The Brainery's Homeschool Tutorial Program 2023-2024

THE BRAINERY
A Guiding Light For Your Educational Journey

What is a homeschool tutorial program

A homeschool tutorial program is an educational support program that provides families that are homeschooling, or just want additional support, with lessons and/or live tutoring support.

Here at The Brainery we recognize the variety of needs that families have and aim to support homeschool families as they choose to educate their child(ren).

Who is The Brainery

The Brainery was founded by 2 dedicated educators who have a passion for education. For the past 2 years we have ran a successful homeschool tutorial program. During this time we have worked to strengthen and improve our program to better support the families. In this upcoming year we are increasing our days of instruction, adding electives, providing academic resources for live classes, having live and lesson only options, optional tutoring, and much more.

The Brainery is here for families who are in need of support in their homeschooling journey. Whether they have kids with disabilities, families are only looking for lessons only, or you believe homeschool is out of reach… The Brainery is here to help!

THE BRAINERY SUPPORTS FAMILIES!

The Brainery Difference

When you decide to partner with The Brainery you are choosing to partner with:

- A small dedicated team focused on supporting your family during this journey
- Certified educators who have been in the classroom and are aware of how to support diverse learners
- A platform that organizes and maintains student work, making it easy for portfolio reviews

Program Overview

Included:

- Weekly lesson plans, activities, and grading for 4 Core Subjects (English, Math, Science, Social Studies)
- Live and/or Self-Paced Lessons
- Pre and Post Assessments
  - Reading- DORA ; Math- Adam-7
- After Unit Standard Based Reports in Reading & Math
- Weekly Check-ins

Student Extras ($):

- Academic Resource
- Spanish
- Individual tutoring sessions
- Monthly Activities

Unit Based Learning

The Brainery's Homeschool Tutorial Program is broken down into 1 Intro week and 3 11-week units.

Unit learning allows for student to take an in-depth focus on a particular topic. Each unit will end with a project and students will receive a standard based rubric outlining their progress.

Units

- Intro Week- September 5-7
- Unit 1- September 11 - December 1
  - 1 Week Off (November 20-24)
- Unit 2- December 4 - March 1
  - 2 Weeks off (December 17-29)
- Unit 3- March 5 - May 25
  - 1 Week off (TBA)

Enrollment Limits– 42 Students

7 Students max in each grade band option

- Lesson Plan Only K-2;
- Live Class K-2 (AM/PM);
  - AM 9-11 (3-4 students)/ PM 1-3 (3-4 students)
- Live Class 3-5;
- Lesson Plan Only 3-5;
- Live Class 6-8;
- Lesson Plan Only 6-8

K–2– Live Session or Lesson Plan Only

Reading	Math	Science/ Social Studies
Unit 1: Foundational Reading/Writing Unit 2: Fiction Stories Unit 3: Non-Fiction Stories	Unit 1: Operations and Algebraic Thinking/ Base Ten Unit 2: Measurement and Data Unit 3: Geometry	Unit 1: Geography/ Earth Science Unit 2: Habitats/ Animals Unit 3: Physics/ Famous Scientist

3-8- Live Session or Lesson Plan Only

	Reading/ Language Arts	Math	Science/ Social Studies
3-5	Unit 1: Reading/ Writing Skill Building Unit 2: Book Study (Fiction) Unit 3: Book Study (Non-Fiction)	Unit 1: Operations + Algebraic Thinking w/Base Ten Unit 2: Number of Operations/ Fractions Unit 3: Measurements/ Geometry	Unit 1: Earth Science/ Geography Unit 2: Environmental Science/ Environmental Justice Unit 3: Researching (Science / Social Studies)
6-8	Unit 1: Reading/ Writing Skill Building Unit 2: Book Study (Fiction) Unit 3: Book Study (Non-Fiction)	Unit 1: Ratios and Proportional Relationships/ Number Systems Unit 2: Expressions and Equations/ Functions Unit 3: Geometry/ Statistics and Probability	Unit 1: Biology/ Culture Unit 2: Physics/ Technology Advancement Unit 3: Researching (Science / Social Studies)

Curriculum Sites

- English
  - Foundational Skills: Readworks; IXL; CK-12
  - Book Study- Fish Tank
- Math
  - IXL, Khan Academy; CK-12; Fishtank
- Social Studies
  - K-5: Fishtank
  - 6-8: CK-12
- Science
  - K-5: Mystery Science; CK-12
  - 6-8: Khan Academy; CK-12
- Teacher made and gathered materials

Electives

Language	Academic Resource- English	Academic Resource- Math
Unit 1: Foundations Unit 2: Vocabulary Unit 3: Common Phrases	This class will focus on the needs of the students and will work on supporting their reading, comprehension, and writing abilities.	This class will focus on the needs of the students and will work on supporting their ability to understand, solve, and apply mathematical concepts.

