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**MAY 2018** 

### **TUTORS**

NAME	GRADE	SUBJECT(S)	AVAILABILITY	
Azizian, Carol	6 – 12	English, Literature, Reading All Year		
248-892-2219		Social Studies, Wr	iting	
	Language Arts			
Mostor's in Education	from University	of Michigan DA His	oton ( 0 Lluc	anitina (inalu

Master's in Education from University of Michigan. BA, History & Humanities (includes English). Certified in English and History. Taught 9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> grade English. Teaches middle school English at St. Joseph School in Lake Orion: grades 6-8.

Bieniek, Julie 6-12 Spanish All Year 248-879-8108

Bachelor of Arts in Spanish Language & Literature with Departmental Honors from Oakland University. 17 years tutoring experience

**Bodiya, Carol** K − 12 Reading, Writing All Year **586-243-8235** 

BA in English with additional graduate level classes in Reading and Language Arts. Writing support for book reports, compositions, essays, research papers, applications, and resumes. Guidance during any part of the writing process: brainstorming, organizing ideas, sentence & paragraph structure, word choices, punctuation, transitions, proofreading, editing, rewriting. Flexible hours and online assistance possible after the initial tutoring session/s. carol@bodiya.com

**Caldwell, Mary Jo** K – 12 Reading, Writing, Science All Year **248-375-9588** Math, Spelling, Social Studies

Former Special Education Para-Educator (15 yrs.) Worked w/students with learning disabilities and special needs. Trained in Orton Gillingham Phonics approach to reading and writing skills; SenseAble Reading/Spelling; Everyday Math; Science, and Social Studies. 21+ years tutoring experience.

Cartwright-Calloway, Yvonne K-8 Math All Year 248-736-3793

Master of Arts in Teaching. Certified K-8 teacher, with 30+ years teaching experience. Math Endorsement grades 6-8. Tutor at Mathnasium, Downtown Rochester.

**Chaloult, Linda** 6 - 12 Pre-Algebra, Algebra I & II, All Year **248-495-5160** Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Intro to College Math ACT & SAT Prep

BA in Mathematics; Master's in Education. Former teacher and very experienced in the Rochester Schools math curriculum. "With over 15 years of experience tutoring mathematics in the Rochester school district, I have helped students from all levels (regular, honors and accelerated students) significantly raise their math grades and test scores. Everyone's needs are different, so please feel free to call for consultation on your child's specific situation." Flexible hours to accommodate your needs.

**DiBartolomeo, Mario** 6 – 12 Math: Pre-Algebra, All Year **248-219-8591** Algebra 1 & 2 Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Trigonometry

Certified math teacher. Bachelors of Science in Secondary Math Education from University of Michigan. 10 years' experience tutoring Rochester Community School students. Available afternoons, evenings and weekends. Can come to your location/home.

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**Emerson, JoAnn** 6 – 12 Mathematics All Year **248-891-5141** 

BS + 30 credits in Mathematics, teaching 7 years Secondary Education. 4 years Learning Solutions tutor. 8 + years RCS tutor. Quality Engineer (Boeing, GE, Motorola) 14 years Applied Math. University of Phoenix and Motorola University certified SPC instructor.

**Frankland, Carol** K – 4 Reading, Math All Year **248-370-8826** Language Arts

Retired Rochester teacher with Masters in reading. Taught for 34 years in Rochester and still active subbing for the district; keeping updated on curriculum. Enjoys working one on one with children and will adjust tutor times to the individual child's needs. Will tutor in my home or yours.

Galante, Laura 248-835-7583

K – 5 Reading, Writing, Math All Year

Has taught/tutored for 15 + years in: England, Australia, Royal Oak, MI and Troy, MI. BA From MSU in Early Childhood (ZA), Language Arts (K-8), and Elementary Education and have a Masters (MACT) in Curriculum and Teaching from MSU. I tutor in: math, reading, writing...etc. and have a plethora of hands on games, activities, and resources for grades K – 5. Familiar with the Rochester Curriculum: Everyday Math, Visible Thinking Routines, Zoo Phonics and more. While customizing lessons to each child's learning style, I will help your child grow and develop with skills, success and confidence! My services also include communication with your child's teacher when needed and debriefing time after each session of objectives achieved. For your convenience, I will come to your home. I provide references of current and past families I've tutored. I make learning fun! <a href="mailto:ldiepenhorst@hotmail.com">ldiepenhorst@hotmail.com</a>

Giedzinska, Anna 248-613-9411 K-12 + college level

Mathematics

All Year

Physics & Economics

Master's Degree in Engineering, substitute teacher for: Rochester, Birmingham and Pontiac School Districts. Tutored with Tutor Doctor. <a href="https://www.mimathtutor.com">www.mimathtutor.com</a>

Hartley, Matthew 248-761-1414

1-12+

Math: Pre-Algebra through Calculus III All Year Chemistry (all levels), Physics (with or without calculus), and Engineering

BS and MS from Wayne State University in Chemical Engineering. I have experience tutoring/teaching children in elementary grades up through adults taking college courses. I currently work full-time as an engineer and part-time as a tutor/teacher. I enjoy very much helping, teaching, and motivating others about important topics in the core sciences. I'm a resident of Rochester Hills and I have flexible availability.

