THE IMPACT OF EXPERT TUTORING ON ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

A review of 50 years of academic research into the performance gains expert tutoring produces

The demand for **private tutoring is on a massive rise**. Globally, the market is projected to pass

$102.8 BILLION BY 2018

and it's no surprise why. Study after study shows that **private tutoring works with enormous impact**.

Studies have shown that tutoring can lift **average students to the**

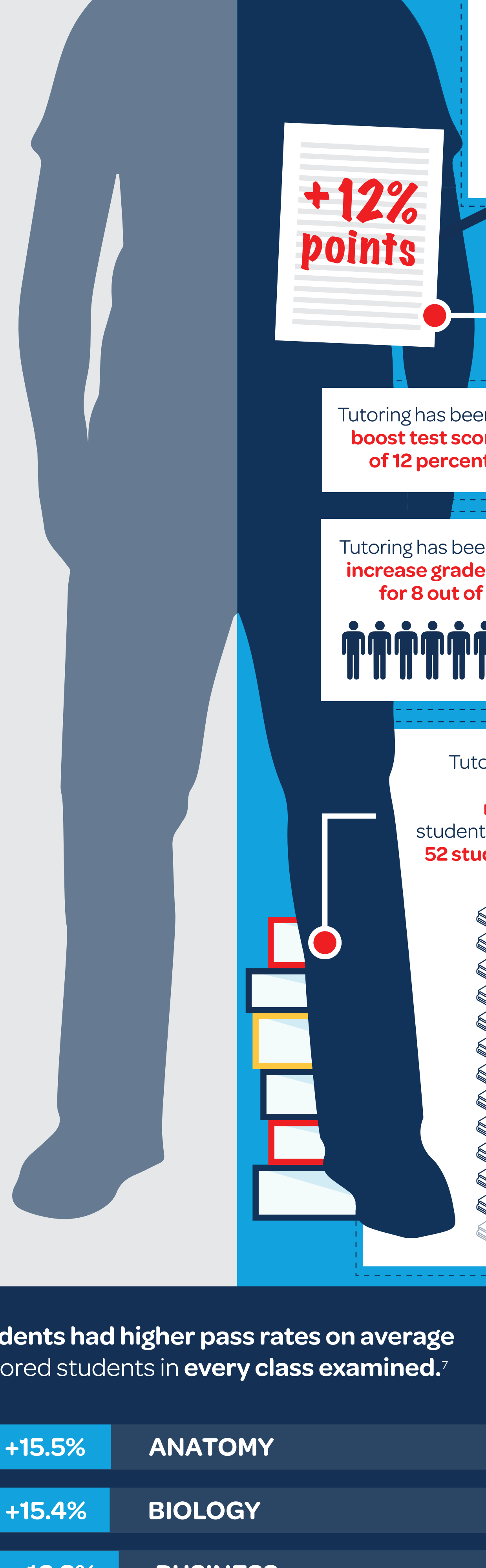
TOP 2% [1]

AVERAGE STUDENT

HIGH ACHIEVER

For **high achievers**, tutoring has proven to **improve scores across all grade levels.**

UNTUTORED VS TUTORED



For **students at risk for reading** failure, the average tutoring gain was equivalent to moving from the **50th percentile to the 65th percentile.**[3]

Human tutoring can result in classroom test scores **35% higher than software-driven tutoring.**[4]

+35%

Math tutoring's effect has **improved final scores 4 to 6 percentage points.**[5]

+12% points

Tutoring has been reported to **boost test scores upwards of 12 percentage points.**[6]

Tutoring has been reported to **increase grades and scores for 8 out of 10 students.**

Tutored students **outperform non-tutored** students in **45 out of 52 studies,** a rate of nearly 90%.

Tutored students had higher pass rates on average than non-tutored students in **every class examined.**[7]

+15.5%	ANATOMY
+15.4%	BIOLOGY
+16.3%	BUSINESS
+16.9%	CHEMISTRY
+31.9%	COMMUNICATIONS
+13.7%	ENGLISH
+9.3%	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL)

Tutoring has been found to **improve high school exit examination scores by 11-12 percentage points.**[8]

11-12%

A study shows **82% of tutored college students re-enroll from the fall to spring semesters** versus an institutional average of only 70% — a difference of nearly one-fifth![9]

82%

WHAT MAKES TUTORING WORK?

THREE MAJOR FACTORS:

Varsity Tutors

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