

*This is a report card created by the Michigan Department of Education (MDE). Report cards are made for each company that tutored students during the 2010-2011 school year, in the program named Supplemental Education Services (SES).*

*The purpose of report cards is to give parents information to help them choose an SES tutor for their children in the coming school year. SES is a free tutoring program.*

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### ***How GPS Educational Services Explains Their Tutoring Program, in Their Own Words:***

*The MDE has not edited this description.*

The goal of this project is to improve student performance in ELA, Math, Social Studies, and Science by providing tutoring services based on the "supplemental instruction" model. This model uses face-to-face interaction combined with online learning to reduce at-risk rates. The program begins with a grade-level assessment, after which an individual learning plan is created for the student. Trained college graduates, or current university students who have completed the course(s) they tutor with a grade of B+ or better, who have passed the GPS Tutoring Skills assessments. Working in 45 minute sessions, with no greater than a 1-to-5 ratio, our tutors use a variety instructional materials including manipulatives, visuals, and online programs to focus on skills mastery. The ongoing assessments and skills mastery certifications are archived so administration and parents will be able to review sessions and assess the quality of tutoring.

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#### ***About This State-Approved Program:***

Subject Areas: English, Mathematics

Grades Served: K-12

Estimated Hours of Tutoring Per Student: 38

Number of Students to Be Served: 5 - 100

Student-Teacher Ratios:

- Classroom: 1 teacher per 5 students
- Computer-based: 1 teacher per 8 students
- Online Instruction: 1 teacher per 20 students

Instructing in the Use of the English Language:

No

Instructing Students With Disabilities:

Yes

Offers Transportation: No

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#### ***Places of Service:***

Community Center, LEA Facility, Place of Business, Student's Home, Via Technology

Each district decides which tutoring company is allowed to work at the school building.

In 2011-2012, this company can serve students from these areas:

- Statewide

***Parent and Teacher Satisfaction:***

- Number of teachers asked to participate in 2010-2011 survey: 2
- Number of parents asked to participate in 2010-2011 survey: 2

	<b>This Tutoring Company</b>	<b>Statewide Average</b>
Percent of parents who were satisfied with the tutor		81%
Percent of teachers who agreed the tutor positively impacted students' learning <i>This is based on 2 survey responses.</i>	50%	49%
Overall grade that parents gave to the tutor		B
Grade based on what teachers said about changes in the tutored students' classroom performance <i>This is based on 2 survey responses.</i>	C	C

***Student Academic Achievement:***

There are limited or no data available to make an assessment.

***Overall:***

Overall Grade in 2011: Not Available  
Overall Grade in 2010: Not available

*Too few surveys were returned to estimate an overall grade in 2011.*

***For details on how ratings are calculated, [click here](#).***