

**Iowa Department of Education  
Approved Supplemental Educational Services Providers  
2010-2011 School Year**

(05/10)

**1. A+ Learning Solutions (Online services)**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Reading, language arts, writing, and math
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-8
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 500
- **Service Area:** Statewide
- **Time of Service:** Before/After school; weekends
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 5/1
- **Cost:** \$62/hour/student
- **Approved:** 08/09
- **Program Description:** A+ Learning Solutions provides lots of options for families. Students can receive one-on-one or small group instruction in reading and/or math. A+ Learning Solutions provides tutoring sessions at times and days convenient for families.
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**2. Academic Tutoring Service**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** English, language arts, math
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 2500
- **Service Area:** Statewide
- **Time of Service:** After school, weekends, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 1/1 or 5/1
- **Cost:** \$55/hour/individual student or \$40/hour for group tutoring
- **Approved:** 08/09
- **Program Description:** Academic Tutoring Services is designed to help students improve their skills in reading, language arts and math. Tutors use proven strategies to help students learn the reading and math skills needed to do well in school. The school, the parents and tutors work together on the tutoring schedule and location. Parents receive ongoing, written feedback on the progress of their children.

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### **3. AEA 267 – “Ladders to Learning”**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Math and reading
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** PreK-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** Dependent on district(s) served
- **Service Area:** All districts in AEA 267/Students’ home school
- **Time of Service:** Before/After school, weekends
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 3/1
- **Cost:** \$250/student/minimum of six hours
- **Approved:** 03/07
- **Program Description:** “Ladders to Learning” – AEA 267, provides support services to increase student achievement based on the student’s unique learning needs. These services will be provided in collaboration with the local school district. Services will take place at the child’s school.
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### **4. ATS Project Success (Online services)**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Reading, language arts, mathematics
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-8
- **Number of Students to be Served:** Unlimited (via Internet)
- **Service Area:** Statewide
- **Time of Service:** Before/after school, weekends, summer, evenings, school vacations
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 1/1
- **Cost:** \$60/one hour session/student
- **Approved:** 10/09

- **Program Description:** ATS Project Success offers mathematics, reading and language arts tutoring online in the student's home. A computer is loaned to each student with access to the SuccessMaker tutoring program via an internet service provided by ATS. Students work on a flexible schedule that meets individual needs, with support from tutors via e-mail, traditional mail, and the telephone.

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## **5. Babbage Net School (On-line Services)**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** English language arts (reading vocabulary, language usage and writing), math, science, social studies, Spanish
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** 1-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 5000
- **Service Area:** Statewide
- **Time of Service:** Before/after school, weekends, summer; program is available 24/7
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 1/1
- **Cost:** \$40/hour for average program length of 40 hours
- **Approved:** 05/08
- **Program Description:** The Babbage Net School online tutorial program is an individualized, self-paced instructional program supported by full interaction and monitoring of a certified teacher. The self-paced instructional allows students to progress as fast as their ability will allow or as slowly as necessary to achieve success. Certified teachers provide the support and assistance needed to assure success by every student.
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## **6. Beyond the Bell After School Program**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Reading and math
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-8
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 300

- **Service Area:** Sioux City
- **Time of Service:** After school, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 10/1
- **Cost:** Varies depending on number of students and length of time
- **Approved:** 01/03
- **Program Description:** Beyond the Bell After School Program offers academic instruction in reading and math through individual tutoring and small group learning. The Sioux City Community School District is partnered with Beyond the Bell and United Way to provide certified teachers and instructional improvement using research-based strategies for students in grades K-8.
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## **7. Brainfuse One-to-One Tutoring (On-line Services)**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Math, reading and writing (language arts)
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** 3-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 20 - 5000
- **Service Area:** Statewide
- **Time of Service:** Before and after school, weekends, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 1/1
- **Cost:** \$45/hour
- **Approved:** 08/05
- **Program Description:** Brainfuse provides one-to-one online tutoring in math, reading and writing/language arts to students in grades 3-12. Students communicate with live tutors through our unique online classroom. All that is required is a computer with internet access.
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## **8. Cedar Rapids Community School District**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Reading and Mathematics

- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-5
- **Number of Students to be Served:** Any student from an eligible SINA in the Cedar Rapids District
- **Service Area:** Cedar Rapids District – SINA schools required to provide SES: Johnson, Polk, Hoover, Harrison, Van Buren, Cleveland, Wilson, Grant Wood, Hiawatha; and other schools that may be required to provide SES in the future
- **Time of Service:** Before and after school, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 1/6
- **Cost:** \$875/year
- **Approved:** 05/10
- **Program Description:** The Cedar Rapids Community School District Extended Learning Program (ELP) is intended for students experiencing difficulty in meeting the district's curricular standards, which are aligned with the Iowa Core Curriculum in reading and mathematics. The program is an extension of the CRCSD curriculum and will be focused on supporting individual student needs. Collaboration between CRCSD teachers and ELP teachers will allow for a seamless approach to learning for students.
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## **9. Davinci Learning Center (Accell Online Services)**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Language arts, math, science
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** 3-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 10,000
- **Service Area:** Statewide
- **Time of Service:** After school
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 5/1
- **Cost:** \$40/hour
- **Approved:** 08/09
- **Program Description:** Accel Online provides one-on-one and group tutoring online in four subjects: math, science, comprehension, and writing. Math and language arts students use a whiteboard and science students use computer simulations to perform digital experiments. Teachers are credentialed or have degrees and years of experience in tutoring K-12 students.
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#### **10. DMPS Extended Learning Services**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Reading, mathematics
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-8
- **Number of Students to be Served:** Any student from an eligible SINA building in the Des Moines district
- **Service Area:** Des Moines Public School
- **Time of Service:** Before/after school, weekends, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 6/1
- **Cost:** NA
- **Approved:** 10/09
- **Program Description:** DMPS Extended Learning Services provides support to increase achievement based on the student's unique learning needs. These services will be coordinated with the DMPS curriculum and academic programs. Services will take place at the student's school to extend instruction and provide additional practice opportunities for those participating.
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#### **11. EduCare Learning Centers, Inc.**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Remedial reading, writing and math
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** Unlimited
- **Service Area:** Unlimited – statewide provider
- **Time of Service:** Individualized tutoring provided at each school immediately after each school day. Summer programs also available.
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 3/1
- **Cost:** Subject to applicable Title I funding
- **Approved:** 12/03

- **Program Description:** EduCare’s individualized remedial reading, writing and math programs are provided at the school immediately after each school day. Individualized instruction standards-based and data-driven featuring EduCare’s proprietary *KewUp!* Supplemental model. The program has an emphasis on direct instruction and formative assessment with a proven track record of measurable results based on standardized pre- and post- assessments. The company is Iowa-based, independent, and non-franchise. Multi-year SES Grade Level Equivalency gains data are available on the company website for review. EduCare Contracted Services is a statewide provider of Supplemental Educational Services under NCLB.

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## **12. Failure Free Reading (On-line Services)**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Reading, language arts
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** Unlimited (via Internet)
- **Service Area:** Statewide
- **Time of Service:** Before/after school, weekends, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 5/1
- **Cost:** \$38/one hour session; 2 sessions/week; 30-40 instructional hours
- **Approved:** 01/05
- **Program Description:** Research-based multimedia intervention for struggling readers. Based on 20+ years of research and development.
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## **13. Huntington Learning Center, Inc.**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Reading, language arts, mathematics
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 3000
- **Service Area:** Districts in the following counties: Dallas, Polk, Warren, Johnson, Linn, Scott, Dubuque, Black hawk, Bremer, Pottawattamie, Woodbury

- **Time of Service:** Before/after school, weekends, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 6/1
- **Cost:** \$50/ hour session; minimum of 30 hours
- **Approved:** 10/09
- **Program Description:** Huntington Learning Center has offered high quality supplemental educational services to students for over thirty years. Comprehensive testing and subsequent individualized instruction in reading, mathematics, and language arts is provided to students in grades K-12, either at a Huntington center or through an on-site program.
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#### **14. “Keys to Learning” – Keystone AEA 1**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Math and reading
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** Unlimited
- **Service Area:** All districts within AEA 1 service delivery area
- **Time of Service:** Before/after school, weekends
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 3/1
- **Cost:** \$250/student
- **Approved:** 04/08
- **Program Description:** “Keys to Learning” – Keystone AEA provides support services to increase student achievement based on each student’s unique learning needs. These services will be provided in collaboration with the local district. Services will take place at the student’s school.
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#### **15. “Learning Connections” – Mississippi Bend AEA 9**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Primary Grades – Math and reading; Secondary Grades – Technology Integration and Social Skills

