

Getting Started with Pear Deck: A Student Guide

Pear Deck Overview

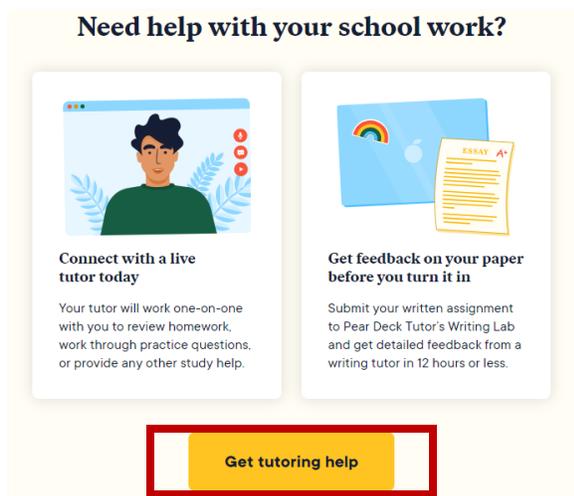
RRCC offers 24/7 online tutoring, through Pear Deck. Students can work with a live tutor and receive help with homework assignments and other coursework, in a variety of academic subjects. This service allows students to meet with a qualified tutor using audio/video conferencing, text chat, screen sharing, document upload, and a shared whiteboard space. Students can also review recordings of their sessions, afterwards, in order to assist with their learning process.

Directions to Access Pear Deck from D2L

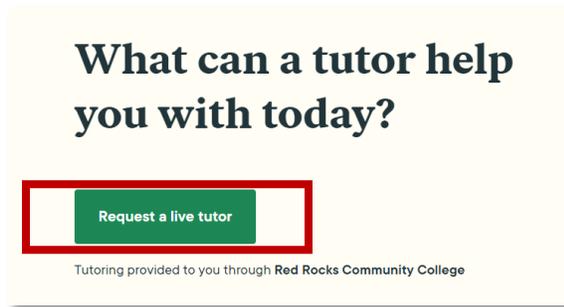
1. Make sure you are logged into D2L and on your course home page.
2. Click on the **“Online Tutoring”** Link in the “Resources” drop-down menu in the D2L Navigation bar.



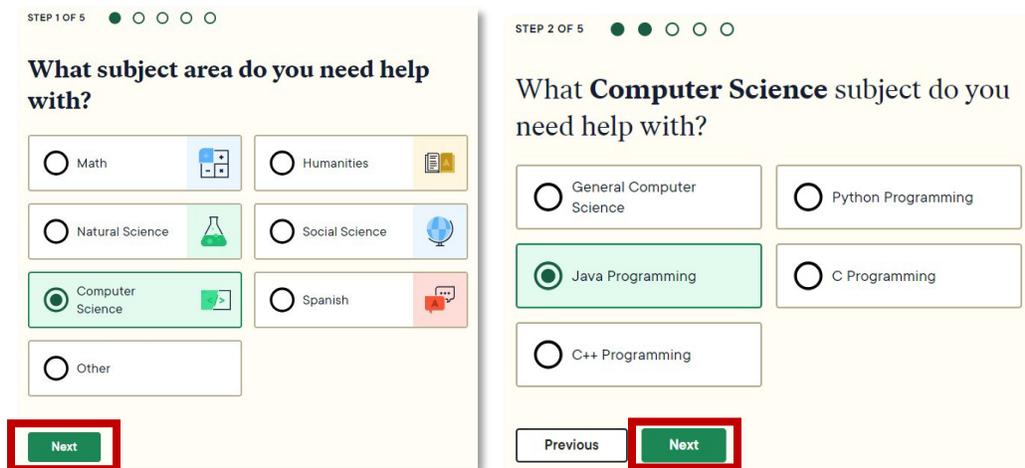
3. On the Pear Deck landing page, click the **“Get tutoring help”** button.



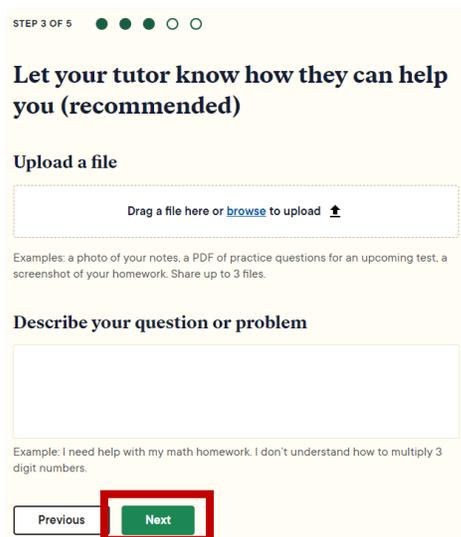
4. Then click on the "Request a live tutor" button.



5. Follow the prompts to select the subject for which you need assistance.



6. A window will pop up allowing you to describe your problem and to upload a file if needed.



7. Next, indicate your comfort level with the assignment/topic, select your preferred communication format (audio, video, chat, etc.), and click **“Next”**.

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How confident are you feeling about this assignment or topic?

1 🙄 I am so lost <input checked="" type="radio"/>	2 😬 I don't really get it <input type="radio"/>	3 😊 I'm starting to get it <input type="radio"/>	4 😄 I got this! <input type="radio"/>	5 😎 I could teach it! <input type="radio"/>
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How would you prefer to communicate with your tutor?

Audio and video  

Audio only  

Chat only  

8. Finally, agree to the terms and click **“Request a tutor”**.

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Ready to request a tutor?

Click below, and we'll search for a tutor based on the information you shared!

Please read our [Code of Conduct](#) for guidance on proper usage of Pear Deck Tutor.

I agree to use tutoring for studying and learning, not for answers on quizzes or tests. (Required)

i You'll start the live session in the Lesson Space as soon as you're matched with a tutor.
Please stay near your computer while we search for a tutor.

Tutoring is available in many (but not all) subjects. Here is a current list of available subjects:

Math	Natural Science	Computer Science	Humanities	Social Science	Spanish	Other
Basic Math Pre-Algebra Algebra Geometry Trigonometry Pre-Calculus Calculus Discrete Math Linear Algebra Applied Math Statistics	Anatomy & Physiology Biology Chemistry Organic Chemistry Physics	General Computer Science Java Programming C++ Programming C Programming Python Programming	English ESL Literature Writing	U.S. History World History African History Art History Geography U.S. Government and Civics Economics Accounting Finance Psychology Education		French Music Business Philosophy Public Health Education Microsoft Office Sociology Nursing Library & Information Science