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# **TUTORING INFORMATION**

# Suggestions for Locating Tutoring

- Contact the following:
  - Your child's school to get information on school-sponsored tutoring programs.
  - A local university or college.
  - Your area high school for Future Educators of America or National Honor Society student members who may be willing to tutor. Students wanting to complete the student service learning hour requirements may also be available.

# **Other Resources for Tutoring**

## ✤ <u>BCPS-TV</u>

- Comcast Cable Channel 73, Verizon FIOS Channel 34
- *Math Homework Helpers* is a program provided by The Education Channel. The program schedule may be viewed at the above link.

#### ✤ Baltimore County Public Library- <u>Check web site here</u>

- **Brainfuse** is a live online tutoring available from the Baltimore County Public Library's home page under the <u>Youth</u> tab. A <u>valid library card</u> from the Baltimore County Public Library is required to access this service. This is a free service for all ages, kindergarten through adult learners. Students can <u>chat live with a tutor</u> from 2:00 to 11:55 p.m., seven days a week. Spanish-speaking tutors are available. During the hours that tutors are not available, students can submit questions through **24/7 Help**. A response will be sent within 24 hours.
- Homework Help provides help with homework.
- A+ Math provides help to learn a specific skill such as long division.
- **24-Hour Writing Lab** provides assistance with writing. Students submit a file containing a paragraph, essay, paper, or resume and cover letter for review by a writing instructor. The paper is returned with comments on structure, grammar, style, and content. The purpose of this service is not for the writing instructor to write or edit essays or resumes but to help students better organize and present their thoughts.
- Self Help Test Center and Flashbulb provides practice tests for the SAT and ACT assessments and for specific subject areas. Students receive instant, skill-by-skill results. Flashcards on many subjects are also available.
- TABCO (Teachers Association of Baltimore County) 410-828-6403

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• TABCO will provide a listing of certified teachers of various subjects by geographic location. Services are available year-round.

#### \* Towson University Reading Clinic 410-704-2558

• The clinic provides individual assessment and academic tutoring for ages 5 to adult. Students work individually with master's degree candidates. A small fee is required. Scholarships are available.

#### \* Remedial Education and Counseling Help Program (REACH) 410-467-9247

• This program is a nonprofit organization offering remedial tutoring, enrichment, SAT preparation, and diagnostic testing.

#### Dyslexia Tutoring Program 410-889-5487

The Rotunda, Suite 310, 711 W. 40th Street, Baltimore, MD 21211

• This program teaches reading to low-income children and adults who are dyslexic or have a language-based learning difference. This is accomplished through professional assessment and tutoring by volunteers who are trained in the Orton-Gillingham Approach to reading instruction.