Accessing Library Tutoring with Pear Deck



This guide includes directions to access and use library tutoring from the library website. Chrome works best with the Pear Deck platform. If you do not have Chrome installed on your computer, you can <u>download Chrome here</u>.

Access Pear Deck and Search for a Library Tutor

Click on the 24/7 library tutoring button on the library homepage.



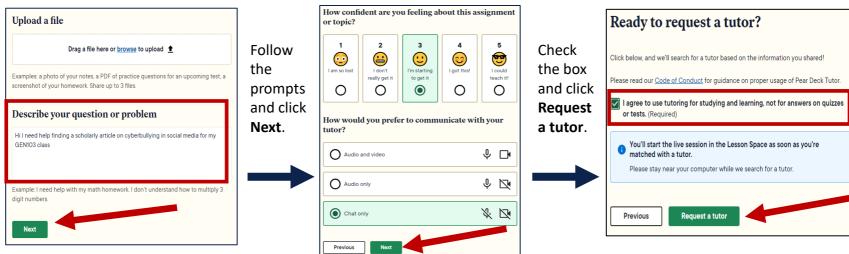
The live tutoring free page will open. Click on the button to open the Pear Deck platform.



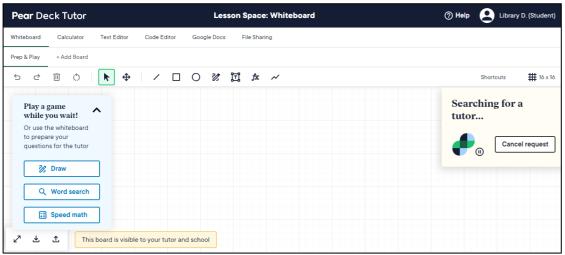
Click on the Request a live Library tutor button to search for available library tutors.



Type a brief description of the research or library help that you need into the text box and click **Next**.

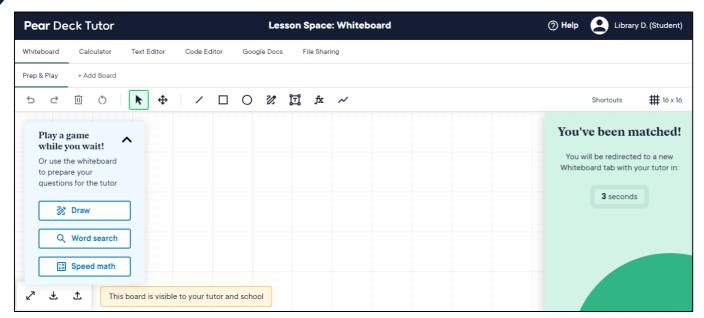


While you wait for a tutor, familiarize yourself with the lesson space or prepare your questions.

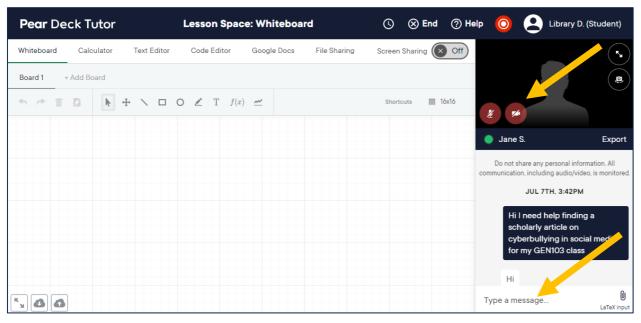


Beginning a Tutoring Session

1 When you have been matched with a tutor, you will be redirected to a new whiteboard tab with your tutor.

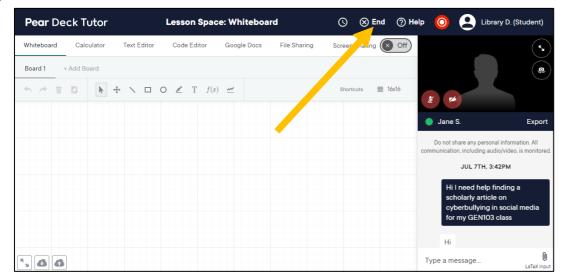


In the virtual classroom use the chat box to communicate with the tutor. Click on the **camera** and **microphone** icons if you want the tutor to see and/or hear you. Other classroom features that you and your tutor may wish to use are the **whiteboard**, **screen sharing** (only available when using the Chrome browser), and **file sharing**.



Ending a Tutoring Session

To end the session, click on **End** in the top right corner. Then click the red **End Lesson** button to end the session.





For all other questions and support, please submit the **SupportU form**.