You can email me at: RochesterHills.Tutor@gmail.com

Herriman, Stephanie 248-703-6859

K-12

K-12 Spanish, ESL and Study Skills K-6 Reading, Math Social Studies & Science

All Year

Certified teacher with a Spanish major. BS is Elementary Education and Spanish, Master's degree in Language Education. Endorsements in Spanish, Bilingual Education, English as a Second Language (ESL), Spanish, Science and Early Childhood Education. 10 years' experience teaching all subject areas in a K-8 two-way bilingual immersion classroom. 3 years successful tutoring experience of elementary, middle and high school students.

**Herzig Jessica 586-219-1162** 

6 - 8

Math

All Year

Presently a Rochester Community Schools Math teacher. Experience teaching 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade Math. Certified to teach all subjects for grades K-5<sup>th</sup> and Math/Language Arts for grades 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>. Experience tutoring all subjects and assisting with organizational skills. Graduated from Oakland University.

**Irons, Anita** Pre-K 4 to 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading, Writing All Year **248-505-6343** 

B.A. Degree in Communications from Oakland University. Worked as Co-op Coordinator at OU placing students in jobs related to their field. I have also been teaching elementary aged students beginning piano for the last 12 years privately and through Rochester Community Schools Enrichment. Have done some substitute teaching in Rochester Community Schools for elementary level classes.

Johnson, David7 – 12Pre-Algebra, Algebra 1 & 2All Year248-561-6408Geometry, Trigonometry<br/>SAT and ACT test prep

Rochester resident. 34 years teaching high school math. Highly Effective rating. University of Michigan graduate: Masters in Educational Administration from MSU. 8 years personal tutoring using Rochester Community Schools math curriculum. Flexible hours – can tutor in your home or Rochester Hills Library. Success in helping high school juniors and seniors maximize their SAT and ACT math scores.

**Kallie, Marisa** K-5 Math, Science, Reading All Year **248-506-6090** Language Arts

Masters in Reading & Language Arts, grades K-12 and a Bachelor in Elementary Education with an endorsement in General Science, grades 6-8. Worked as a permanent sub teacher with children of various abilities in the Bloomfield Hills School District. Extensive experience working with Every Day Math curriculum (Chicago Math), K-5. Currently tutoring in the Rochester Community School district. Tutoring sessions tailored to the learning style of the student. Willing to make contact with your classroom teacher to keep pace with current instruction and to determine areas that need strengthening.

**Kharod, Preeti**7-12, some college Pre-Algebra, Algebra I & II All Year **248-656-3137**Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Geometry
ACT & SAT Prep

B.S. (math major) M.S. (statistics concentration), Diploma in Higher Education. 37 years of teaching/tutoring experience. Retired teacher.

**Masko, Stephanie** 1 − 6 Math All Year **248-515-1118** 

Familiar with Rochester Community Schools Math Curriculum as I have taught students for 12 years in the Learning Center at Hampton Elementary & currently at Reuther Middle School. Four successful years tutoring RCS students. Bachelor of Science Degree with Elementary K-8 Certification from Oakland University. Can email: mascofamily@gmail.com

**Maul, Robert D.** K -12 A.P. Physics (1 & C), Chemistry All Year **989-415-6859** 

I am a Michigan certified teacher, currently teaching A.P. Physics 1 (algebra based) and A.P. Physics C (calculus based) at the high school level.

I have a Master's Degree in Science Education and have 12+ years of teaching/tutoring experience. I have taught both chemistry and honors chemistry as well. My goal in a session is to encourage and empower students by helping them gain the confidence and skills they need to succeed.

McGill, Mike6-12Geometry, AlgebraAll Year248-608-2575Calculus, Chemistry, Physics

Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science from Purdue University. Have been successfully tutoring since 2006, in all subjects.

