

MathsMakers

Maths Intervention Programmes

Trusted partnerships with schools

MathsMakers is an education charity that specialises in working with schools. We have a successful track record helping students in years 6-11 catch up in their maths learning, boosting their confidence and improving their attainment. We have a team of highly-qualified, experienced maths teachers and tutors. MathsMakers is quality marked by the National Resource Centre for Supplementary Education.

In-person and online small-group maths learning

MathsMakers works with disadvantaged students including SEND and EAL students. We offer 10-12 week programmes. Tutorials take place weekdays after-school and on weekends. Students work in small groups, at a pace and level that suits their needs. Our Year 11 programmes target preparation for mock exams and GCSE exams so that students can reach and exceed their target grades.

Work experience for Sixth-Form maths mentors

As part of our in-person programmes, students benefit from additional support from maths mentors. We recruit, train and guide Year 12 students who work with the younger students. In turn, they gain valuable work experience while developing important interpersonal and employability skills. Some Year 12 students use their volunteering towards Duke of Edinburgh awards and to strengthen their UCAS applications.

Successful outcomes

In the catchup following Covid, MathsMakers online programmes have helped close to 600 students in Harrow develop their maths potential. 97% of our students say that the tutorials help them with their maths learning, 95% say they feel more confident about discussing their work in class, and over 90% would recommend MathsMakers to their friends. On average, students have improved their attainment in our assessments by 25 percentage points.

Consistently positive feedback

"The quality of resources and level of attention given to students were excellent, far superior to what the school would have had capacity for. We would recommend MathsMakers to other schools."

Head of Maths, Nower Hill High School, 2020

"I found MathsMakers to be the best among many outside organisations I have had experience with that offer mathematics intervention in schools. Thanking MathsMakers for the care and professionalism they bring to their programmes"

Head of Maths, Park High School, 2020

"MathsMakers has helped me work more independently. I feel more confident and comfortable asking questions, not only in the maths class but also in other classes"

Year 11 Student

"MathsMakers gave my daughter a real boost. She gained more knowledge. The tutor was so lovely. She taught well and explained clearly. Thanks a lot."

Parent

"It was a really good experience. It helped me to take more initiative - when students were not keen, I needed to find ways of encouraging them. It helped me develop my communication skills and my ability to motivate others."

MathsMakers Mentor

Subsidised rates

For online intervention, schools are welcome to work with MathsMakers as part of the NTP School-led Tutoring programme. We charge £14 per student per tutorial. For 2022/23, the NTP School-led Tuition grant can be used to cover 60% of this cost.

For in-person programmes, we charge £5.60 per student per tutorial. We are able to offer this subsidised rate thanks to endorsement and support from John Lyon's Charity and other funders.

So that we can reach a larger number of disadvantaged students, we are keen to work with new schools, and we currently have capacity for Summer term 2023 as well as Summer-break transition programmes.

Contact us

Please contact Helena Mullins at 07816 916538 or email hmullins@mathsmakers.org to explore how MathsMakers can tailor an intervention programme to fit your school's requirements. Further information is also available on our website www.mathsmakers.org.