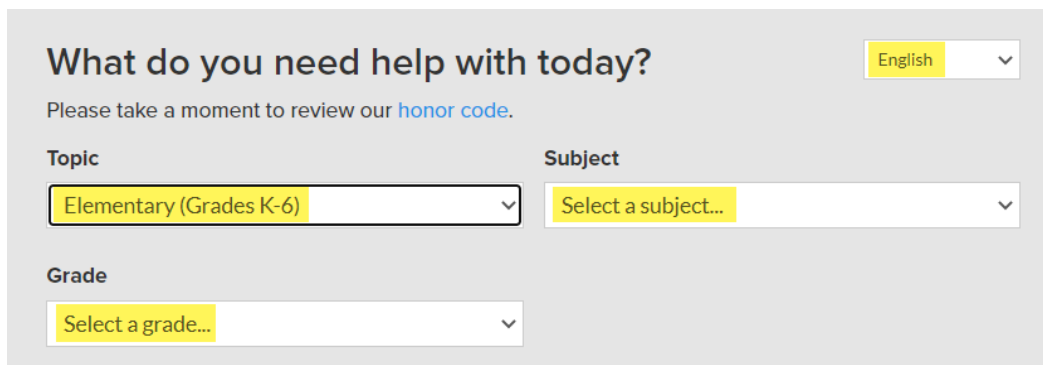


Step 3: Find the right tutor

Tutor.com will open in its own window. You can connect with a tutor from the main page.

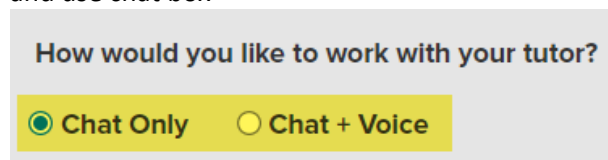
Steps to find a tutor:

1. Under the "What do you need help with today?" heading, use the dropdowns to find your tutor:
 - **Language** (language the tutor speaks)
 - **Topic**
 - **Subject** (options are based on Topic)
 - **Grade level**



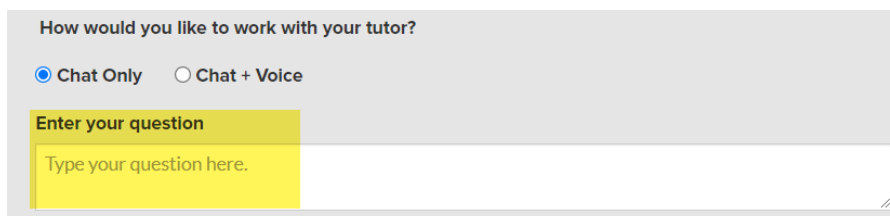
The screenshot shows a form titled "What do you need help with today?". At the top right, there is a language dropdown menu set to "English". Below the title, there is a link to "honor code". The form contains three dropdown menus: "Topic" (set to "Elementary (Grades K-6)"), "Subject" (set to "Select a subject..."), and "Grade" (set to "Select a grade...").

2. Choose how you would like to communicate with your tutor
 - **Chat** - Use the chat box to text with your tutor
 - **Chat + Voice** - Speak over the microphone or phone with your tutor and use chat box



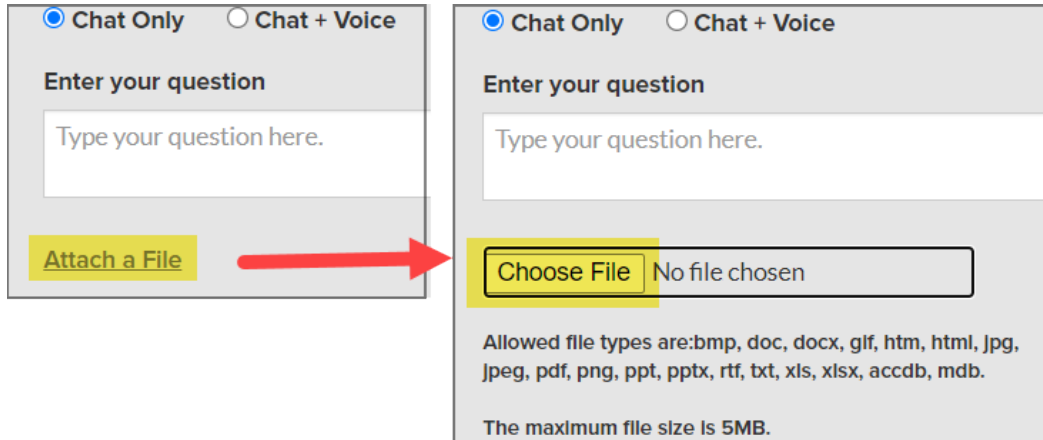
The screenshot shows a section titled "How would you like to work with your tutor?". There are two radio button options: "Chat Only" (which is selected) and "Chat + Voice".

