

# Get your child started with FIRST IN MATH

## Early skill development and practice is key to success in math!

**NYSED has selected the First In Math® Online Program as a resource to support STEM readiness for students throughout the state in grades K through 5. Access to this proven practice program is FREE.** FIRST IN MATH® helps K-5 students practice and master essential mathematics skills. Use the website at any time on a device with Internet access.

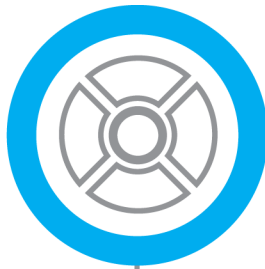
## Get YOUR CHILD started in just four steps!



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### LOG IN

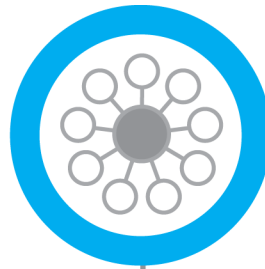
Go to **firstinmath.com**  
Enter User ID/Password  
provided by Teacher.  
*(If your child uses a school  
access portal like CLEVER  
or ClassLink, follow their  
instructions)*



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### FOCUS

See which Focus Groups  
you can access based on  
your grade assignment;  
choose one. *(Need  
harder/easier challenges?  
Ask your teacher)*



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### PLAYER HUB

Click the ICONS on your  
HUB to explore what  
games are inside.  
*(Click the center of any  
icon to go back)*



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### PLAY & LEARN

Pick a game and PLAY!  
Choose your own path,  
or play game(s) your  
Teacher assigns.  
*PS - Have fun!*

**Math practice is necessary — so make it FUN!** The best way to engage a child is to give them something they can do. Allow them to make choices and build skills that generate confidence — children are eager to improve if they feel success is within their grasp. If a game your child is trying frustrates them too much, have them try an easier game - there are more than 200 to choose from!

**All games offer math-success strategies.** Perseverance and task-completion are recognized with electronic stickers, badges and positive messages. Students automatically receive Digital Ribbons and Digital Certificates in their Notifications Envelope for Skill Levels and Games successfully completed.

**See details of Player Hub/content on back >>**

# The FIRST IN MATH® Player Hub offers focused choices



## First In Math® features

- An immediate feedback loop/short cycle of play allows children to tackle content from addition to algebra without frustration. Nearly 50% of students who use FIM in school choose to explore the site on their own time at home.
- Basic skills can be mastered quickly using our Deep Practice techniques.
- Children who need a little extra help can hone their skills — and those who excel can easily go beyond what is taught in the classroom at their grade level.
- Digital gaming helps students embrace math, and work through challenges.
- Effort and goal setting are pathways to mastery; every learner can become “good at math.”
- Expanding critical thinking, problem solving, and communication abilities creates successful, life-long learners.
- The FamilyLink™ feature allows students an extra User ID/Password for a family member, generating excitement.

### Get an additional User ID/Password FREE with FamilyLink®

A parent, grandparent, sibling, or friend can use FIM! A FamilyLink User ID/Password appears on the student Homepage in the lower-right corner. Family Link players have full access to site content 24/7. Try 10 or 15 minutes of math exploration each day!

