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#### **MATH Skill Building**

Build Math Skills for Success in the Classroom

- ♦ Build Math Foundation
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- ♦ All Math Subjects: Basic Math to Calculus

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Improve Writing Mechanics and

#### Grammar

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- Develop Sight Vocabulary
- ♦ Study Phonics Books
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#### RESEARCH PAPER Workshop

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- ♦ Take Efficient Notes
- ♦ Organize Outlines
- Write Multiple Drafts
- ♦ Improve Writing Mechanics

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#### **SAT II INTENSIVE Workshop**

Boost SAT II Subject Scores

- ♦ Review Concepts
- ♦ Learn Test-Taking Strategies
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- ♦ Memorize Subject-Area Facts

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#### **LITERATURE Appreciation**

Read Classic Literature and Write Critiques

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- ♦ Improve Reading Comprehension
- ♦ Explore a Variety of Writing Styles
- Write Analytical Critiques

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## COLLEGE APPLICATION ESSAY Workshop with the Director

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## COLLEGE ADVISORY Counseling with the Director

Explore Career Options, Build Portfolios, and Start Projects

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- ☐ Set up a Time Line
- ☐ Calculate a Budget
- ☐ Layout a Brochure or Flier
- ☐ Create a Sponsor or Press Kit
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- ☐ Organize the Project

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