McNeil, AureliaK – 12ACT & SAT PrepAll Year586-677-1096Spanish, French, German & ESL

Available to tutor all year in-home and online, private, group adults & children. Over 20 years of experience as a Michigan certified language teacher. Native language is English. Bachelor's degree with honors in modern languages from Oakland University – Spanish, French and German and a Master's degree in Foreign Language Education and ESL. I also teach for University of Phoenix as a Spanish instructor. <a href="www.TheLanguageProfessor.com">www.TheLanguageProfessor.com</a> or email info@TheLanguageProfessor.com.

**Mukherjee, Dipannita** K – 10 All Subjects All Year (Specializing in Math, Science, Physics, Chemistry and Biology)

#### 248-790-0033

I am a highly qualified and extremely patient instructor with a Bachelors in Engineering and Post Graduate Diploma. My goal is to help your student focus on understanding the concept and develop a strong foundation rather in addition to completing the coursework. I am currently employed by Rochester Community Schools and familiar with their academic curriculum. 8+ years of experience assisting students in all subjects (specializing in Math and Science) as well as experience with assisting students with learning disabilities, cognitive impairment and other special needs. I am currently the teacher sponsor and mentor of the Stoney Creek High School Robotics Team – Cybercats 5436. Previously, I helped coach the Math Olympiad at the Elementary School level. I am willing to come to your house to tutor.

Nelson, Carrie K-8 Math & Reading All Year 248-705-7400

Certified teacher with many years of experience working with at-risk students in grades K-8. Spent 8 years working in the Learning Center at Reuther Middle School, tutoring students primarily in Math & Reading, but have experience in all subjects. Also assisted with test-taking skills and organization skills. Currently working with Sped Ed students at Hart Middle School. Familiar with RCS curriculum. Five years of successful private tutoring experience. Reasonable rates

**Ormsby, Renae** K – 8 Math, Language Arts All Year **248-240-7989** Social Studies

16 years teaching in Rochester/Resource Room teacher. Masters in Learning Disabilities & Emotional Impairments. 16 years at teaching math, 9 years teaching language arts. Four years of co-teaching 6<sup>th</sup> grade math (General Ed.) Tutoring for 5 years.

**Panzer, Jonathan** 9 – 12 Math, Science, All Year **616-717-2322** ACT and SAT Prep

Bachelors of Science in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. Professional, NTA certified tutor with several years of experience. I focus on study habits and comprehension through content related methods to improve grades and overall understanding. In my sessions I balance fun with learning to make the material more memorable and meaningful. Please visit: <a href="https://www.eurekatutoring.org">www.eurekatutoring.org</a> for more information.

# **Pelletier, Nicole** PreK-8 Math and Language Arts All Year **248-891-7205**

I am a certified educator with almost twenty years of experience. I have a degree in Education, two Master's: one from Oakland University in Early Childhood Education and the other from University of Michigan in Special Education. I would love to help your child with their academic needs!

**Petrouneas, Vicky** K-9 Reading, Phonics, Fluency, All Year **248-225-3105** Comprehension, Math & organization Skills

Certified Special Education Teacher; Bachelors in Learning Disabilities, Masters in the Art of Teaching. Highly skilled in the Orton Gillingham Phonics Program. 20+ years teaching and tutoring students with: Learning/Emotional Challenges, Dyslexia, and ADHD. Creative strategies to close academic achievement gaps incorporating social/emotional teaching techniques to increase self-esteem.

**Porreta, Letizia** 9 – 12 Science: Chemistry, Biology (Regular, Honor, AP) All Year Anatomy, Physical Science, Earth Science, Forensic Science & Zoology.

Earned B.S. in Biology & Chemistry and Secondary Education certificate from Oakland University. I also hold an M.S. in Multidisciplinary Science from Wayne State University. Spent 10 years teaching Anatomy, Zoology & Forensic Science at a private school before taking a break to raise my own children. Have tutored for the last 15 years. I would love to help you make sense of science!

Randall, Emma 8-12 Hard Sciences (Anatomy, biology, Chemistry, etc.), 248-561-4323

Social Sciences (Psychology, Sociology, etc.) English, Math through pre-calculus. Rochester High School Alumna and recent graduate of University of Michigan. Bachelor of Science with distinction, double major in Neuroscience and Women's Studies. I have interest and experience in both the sciences as well as the humanities, and I hope to spread my passion for learning to other students from my hometown. I am a current medical school applicant, working as a medical assistant during the day, with hours for tutoring available in the evening and on weekends.

Rauf, Ayesha Pre K-9 Math and Language Arts All Year

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**Roeser, Tracy** 6 – 12 English Language Arts, Pre-Algebra All Year

810-287-5285 Algebra, ACT/SAT Test Preparation

Study Skills

Certified 6-12 teacher with a BA in English and History, RCC employee with knowledge of curriculum and expectations, experienced in SAT/ACT test preparation and all areas of writing and reading, including comprehension, grammar, organization, MLA format, etc. Familiar with RCC Algebra curriculum. Experienced with students who have 504 and IEP plans. Willing to tutor in your home/library/coffee shop. Reasonable rates and flexible hours.

