



SmartStart Education's Partnership with Monahan Elementary School

BACKGROUND

Monahan Elementary School in Sheldon, Texas, partnered with SmartStart Education to provide High-Dosage Tutoring during the Spring 2026 semester for Grade 4. Through consistent, small-group instruction, **students received targeted support** designed to strengthen foundational math skills and address individual learning gaps.

IMPLEMENTATION

SmartStart Education's High-Dosage Tutoring model was built around consistency, personalization, and meaningful student relationships. Students met in small groups with a **4:1 student-to-tutor ratio** for **45 minute** sessions, **three days per week** for **nine weeks**, allowing tutors to provide individualized instruction while fostering engagement. Tutors utilized push-in and pull-out methodology. Students worked with the **same tutor** throughout the program, creating trusted relationships that supported both academic and personal growth.

RESULTS

In only **9 weeks**, students showed **substantial improvement** in academic performance.



More than 3 out of 4 students showed academic growth.

Students with 80%+ attendance averaged

4.7 RIT
points of growth.



91.7% of students (with 80%+ attendance) demonstrated measurable improvement.

STUDENT SURVEY

When asked about their tutors, students provided **insightful feedback** about their tutors.

72%

Tutors **always** helped them understand difficult concepts.

94%

Students wished they had more time with their tutor.

89%

Students **always** liked their tutor.

20 Yrs of Success. 100,000+ Students Served. Average State Assessment Gains of 33%



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