

Aligning Tutoring Curriculum to School Curriculum



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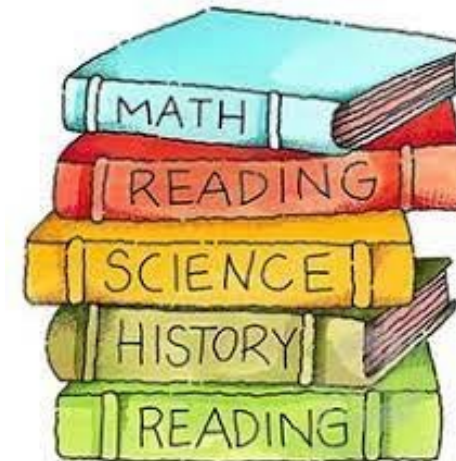
What to Consider:

- Your Curriculum
- What is Curricular Alignment?
- Why Align Your Curriculum?
- Building Relationships
- Requesting Relevant Instructional Materials
- Aligning Your Curriculum



Your Curriculum

- Some programs may respond to what students are learning in class
- Some may provide extension materials
- Some may design a unique curriculum that simply complements school curriculum
- All programs should have a curriculum that is aligned with grade-level standards that is appropriate and rigorous for students



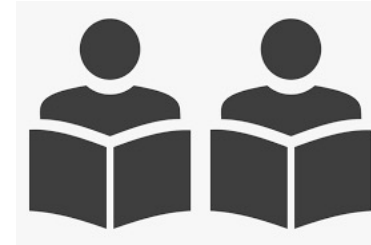
What is Curricular Alignment?

The extent to which tutoring curriculum aligns with students' classroom instruction. Examples of tutoring alignment practices can include using the same terminology and methods in tutoring that teachers use in the classroom.



Why Align Your Curriculum?

- Accelerate student learning
- Improve students' skill and content retention
- Maximize value of tutoring for students
- Help tutors to plan sessions
- Problem-Driven Targets
- Curriculum-Driven Targets



Building Relationships

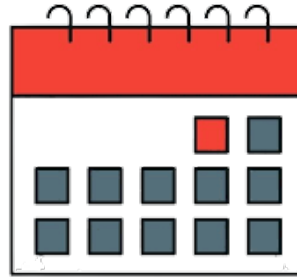
Building relationships with students' teachers, school administrators, and families can be done by:

- Getting access to classroom information
- Aligning with school curriculum for summer or virtual programs
- Providing stakeholders with a rationale as to why you need classroom information to create a successful program



Requesting Relevant Instructional Materials

- Scope and Sequence
- Unit Plans
- Lesson Plans
- Textbooks



Aligning Your Curriculum

- Consider the following questions when considering how to use school curriculum in planning:
 - What foundational skills will students need to be successful in this curriculum?
 - What are the most important standards that students are learning in class?
- Adjust the tutoring scope and sequence to align with classroom curricula
- Create supplemental materials based on students' classroom curricula
- Pull out specific academic language and models used in students' classrooms and build them into tutoring content





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