3. In the "Enter your question" textbox
 - **Write** what you would like to get help with.



The screenshot shows the "How would you like to work with your tutor?" section with "Chat Only" selected. Below it is a text input field with the placeholder text "Enter your question" and "Type your question here.".

4. If you have a file to share with your tutor:
 - Click the **"Attach File"** link
 - Click the **"Choose File"** button
 - **Select the file** you want to talk about with your tutor



Step 4: Start your session

Click on the **"CONNECT NOW"** button to connect with a tutor.

NOTE: Tutoring sessions are recorded if you need help remembering something your tutor said. You'll also be able to email or print the text-chat and whiteboards.

Step 5: Rate and review your session

A survey window appears after end of session

1. Fill out the ratings
2. Add any feedback in the textbox
3. Click the “**Submit**” button

Please answer this survey.

1) I thought my tutor was:
 Excellent Very Good Good Fair Poor

2) I thought the classroom was:
 Excellent Very Good Good Fair Poor

3) Would you recommend this service to a friend?
 Yes No

4) Are you glad Johnson County Public Library (JCY) offers this service?
 Yes No

5) Is this service helping you:
complete your homework assignments? Yes No
improve your grades? Yes No
be more confident about your school work? Yes No

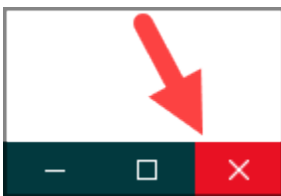
6) Share any feedback here - we really read these!

7) Add this tutor to your favorites?
 Yes No

Submit

Step 6: End your session

1. Click the “**Close**” button at the top of the Tutor.com window.



Start a new session whenever you need help

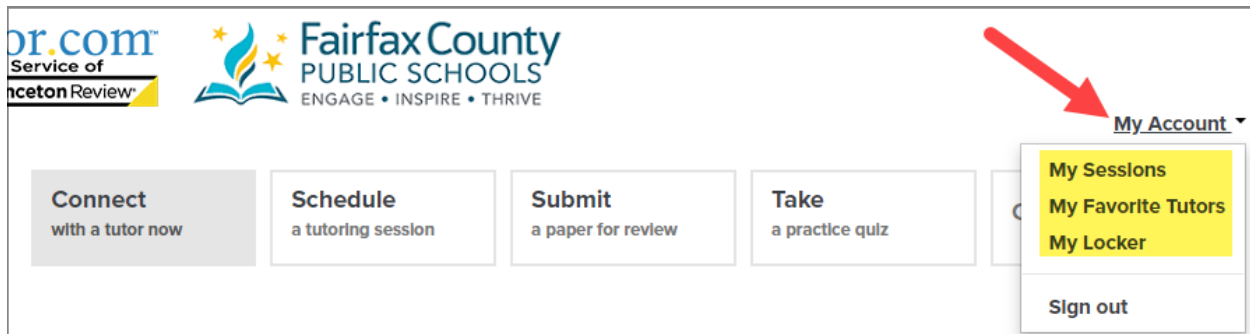
If you want to start a new session right after another session ends, **follow steps 2–6 above.**

NOTE: Make sure the topic you choose is part of the course you chose in Schoology.

Use My Account

The My Account menu on the Tutor.com main page has several sections:

- **My Sessions** - View your saved past sessions.
- **My Favorite Tutors** - Add tutors to your favorites list so you can reconnect with them or see when they are next scheduled in the section.
- **My Locker** - See files you have saved or shared with your tutors.
- **Sign out** - Log out of Tutor.com

