

Math Programs— Grades K-8

	PROGRAMS	GRADE	APPROACH	MANIPULATIVES	GR-LEVEL SPECIFIC	TEACHER INVOLVEMENT	TEACHER EDITION	NOTES
ALPHA OMEGA	A+ Interactive Math	1-8	Sequential		X	Minimal	Computer-based	Interactive self-paced; multi-sensory
	Alpha Omega Lifepacs	K-12	Sequential		X	Interactive at younger levels	Teacher edition included in boxed sets	Lifepacs are a consumable workbook format
	Alpha Omega Switched on Schoolhouse	3-12	Sequential		X	Minimal	All instruction is computer-based	Computer-based; no workbooks
	Horizons	K-8	Spiral	X	X	Interactive	Lesson plans, teacher notes, and answer key	Tends to be faster paced and works ahead of grade level; 7 th is pre-algebra and 8 th is algebra
SCHOOLAID	Beast Academy	3-4	Conceptual Topical		X	Minimal	Guide	·Cartoon style presentation ·Art of problem solving
	Conventional Arithmetic with Spunky the Donkey	1-2			X	Interactive	Lesson plans, teacher notes, and answer key	A one-room schoolhouse approach, so there is work to be done independently
	Study Time Arithmetic	3-8			X	Interactive		Same publisher as Spunky the Donkey
	Developmental Math	K-8	Sequential			Minimal	Teacher notes and answer key	Each level covers a specific skill set; placement is according to the child's ability
	Kumon	1-6	Sequential		X	Minimal	None	Complete curriculum= all books at grade level
	Liberty Mathematics	K-2	Sequential		X	Minimal	Lesson plans, teacher notes, activities, and answer key	Consumable workbooks
	Life of Fred	1-12				Minimal	No teacher guide for elementary level	This series offers math within a written context; for students who like to read.
	Math Mammoth (Light Blue series)	1-6	Sequential		X	Interactive	Answer keys available	Consumable workbooks or pdf files
	Mathematical Reasoning	PK-6	Spiral	Virtual	X	Minimal	Teaching suggestions and answers	
	Making Math Meaningful	K-6	Spiral	X	X	Interactive	Lesson plans, teacher notes, and answer key	
	MCP Math	K-6	Modified sequential		X	Interactive	Teacher notes & answer key	
	Mastering Mathematics	1-6	Sequential	X		Interactive	Lesson plans, teacher notes, and answer key	Complete set includes cardstock manipulatives and consumable workbooks
	Miquon Math	1-3	Mastery	X		Interactive	Annotations Book (covers all 6 books). Answers for some of the more "tricky" sheets; most worksheets are shown w/out answers.	650 Lab Sheets in the six books covering all mathematical topics. Problem solving a focus, not just one way for students to reach correct solution.
	Practical Arithmetics (Strayer-Upton)	3-8					None	
	Purposeful Design	K-6	Mastery Sequential	K-3	X	Interactive	Requires minimal prep from Teacher	Themed based cross curriculum; CCSS; emphasis on mental math activities; logical thinking
	Ray's Arithmetic	K-12	Sequential			Interactive	·Scope and sequence ·Grade by grade teaching sequences ·Planning Guide weekly lesson plans suggestions	Classic Curriculum workbooks are written to complement this series for grades 1-4
	RightStart	K-4		X	X	Interactive	Lesson plans & ans. key	
	Right-Brained Math	2-7	Visual			Interactive	None	Reproducible
SAXON	Saxon K-3	1-3	Spiral	X	X	Scripted for teacher	Lesson plans, teacher notes, and answer key	
	Saxon Math Intermediate	3-5	Spiral		X	Minimal	Solutions Manual	·Hardcover ·Manipulatives optional ·Same methodology as Home School Edition
	Saxon 5/4 through 8/7	4-8	Spiral			Minimal	Solution manual	Strong support with: ·DIVE & Saxon Teacher CDs ·Website
	Shiller Math	PK-7	Sequential	X		Interactive	Parent Guide & Answer Guides	Montessori
SINGAPORE	Earlybird Math SE	PK-K	Sequential		X	Interactive	Teacher guide available, but not required.	Readers available but optional – activity books are aligned to the readers
	Essential Math	PK-K	Sequential	X		Interactive	None	Same content as Earlybird but in b&w; use to supplement Earlybird or as a stand alone.
	Math In Focus	K-8	Sequential	X	X	Interactive	Teacher guide or parent guide offers lesson and manipulative suggestions	Employs Singapore methodology
	Primary Math US	1-6	Sequential		X	Interactive	Teacher guide & Home Instructor guides available	Placement tests available
	Primary Math SE	1-6	Sequential		X	Interactive	Teacher guide & Home Instructor guides available	This series is aligned to California State Education Standards; has review after every chapter
	Primary Mathematics Common Core	1-5	Sequential		X	Interactive	Teacher Guide	CCSS