

Dear Parent / Carer,

## Get the benefits of 1-to-1 maths tuition this Christmas

Our teachers are hoping to use a new maths tuition platform called Complete Mathematics TUTOR across the school, because it will be a very effective way of improving overall understanding in maths, and so, the results your child will be able to achieve. **And we'd love your help!**

Complete Mathematics have developed TUTOR in response to the COVID recovery needs of our country's students, and are working with schools across the UK to provide the benefits of 1-to-1 tuition to all families. They offer TUTOR through schools for **£1 a week to those that can afford it**, and wherever possible, give it for **free to those that can't**.

They have also just announced a Christmas competition with some incredible prizes donated by their exam board partners, AQA, so it's a great time for us to get involved.

What we're asking is simple. Whatever your circumstances, [sign up for Parent View today](#) so you can see your family's maths universe grow. In addition, to secure you and your child's chances of **winning a MacBook (each!)**, we would love for you to:

- **Encourage your child(ren) to build their maths universe as much as possible** throughout the holidays, to put them in the running for the host of brilliant prizes!
- Consider whether you are able to contribute to the TUTOR movement by **paying for your child's seat** — which in turn, gives a **free seat to a student who is unable to pay** — for automatic entry into a prize draw

We're convinced that TUTOR will be an incredibly effective way of improving understanding in maths, but only if it's used consistently by pupils, and this will need help from home as well as school.

**The new Parent View on TUTOR will allow you to see your whole family's progress**, and even to support them in their work — you can work together, supported by the country's best teachers! **So sign up now:**

TUTOR always gives work at the right level, so it feels achievable in every sitting. With as little as just 15 mins a day, your child would join the top pupils in the country, and may win big!

**So join The TUTOR Movement, and help us beat the catch-up crisis head on!**

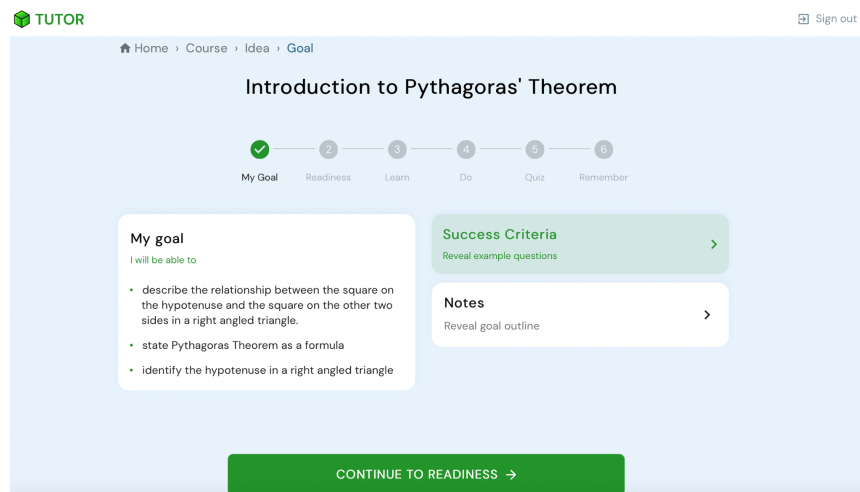
Thank you for your support.

And Merry Christmas!



## What is Complete Mathematics TUTOR?

Complete Mathematics TUTOR is an online maths platform designed to be an affordable, but equally effective, alternative to private tuition. TUTOR covers every level of maths from learning to count all the way up to calculus, and pupils can choose to follow a set course, or let TUTOR choose the right starting point for them.



TUTOR breaks maths topics down into points called 'Goals' that together make up the whole Map of Maths. Every Goal follows the same learning sequence: based on evidence of how we learn and drawing on the neuroscience of memory, we can assess the underlying (or 'pre-requisite') knowledge needed for each point on the map, and then through expert instruction, practice questions and quizzing, make sure that point is learned and remembered, in around 15–20 mins.

TUTOR contains nearly 2000 goals, so there will always be a new topic for pupils to explore!

## How can I support my child using TUTOR?

You can support your child by encouraging them to log in from home and work through the videos and quizzes available to them.

Your child's teacher can also see how many quizzes they have completed, and which courses they are working on — this means teachers can use the information from TUTOR to support your child in their maths lessons even more effectively.

## Why have I been asked to register for parent access?

Your child's school has already signed pupils up for TUTOR, and we have now released a parent page allowing you to monitor your child's progress from home.

**Registering means both you and your child will continue to have access to TUTOR.**

## Parent FAQs

### What is TUTOR?

TUTOR is an online maths tutoring platform consisting of hyper-targeted maths teaching, delivered by qualified teachers, and informed by decades of research into what helps pupils learn.

**My child's teacher set them a 'Diagnostic Test. What is a 'Diagnostic Test', and how does it work?**

The maths universe on TUTOR is divided into 1800 pieces of maths learning, beginning with counting and finishing with calculus. Each of these 1800 pieces has been put in order so that, when a child begins a new topic, they already have in place all the knowledge they will need to understand it. We call this our 'Complete Maths Curriculum'.

The 'Diagnostic Test' is TUTOR's way of finding the best starting point for your child in that curriculum.

The 'Diagnostic Test' will always start with questions from the very beginning of the curriculum. These questions will get more and more difficult as TUTOR tries to find the first point at which your child isn't confident in the maths they are being tested on. Once this happens, the 'Diagnostic Test' will recommend a course for your child to begin studying.

**How can I ensure the 'Diagnostic Test' results are accurate?**

If your child is sitting a 'Diagnostic Test' at home, where possible make sure they have a quiet space to work with no distractions. They should use a pen and paper for their working out before they click an answer on screen – and they should double check answers before submitting them, as they won't be able to go back and check or change these later.

**What do the Stages mean?**

Stages are not the same as academic years – rather, they represent the order in which our curriculum covers each mathematical idea. Each Stage is divided into six parts, and we recommend children study them in order so that they are always ready for the maths coming up next.

**My child says the work is too easy — does this mean they are on the wrong course?**

**Not necessarily — the ‘Diagnostic Test’ will always recommend a course based on the point at which your child started giving wrong answers. The course they are recommended might start with maths they already feel confident in, but it is important they cover it so that by the time they reach the point at which they began making mistakes, they can be sure they have covered all the required knowledge.**

**If you think they have been assigned the wrong course because they accidentally clicked the wrong answer in their ‘Diagnostic Test’, have them redo the test. Make sure that when they do so, they take their time, read the question closely, and are careful to select the correct answer on screen.**

**How do I know which course my child is supposed to do?**

**When you sign in to your Parent Account, you will be able to see which courses they are currently enrolled on. Your child will also be able to enrol themselves onto courses from their account. Courses recommended by your child’s teacher, or by the ‘Diagnostic Test’, will be highlighted.**