- **Grade Levels to be Served:** 2-11
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 2000
- **Service Area:** All schools in AEA 9 service delivery area
- **Time of Service:** After school
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 10/1
- **Cost:** NA
- **Approved:** 06/05
- **Program Description:** The Mississippi Bend AEA's Learning Connections offers academic instruction in reading and in math through individual tutoring, small group learning, and integrated technology components. The Mississippi Bend AEA provides educational services to schools and students in the AEA 9 service delivery area. Learning Connections is an instructional program that utilizes research-based instructional strategies in math and reading designed to enhance student learning for students in grades 2-11.
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#### **16. 1 to 1 Tutor LLC (Online Services)**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Mathematics
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 1000
- **Service Area:** Statewide
- **Time of Service:** Before/after school, weekends, summer, between sessions for year-round schools
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 1/1
- **Cost:** \$59/student/hour session
- **Approved:** 03/10
- **Program Description:** 1 to 1 Tutor provides live, online, one on one Mathematics tutoring for students in grades K-12. Tutors work from a remote site and communicate with students via a headset, microphone, and cyber-tablet, which are provided to students free of charge. If a student does not have a computer and/or a high-speed internet connection at home, all the tools necessary for the student to participate in our program will be provided. Instruction is offered seven days a week, before and after school, and through the summer.
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### **17. Sylvan Learning Center**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Academic reading, writing skills, study skills, State Test prep, Math Essentials, College prep, SAT/ACT prep
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** PreK-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** Unlimited
- **Service Area:** Ames, Cedar Rapids, Coralville and Urbandale areas
- **Time of Service:** After school, weekends, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 3/1 for traditional Sylvan program; 8/1 for the ACE IT! Program
- **Cost:** \$28-42/hour/depending on size of group
- **Approved:** 08/09
- **Program Description:** Sylvan Learning tutors will help children succeed in math, writing and reading, and provide homework help and guidance with study skills, including state test preparation and SAT/ACT test preparation.
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### **18. Sylvan Learning Center of the Cedar Valley**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Reading, Writing, Study Skills, Math Essentials, College prep, SAT/ACT prep
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-12 for Reading, K-8 for Math (including Algebra and Integrated Math)
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 200
- **Service Area:** AGWSR, Cedar Falls, Denver, Dike-New Hartford, Hudson, Independence, New Hampton, Oelwein, Waterloo, Waverly
- **Time of Service:** After school, weekends, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 3/1 for traditional Sylvan program in the Sylvan Center; 8/1 for larger groups

- **Cost:** \$20-\$49/hour/depending on size of group
- **Approved:** 01/10
- **Program Description:** Sylvan Learning Center's instruction is based on individual students' academic assessments. Through mastery learning, we remediate skill gaps; through personalized lesson plans we enhance academic achievement and increase confidence.
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#### **19. Susan Seidenfeld**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Math
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** K-6
- **Number of Students to be Served:** Dependent on scheduling
- **Service Area:** Des Moines, Urbandale, West Des Moines
- **Time of Service:** After school, weekends, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 1-5/1
- **Cost:** TBA
- **Approved:** 09/04
- **Program Description:** NA
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#### **20. Tornado Learning Club (TLC)**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Math, reading
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** 5-8
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 60
- **Service Area:** Storm Lake
- **Time of Service:** Before/after school
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 10/1
- **Cost:** \$766/child/year

- **Approved: 10/05**
- **Program Description:** The Tornado Learning Club, Storm Lake Middle School's Before and After School Program, is designed to provide three major core programs to meet students' needs: a.) to provide a safe, drug/violence-free environment after school, when most crimes against children or by children occurs, where they can improve academically and socially; b.) to improve students academically through homework help, reading and math tutorials and silent reading; c.) to open students' minds and create curiosity and desire to learn through hands-on enrichment activities.
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## **21. Van Buren Community Schools**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Math, reading
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** PreK-12
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 100
- **Service Area:** Van Buren Community School District
- **Time of Service:** After school, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** 6/1
- **Cost:** \$4.93/hour/student for 4-hour session
- **Approved: 03/07**
- **Program Description:** NA
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## **22. Waterloo Community Schools**

- **Subject Areas Covered:** Reading, language arts, math
- **Grade Levels to be Served:** 6-8
- **Number of Students to be Served:** 400
- **Service Area:** Waterloo
- **Time of Service:** After school, weekends, summer
- **Student/Instructor Ratio:** Dependent on number of participating students

- **Cost:** \$6.47/student for 1.5 hours of instruction
- **Approved:** 04/04
- **Program Description:** Waterloo's supplemental services program provides individual, small group and whole group instruction in reading and math. The program is intended for students experiencing difficulty in meeting the district's requirements in reading and math. The program is an extension of the student's day and the focus of instruction is based on the student's specific needs based on assessment and collaboration between the student's teacher and the supplemental services instructor.
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