

Tutoring

For the convenience of families considering hiring a tutor, we have provided a list of current or recent former Lab employees who have expressed their willingness to provide tutoring services for hire, **entirely independently of the School**. Please contact these tutors directly.

Directory Information Key:

- **Orton-Gillingham Certified Level I:** completed 60 hours of training and exam
- **Certified in RAVE-O and /or Phono-Graphix:** completed required training course
- **Reading:** phonics, comprehension, fluency
- **Orton-Gillingham trained:** utilize O-G methods
- **Writing:** basic skills – research papers
- **Math:** basic skills, Pre-Algebra – Algebra, Trig, Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Calculus and Statistics
- **Executive functioning:** note taking, calendar skills, organizing, prioritizing, planning and study skills
- **Spanish**
- **Student populations:** K – 5th, 6th – 8th, high school, adults

Aymara Ayala, M.A. Special Education, Learning Disabilities (K-8)

aymiayala@gmail.com

Available during the school year and the summer

Subjects:

- Reading (phonics, comprehension, fluency)
- Math (K-8)
- Writing (K-8)
- Executive functioning and study skills
- Homework help
- ESL (Spanish/Portuguese)
- Orton-Gillingham trained
- Read Naturally trained
- Writing Revolution trained

Travel:

DC, Arlington, Falls Church, Vienna, Bethesda/Chevy Chase, Silver Spring

Clio Beatty, M.A. Special Education, Learning Disabilities (K-8)

cbeatty86@gmail.com

Available during the summer only

Subjects:

Reading (phonics, comprehension, fluency)

- Math (K-8)
- Writing (K-8)
- Executive functioning and study skills
- Homework help
- Orton-Gillingham trained
- Wilson trained, Read Naturally, Visualizing and Verbalizing, and RAVE-O

Travel:

DC, Arlington, McLean, Falls Church, Vienna, Bethesda/Chevy Chase

Noel Bicknell, MA in Special Education

noelbick@me.com

Subjects:

Specializing in the writing process for grades 4-8

- Content area essays and compositions
- Book reports and Biographies
- Creative writing and arts-integrated projects
- Knowledge of Waldorf education
- Executive function coaching

Travel:

NW DC, Bethesda / Chevy Chase

Colleen Blair M.A.

cblair09@gmail.com

Available for the school year and summer tutoring

Subjects:

- Level I Certified Wilson Language Reading Instructor
- Rave-O Trained
- Reading comprehension
- Homework help
- OG trained
- K-5

Travel:

NW DC, Bethesda / Chevy Chase, Arlington, Falls Church and Potomac

Cristine Colombo, MA.T

cristinec0805@gmail.com

Subjects:

- Reading, Writing,
- Executive Functioning
- Social Studies
- ESL/EFL
- Grades 6th through Adults

Travel:

Old Town/Del Ray, Alexandria, VA
Office space available in Old Town, Alexandria, VA

Christopher Coogen

coogen@gmail.com

Subjects:

- Math
- Science
- Social Science
- Executive Functioning
- Homework Assistance
- Organizational Skills
- Test Preparation
- All grade levels

Travel:

DC Metro Area

Danielle DiBari, M.A. Special Education, Learning Disabilities (K-8)

dibarids490@gmail.com

Subjects:

- Reading (K-6)
- Decoding, fluency, comprehension
- Math (K-6)
- Wilson and O.G. trained, Read Naturally, and Multi-sensory mathematics
- Homework Help
- Executive Functioning

Travel:

DC, Bethesda / Chevy Chase, Arlington, Falls Church and Potomac

Audrey Dolginoff, M.A. Special Education: Learning Disabilities

adolginoff@gmail.com

Available during the summer only

Subjects:

- Reading (phonics, comprehension, fluency)
- Math (basics – Algebra I)
- Writing (fundamentals of writing through help with high school papers)
- Executive Functioning and study skills
- Homework help
- Experience with Phono-Graphix, Wilson, Read Naturally, Visualizing and Verbalizing-Lindamood-Bell
- Orton-Gillingham trained
- Grades K-12th

Travel:

NW DC, Arlington, Great Falls (summer only)

Ciara Figueroa, B.S. Psychology, B.A. SLPA

ciarielee15@gmail.com

Available for the school year and summer tutoring

Subjects:

- Executive Functioning
- Homework Assistance
- Organizational Skills
- Study skills
- Spanish
- arts-integrated projects
- Test Preparation
- Elementary age (K-5th grade)

Travel:

Alexandria/Old Town, Oxon Hill/National Harbor, Rosslyn, Northwest and Southwest DC

Lynn Gudhus, M.A.