**Rubenstein, Fran** K-12 All Subjects, SAT Prep All Year

**248-330-9423** ESL Students

BA from Northern Iowa University and graduate work at Loyola University, Chicago. 5+ years teaching experience, 20 + years substituting and tutoring experience. Very familiar with Rochester Community Schools curriculum. Experienced in tutoring ESL students. Successfully homeschooled students with learning issues, autism, ADHS, etc....who were then able to return to the classroom. References available.

Scholten, Brian 2 - adult ACT/SAT Prep, Study Skills All Year

**248-229-4968**Math through Calculus, English Physics, Chemistry, Business

Professional, full time tutor with 14 years of experience. Can tutor in any subject and any grade, including AP, IB and college.

**Steiner, Catherine** 6 – 12 Mathematics All Year

**248-613-5254** Algebra, Geometry

Pre-Calculus, ACT Math Prep

BA, B.Ed Mathematics/P.E. 10 years teaching math in high school, 1 year middle school. 15+ year's private tutoring experience. Holy Family Regional School teacher 2010.

**Taylor, Jane** 3 – 6 Math through 6<sup>th</sup> grade All Year

**248-330-9261** Reading/writing through 8<sup>th</sup> grade

Retired Rochester Community School teacher, with 36 years teaching experience in special education, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grades. References available.

**Taylor, Jennifer** 6-12, adult, college English, Writing All Year **810-441-9081** Reading, History

Holds an Education Specialist degree in curriculum from University of Michigan and Reading Specialist degree from Oakland University. 19 years of experience in teaching English Language Arts in grades 8-12 and several years of college level teaching. Previous experience includes 11 years as a high school English teacher, 6 years as a middle school administrator, and is in second year serving as a secondary learning coach, supporting other teachers with their instruction.

**Varughese, Bridget** K – college Science, Biology All Year **313-282-7847** Biochemistry, Microbiology, etc.

I have been teaching biology, microbiology, biochemistry and genetics at Wayne State University, Oakland University and Macomb Community College. I am familiar and aware of various learning styles. Therefore, I can tailor my teaching to what suits you best. Please feel free to contact me if you are in need for help with science subjects.

Wichar, Nancy 4-12 English, Writing, All Year 248-656-3028 Reading, Test Prep

Certified teacher with BA in English and Speech, Master's in Education. Experience as a teacher, language arts and curriculum coordinator. I provide strategies for success in writing and reading. Homework completion and study skill techniques are included in my instruction.

**Wilkins, Nicole** K – 5 Math, Reading & Writing Summer **586-747-0600** 

Master's Degree in Reading and Language Arts from Oakland University. Special Education Degree from Central Mich. Univ. Extensive training in Orton Gillingham Method of Reading. Special Ed. Teacher for RCS. 23 years teaching experience. Trained to administer diagnostic evaluations, interpret results, and develop individualized plans to address students' needs. Willing to tutor in your home. Rates variable depending on location of sessions.

**Young, Nancy** 6 -12 English, Writing All Year **248-650-8682** ACT/SAT Prep

English, Writing, Grammar; 30+ years teaching experience. Taught middle school and high school. Michigan State University Bachelor of Arts in English and journalism; Master of Arts in Teaching. Highly qualified in writing, grammar and literature studies; extensive experience in preparation for the English, writing and reading portions of the ACT/SAT college entrance exams.

**Zale, Carol** 6 – 12 Math → Pre-Calculus All Year **248-766-8627** 

BS Math Education, MA Management. Lake Orion High School math classroom teacher for 30 years. Math department chair for 25 years.

**Zara, Tom** K-college All levels of Math & Spanish All Year All sections of the ACT & SAT

Highly qualified in Mathematics and Spanish. Teaching for 8 years, with the past 6 years being at Adams. I have taught Pre-Algebra, Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2, Trigonometry, Pre-Calculus, AP Calculus, and K-12 Spanish. I have thirteen years of tutoring experience. I tutor all levels of Math & Spanish (I'm fluent in the language as the result of taking formal classes for five years, studying abroad in Guatemala, and being married to a Peruvian native), as well as all sections of the ACT and SAT. Please visit my Facebook page (Zara Tutoring) to see reviews from past/current clients. Call or text above phone number or email: <a href="mailto:Zaratutoring1@gmail.com">Zaratutoring1@gmail.com</a>



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