

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION

MEMORANDUM

TO: District Superintendents

District Instructional Leaders

Principals

FROM: David M. Mathis

Deputy Superintendent, Division of College and Career Readiness

DATE: April 19, 2021

RE: Free Tutoring Services

As we move into the last few months of the school year, some students may find themselves in need of additional academic support. The South Carolina Department of Education (SCDE) and the South Carolina State Library (SCSL) are partnering to offer free online tutoring services, provided by Tutor.com, to any student in South Carolina. In addition to tutoring in content areas, students may also drop off papers for review, seek help in test preparation, or ask specific questions about their work. The around-the-clock service is available seven days per week.

The link provided here, <u>Accessing Tutor.com via Discus | Discus (scdiscus.org)</u>, provides an explanation on how to access the online tutoring service through Discus which is the SCSLs electronic library. Please share this information with teachers and parents who may want to take advantage of the free service.

Please contact me, dmathis@ed.sc.gov, if you have questions or need additional information.