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Subjects:

- Orton-Gillingham Certified Level 1
- Developing Reading (phonemic awareness, phonics, decoding)
- Reading Comprehension
- Writing
- Homework Help
- Elementary Age (K-5th Grade)

Travel:

Capitol Hill/Eastern Market; DuPont/Logan Circle

Claire Harris, M.A.

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Available for summer tutoring

Subjects:

- Orton-Gillingham Certified Level 1
- Developing Reading (phonemic awareness, phonics, decoding)
- Reading Comprehension
- Writing
- Homework Help
- Elementary Age (K-5th Grade)

Travel:

Capitol Hill/Eastern Market; DuPont/Logan Circle
Arlington, VA

Kelly Hassan, MA

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Subjects:

- Spanish – all levels, Writing, Math (basics) English literature, Executive functioning
- All student populations

Travel:

NW DC, Arlington, McLean, Falls Church, Vienna, Bethesda/Chevy Chase

Abby Himmelrich, MA

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Subjects:

- Orton Gillingham Certified Level 1
- Reading, Writing, Math (basics)
- Executive Functioning

Travel:

NW DC, Capitol Hill, Potomac, Rockville, Bethesda/Chevy Chase, Kensington, Silver Spring

Sara Hudgins, MA

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Subjects:

- Orton-Gillingham Certified Level I
- Reading (decoding, fluency, vocabulary, comprehension)
- Writing
- Executive functioning
- Homework help
- Study Skills
- All ages

Travel:

NW DC, Montgomery County, and Takoma Park

Caitlin Kriek

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Subjects:

- Social Studies
- Science
- English/Writing
- Math
- Executive Functioning
- Homework Assistance
- Organizational Skills
- Test Preparation
- All grade levels

Travel:

DC/MD/VA - Metro Accessible Only

Charlotte "Charlie" Lefkowitz, M. Ed and M. SPED

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Subjects:

- Writing and grammar, Reading (phonics and comprehension), Math of all levels and trained in Multi-sensory math instruction, Technology and Computers
- K-12th grades

Travel:

DC, MD, VA

Avery Luck, M.A. Special Education

avery.anne.luck@gmail.com

Subjects:

- Math –K through 6th (multisensory instruction)
- Writing – Sentence structure, paragraph writing, and grammar (multisensory instruction)
- Homework help and study skills

Travel:

NW DC, Bethesda, Chevy Chase, Cabin John, Potomac, Kensington, Silver Spring, Rockville, Arlington, Falls Church, McLean

Dr. Brooke Maxfield

brookedavismaxfield@gmail.com

B.S. Interdisciplinary Liberal Studies with a concentration in math and science,
M.S. in Middle Education,
M. Sc. In Educational Research Methodology,
Ph.D. in Educational Psychology, Measurement and Evaluation,
Ed. S. in School Leadership

Subjects:

- Math (basic skills, Pre-Algebra, Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Geometry)
- Executive functioning
- Student populations (K -adult)

Travel:

DC, Arlington, McLean, Falls Church, Alexandria, Vienna, Bethesda/Chevy Chase, and other areas if needed.

Richard H. Meltzer, MA, M.Ed.

richardhmeltzer@gmail.com

Subjects:

- English, Social Studies, Writing, Algebra I & II, SAT Preparation, Executive functioning coaching,
- Grades 6 through adult

Travel:

DC Metro area including Montgomery County, Fairfax County, Loudoun County

Christina Mills, M.A Special Education, Learning Disabilities (K-12)

christinamills17@gmail.com

Subjects:

- Reading (phonics, comprehension, fluency)
- Orton-Gillingham trained (Level 1)
- Math
- Writing
- Executive Functioning and study skills
- Homework help

Travel:

NW DC, Montgomery County

Mark Moverman, MS

mmoverman@aol.com

Subjects:

- Physics, Chemistry, Calculus (including AP for all three) and Pre-Calculus
- Grades 9 - adults

Travel:

NW DC

Amanda Palmer, MA

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Subjects:

- Orton-Gillingham trained, Reading, Writing, Math (basics), Executive functioning
- Grades K-5th and Adults

Travel:

NW DC, Arlington, Great Falls, Bethesda / Chevy Chase

Darrel Parker, MA

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Subjects:

- Science (basics), Physical Science, Earth Science, Executive functioning
- All student populations

