# How Sylvan's Personalized Tutoring Compares ... to Private Tutors, Kumon, Mathnasium & Huntington

When it comes to **Personalized Tutoring**, no one gets results like Sylvan. Here are ways that Sylvan soars above the rest:

#### Results you can count on.

We've been delivering results for 40+ years! Our students typically see up to **3 X more growth** in their math and reading scores than other students.

#### A team you can trust.

Your local educational experts use a proven process to **guarantee your child gets results**. But we don't just boost your child's scores — we boost confidence too!

#### The best learning experience.

Your child gets a highly **customized learning plan** for their exact needs, skills and pace. We set your child up for success from the very beginning.

#### How do other tutoring solutions measure up?

Sylvan is the best choice. Here are more reasons why:

Designations based on information from national branded websites.

	Sylvan	Private Tutors	Huntington®	Kumon®	Mathnasium®
Measurement & Results					
Guaranteed skill progress: Students will demonstrate mastery of at least 50 skills in 50 hours of instruction	<b>✓</b>	×	×	×	×
Proven results backed by third-party research studies	<b>V</b>	×	<b>V</b>	×	<b>/</b>
Teaching Profile & Environment					
Team of education experts, including a state- certified Director of Education on staff, to ensure your student always has a tutor	~	×	×	×	×
Low student-to-tutor ratio	<b>✓</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	X	/
Individual, adaptive learning plans that adjust in real time using advanced technology	<b>✓</b>	×	×	×	×
Dedicated, professional learning environment	<b>V</b>	varies	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	/
Proven, systematic motivational system for kids that rewards positive academic behaviors like effort, perseverance and positive attitude with prizes and tokens	<b>V</b>	varies	×	varies by location	×
Educational Program Overview					
Robust proprietary curriculum in math and reading that's aligned with college and career readiness standards	<b>~</b>	×	<b>V</b>	×	×
Computer-adaptive assessment tests and progress assessments that are consistently updated and validated from nationally recognized testing partner	<b>/</b>	×	×	×	×
Digital instruction delivery system allows our teachers to provide interactive and personal lessons that adapt to your child's exact skill level and pace	<b>V</b>	×	×	×	×
Parent portal with online progress tracking	V	×	×	×	×
Proprietary online learning activities for kids to continue learning outside of Sylvan	<b>V</b>	×	×	×	×
Regularly-scheduled progress meetings for parents	<b>V</b>	X	<b>V</b>	×	<b>V</b>
Diversification of Programs					
Reading, writing, math, algebra, geometry, study skills, ACT® and SAT® test prep, state test prep, robotics, coding, engineering, science, college readiness and more to support the full child	V	varies	×	×	×

#### Sylvan's proven method

At Sylvan, we provide a personalized and engaging learning experience every step of the way. We do that through our proven **Sylvan Method™ that's guaranteed to provide results for your child!** 



#### **HOW IT WORKS**

ASSESS: Using a computer adaptive assessment, we evaluate your child's strengths, needs, beliefs and behaviors, so we know exactly where to start.

PLAN: We create a personal learning plan that's unique to your child's needs, so he or she can achieve success quickly.

**TEACH:** Our expert tutors adapt to your child's skill level and pace in real time. (Yes, those are smiles you're seeing!)

**APPLY:** Results matter — to you and to us! We measure and reward progress to engage your child. And we guarantee progress.

All along the way, we interact with you and your child's classroom teacher on a consistent basis. This helps ensure your child is applying the skills being learned at Sylvan in school, and you're seeing a difference at home.

## How the Sylvan Method compares to tutors and other learning centers

#### How Sylvan compares to private tutors

How do you know private tutors will deliver results? What if your child needs help in multiple subjects?

Our friendly, certified teachers not only know your local curriculum, but they're also ready to support you with many subjects. Plus, Sylvan uses a proven process to **guarantee your child gets results.** Our Sylvan Insight™ Assessment pinpoints the exact areas to focus on right away, so **you can reach your goals and get results faster**.

#### How Sylvan compares to Kumon

Kumon's method focuses primarily on "students' ability to self-learn" — from completing worksheets without direct instruction to completing daily homework that parents have to grade.

When it comes to mastering math and reading, independent learning only goes so far. Our interactive, hands-on learning led by passionate tutors makes learning a more engaging and rewarding experience for your son or daughter. And with our personalized learning approach, we focus on what your child needs without repeating skills he or she has already learned.

### How Sylvan compares to Mathnasium

Mathnasium is a "math-only learning center" with math help, math enrichment and high school math.

Sylvan provides expert help in all subject areas — from help in reading, writing, test prep and study skills, through enrichment in robotics, coding, engineering and more.

As your child's learning needs evolve, we can grow with him or her to provide the comprehensive support needed to be successful in school and in life.

## How Sylvan compares to Huntington

The pen-and-paper curriculum you get at Huntington can only go so far.

At Sylvan, our certified tutors use our technology teaching platforms to adapt and respond to your child's pace and skill level in real time and keep your child engaged in learning.

Our proprietary instructional system called SylvanSync™ allows us to place your child in the exact spot he or she needs to be, and it tracks his or her progress.

This way, you know your tutoring is working!

Get the results you're looking for!

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