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Free Homework Help at the Library

*Students can connect to Expert Tutors
With the Library's new service*

With school starting, homework is sure to follow. Now, students can find some extra help with all those assignments thanks to a new service at the Highland Park Public Library. With Tutor.com's Live Homework Help, an online tutoring service now available at Highland Park Public Library, students are connected to expert tutors in math, science, social studies and English via the Internet. All that's required is a Highland Park Public Library card and students in grades 4 -12 can access online tutors from the Library's computers or from home and receive immediate, free help from qualified tutors.

Live Homework Help is easy to use. Students simply go to the Library's Web site, click on the kids' or teen page, select homework help and click on Tutor.com. Students then enter their grade level and the subject they need help in. In just a few minutes, they are connected to a tutor in an Online Classroom for one-to-one help in math (elementary, algebra, geometry, trigonometry and calculus), science (elementary, earth science, biology, chemistry, physics), social studies (American History, World History, Political Science and more), and English (spelling, grammar, essay writing, book reports). Students can access Tutor.com every day from 2 – 10 p.m. Math and science help is also available in Spanish from 2 – 9 p.m.

"The Library has always offered homework help," explains Linda Wicher, Youth Services director. "Our reference staff is available to guide students to information and help with research. Our Web site offers databases and information for the schools' current assignments. We even can

provide help via instant messaging. Tutor.com's online tutoring is an additional service that complements our homework help. We're very excited to be able to offer the community access to even more homework help."

The Highland Park Public Library strives to provide the highest quality Library services to community members for life-long learning, cultural enrichment, and enjoyment. The Highland Park Public Library is located at 494 Laurel Avenue, Highland Park. The Library is open Monday – Thursday 9 a.m. – 9 p.m., Friday 9 a.m. – 6 p.m., Saturday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. and Sunday, 1 p.m. – 5 p.m. For more information, please call (847) 432-0216.

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