Travel:

NW DC, Bethesda / Chevy Chase, Silver Spring, Kensington, Rockville, Falls Church

Micaela Procopio, MA Public History & Holocaust Education

procopi4@msu.edu

Available year-round (unavailable June & July 2019)

Subjects:

- Social Studies (history, government, geography, humanities)
- Homework Help
- Executive Functioning (organization skills, time management, etc.)
- Writing (essays, creative writing, persuasive, book reports, biographies)
- ACT & SAT Prep
- Advanced Placement Test Help (history & English only)
- College Application Help
- Grades: 4th-college

Travel:

Arlington, Alexandria, Mclean, Falls Church, Vienna Foggy Bottom, Dupont, L'enfant, Metro Center, Bethesda

Amy Reichert

sergaya@aol.com

Subjects:

- Reading, Writing, Math (basics)
- Grades K – 5th

Travel:

NW DC

Meredith Reynolds, MA, M.Ed.

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Subjects:

- Orton-Gillingham trained
- Short and long term tutoring – interest-centered instruction and/or remediation in reading, writing, and related content courses, college writing, writing in the workplace, executive functioning
- All Student Populations (grades 1-12, college, adult)

Travel:

DC (NW), Loudoun County Great Falls, Fairfax County, Warren County, Fauquier County

Bethany Schroeder, MA Special Education: Learning Disabilities

bethany@jfschroeder.com

Subjects:

- Orton-Gillingham Certified - Level 1
- Reading
- Writing
- Math
- Executive Functioning
- Homework Help

Travel:

DC Metro Area

Joyce Schueftan

Joyces703@comcast.net

Subjects:

- Speech Language Pathologist trained in Orton-Gillingham, Wilson, Phonographix, Reading Recovery, Read Naturally.
- Specialize in reading and content area challenges due to language impairments.

Travel:

Reston, Herndon, McLean, Vienna, Arlington

Heather Sills, MA

heather.sills77@gmail.com

Subjects:

- Reading (phonics, comprehension, fluency);
- Orton-Gillingham Certified - Level 1;
- Trained in Wilson, Foundations, LIPS, Seeing Stars, Read Naturally, Junior Great Books, Phono-Graphix, Sounds in Motion;
- Math (basics); Writing;
- Executive Functioning; Homework help; Study Skills
- All student populations

Travel:

NW DC, Bethesda, Chevy Chase, Silver Spring, Potomac, Kensington, McLean

Jodi Susser

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Subjects:

- Orton-Gillingham trained, Reading, Writing, Math (basics), Executive functioning
- Grades K – 8th

Travel:

Bethesda / Chevy Chase, Potomac, Rockville

Adam Toal, M.Ed in Elementary/Special Education

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Subjects:

- Reading Specialist (Trained In: Orton-Gillingham, Slingerland, Phonographix, Wilson)
 - Reading Fluency/Comprehension (Explicit/Inferential Reasoning, Vocabulary in Context, Main Idea/Supporting Detail, Clarifying Devices)
 - Written Expression
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Liora Valero

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Available for the school year and summer tutoring

Subjects:

- Specialty in arts-integration across subjects
- All ages, all subjects except math only up to Intermediate Age(K-5)
- Executive Functioning
- Homework Assistance
- Organizational Skills
- Study skills
- Spanish
- SAT & ACT Test Preparation
- Voice and music lessons
- Private art lessons

Travel:

Hyattsville and surrounding areas of Maryland, McLean, VA, and all quadrants of Washington D.C.

Tim Wetsell, M.A.

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Subjects:

- Orton-Gillingham trained
- Reading, writing, history
- College entrance essays
- Executive functioning
- Grades 7-12

Travel:

NW DC, Bethesda, Chevy Chase

Lauren Wilhelmy

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Subjects:

- Orton-Gillingham Certified Level I
- Reading - phonics, comprehension, fluency, decoding
- Homework Help
- Elementary Age (K-5th Grade)

Travel:

Dupont Circle, Georgetown, Arlington, McLean, Falls Church

Susie Wolk, MA

susiewolk@gmail.com

Subjects:

- Certified in Phono-Graphix and RAVE-0
- Trained in Great Books Shared Inquiry,
- Orton-Gillingham Wilson, Reading, Writing, Spanish Levels 1 and 2,
- Executive Functioning
- Grades 4 - college

Travel:

Potomac, Rockville, Chevy Chase/Bethesda, Kensington, NW DC