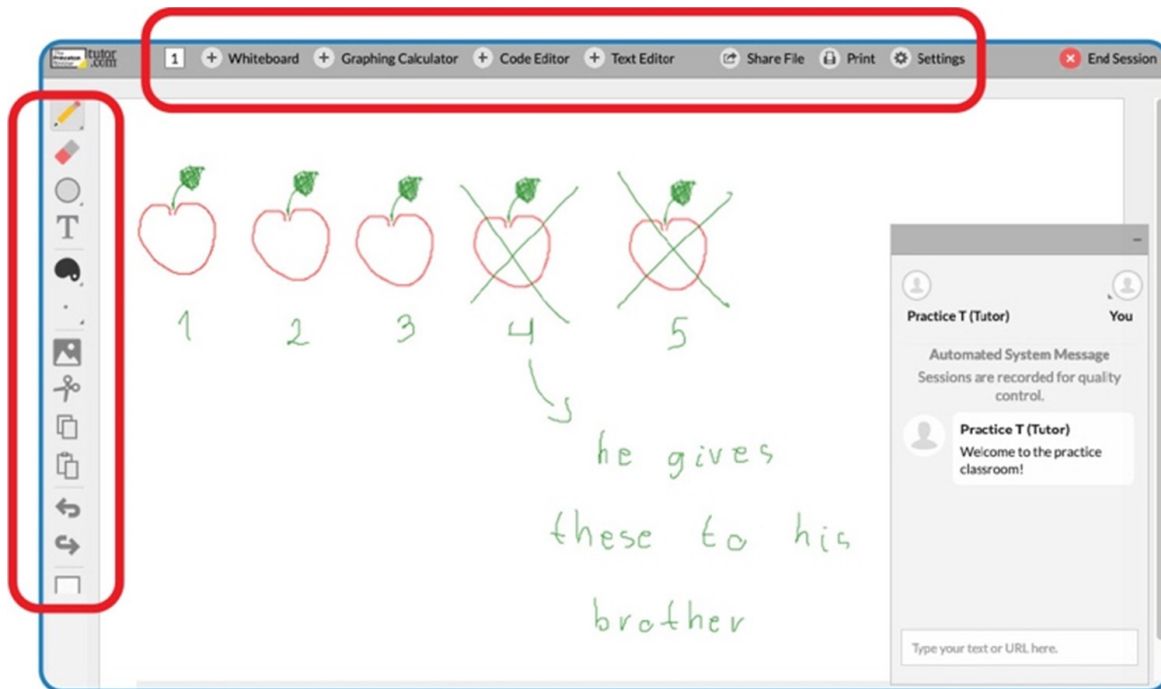


Use Special Tools

In your tutoring session there are many tools available to help you and your tutor communicate. These tools are located across the top of the session window and include:

- **Whiteboard** - Use this board to draw, erase, add shapes, and change colors
- **Graphing Calculator** - Use this tool when working on complex math
- **Code Editor** - Use this option to work on code for computer science
- **Text Editor** - A tool for editing writing

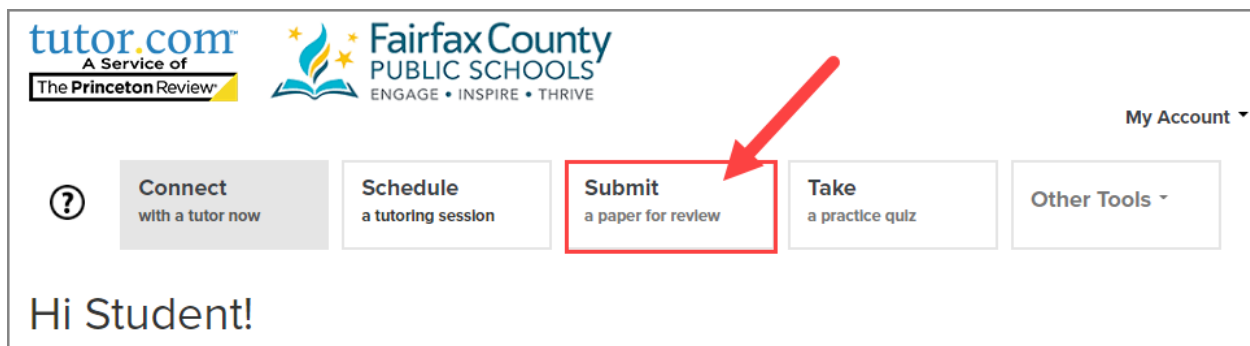
More tools can be found on the left sidebar of the tutoring session.



Writing Help

The **Drop-Off Review** service allows you to get help from a tutor without a live tutor.

Click the "**Submit for Review**" button found on the top navigation of the Tutor.com home page to start the review process.



How the Drop-Off Review Works

1. Upload your writing homework, grammar worksheet, etc.
2. Your tutor will send you helpful feedback within 12 hours.

3. You can see what your tutor said in **My Sessions**.

Practice Quizzes

Practice quizzes are available to help you get ready for Math, Science, and English tests.

Click the "**Take a practice quiz**" button on the top navigation of the Tutor.com home page.

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⓪ Connect
with a tutor now

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Other Tools ▾

Hi Student!

Practice Quiz Steps

1. Take a quiz in the subject of your choice.
2. View your score.
3. Review the questions you answered correctly.
4. Connect with a tutor about anything you missed.

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