K–2 Schedule

The K-2 groups will meet Tuesday and Thursday in a hybrid group (in-person and virtual) for support with their lessons.

- AM: 9-11 am
- PM: 1- 3 pm
- K-2 Weekly Check-In: Monday 11-11:50 am

3-8 Schedule & Weekly Check-Ins

	Tuesday	Thursday
9-9:50	6-8: Social Studies/Science 3-5: Math	6-8: Social Studies/Science 3-5: Math
10-10:50	3-5: Social Studies/Science 6-8: English	3-5: Social Studies/Science 6-8: English
11-11:50	3-5: English 6-8: Math K-2: Weekly Check-Ins (Reading & Math Coaches)	3-5: English 6-8: Math
11:50-12:35	**LUNCH**	
12:40 -1:20	6-8: Math AR 3-5: English AR	6-8: Math AR 3-5: English AR
1:25-2:05 pm	3-5: Math AR 6-8: English AR	3-5: Math AR 6-8: English AR
2:15-3 pm	6-8 Spanish Foundations 3-5: Weekly Check-Ins (Reading & Math Coaches)	3-5 Spanish Foundations 6-8: Weekly Check-Ins (Reading & Math Coaches)

Tentative Monthly Activities

Our goal is to provide monthly activities were the student can come together and socialize. Below is a tentative list of activities planned for the year.

- September- Cookout
- October- Pumpkin Patch or Apple Picking
- November- Sky Zone
- December- Skating (Regular or Ice)
- January- Bowling
- February- Art Activity
- March- Museum
- April- Farm/Animals/Horseback Riding
- May- Cookout

Packages & Options

Lessons Only- $225 a month

- Yearly: $2,025 (10% pay in full discount)= $1,822.50
- Lesson plans in 4 Core subjects and access to weekly office hours

Live Virtual Classes - $325 a month

- Yearly: $2,925 (10% pay in full discount)= $2,632.50
- 4 Core subjects and access to weekly office hours *(In-Person/Hybrid or 100% Virtual)*
- *K-2 AM/PM Option Selection*

All Inclusive Live Class Tuition- $400

Yearly: $3,600 (10% pay in full discount) = $3,240

Includes: 4 Core subjects (Live or Lesson Plans Only), 2 Academic Resource Classes (Reading/Math for Grades 3-8), Weekly Check-Ins, and Spanish (Grades 3-8)

(In-Person/Hybrid or 100% Virtual)

Multi Student Discount (10%)

A La Carte Options

- **Individual subject/elective- (Virtual Only)**
  - Live Virtual Class $125 a month per class
  - Lesson Plan Only $100 a month per class
- **Choose your own curriculum- $200 a month per subject**
  - Includes weekly lesson plans, activities, and grades
  - Math and Reading Only
  - An additional $50 per individual check in
- **Additional tutoring**
  - $30 for a 30 minute individual session
  - $55 for a 60 minute individual session
- **In-person pod w/adult support (Live Classes Only)**
  - 8:30 am to 3 pm
    - 12 pm pick-up for students who only have AM classes
  - Student will be in an in-person pod with their peers and adult support during virtual instruction
  - K-2 will receive small group support with weekly lessons and concepts
  - (Location TBA/ Southern PG County, MD)

Making This Work

What Student's Need:

- A quiet workplace
- A chromebook or laptop
  - Tablets/Ipads do not allow for all the features
- Headphones (optional)

What We Need:

- Provide a quiet workplace for your student
- Maintain open communication with the academic coach
- **Follow along with lesson plans, ensuring your child does the work and ask questions if they need assistance**

Next Steps

- Complete Homeschool Registration at www.thebraineryexperience.com/homeschool
    - Be sure to make your program and add on selections
    - You will be given a follow up call to confirm your registration and provide you with next steps.
- Contact Dana Green about additional information
    - Danagreen@thebraineryexperience.com