

Academic Online Tutoring- Thinking Storm

Do Hood students have access to tutoring during our online delivery period?

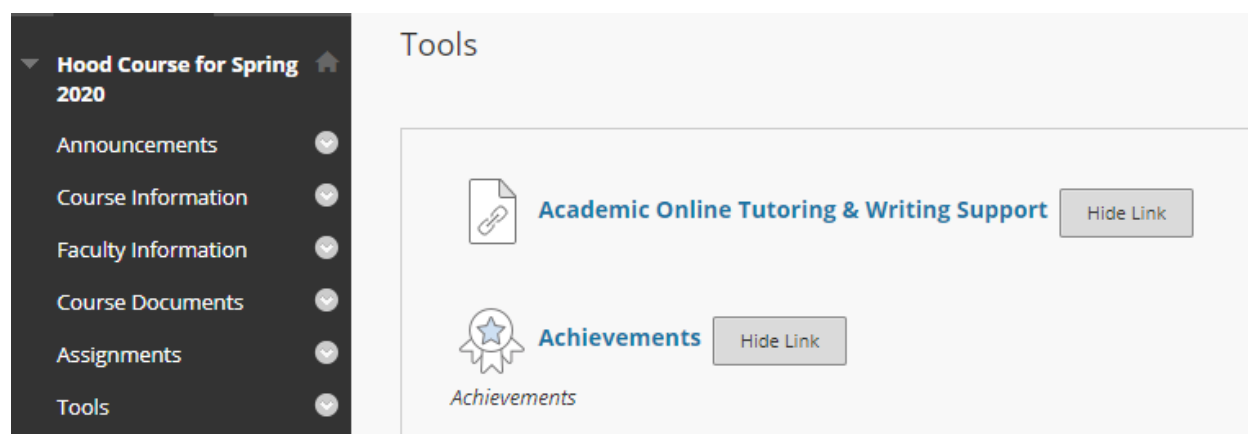
The answer is yes! Students are currently able to access **Thinking Storm**, our professional online tutoring service. We started with this support service in January in our grad school, and we are now pleased to be able to add online tutoring for all students.

Should I use Tutor Trac to schedule tutoring appointments?

No, Tutor Trac is only for appointments face to face at the college and those appointments are not available during this time.

How do students access the online tutoring?

All students can access online tutoring in each of their classes in Black Board. It is located under “tools.” It should be the first icon on that page. After you click on this link, you will be connected to Thinking Storm and be able to choose the subject. You will also be able to choose if you want to schedule a future appointment or “drop-in” tutoring. You can access Thinking Storm 24/7, and it offers convenient evening and weekend hours for students with busy schedules.



What subjects are available for tutoring?

Online tutoring is available in science, nursing, French, Spanish, statistics, business, math, computer science, and writing. Tutoring in history and sociology is available through the writing center. There is also ESL support in the writing center.

Do students have unlimited hours of free tutoring?

Currently, students have up to 10 hours of free tutoring.

Who do students contact if they need technical help with Thinking Storm online tutoring?

Students can contact Thinking Storm Support at 877-889-5996 or care@thinkingstorm.com.

Can students access Thinking Storm through their Blackboard app on their phone?

Yes, however, a device with a larger screen is recommended as the small screen tends to limit the utility of the whiteboard tools.

How can I show my instructor that I attended a session?

You can take a screenshot of the in-progress appointment or reviewed essay and submit that to your instructor.