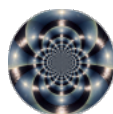


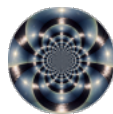
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## [1.0] Introduction

The **Nobel Tutoring Service** (hereafter **Nobel**) provides professional tutorial services in New York State and online, specializing in mathematics, statistics, standardized test prep, academic coaching, and mentorship. This brochure describes these services, as well as rates, availability, and applicable Terms of Service.

### [1.1] About Nobel's Founder

My name is Nelson – a.k.a. ***nerdy.nel*** – and I'm Nobel's founder. I am a Brooklyn Technical High School and City College of New York alumnus with a lifelong passion for mathematics, a Master of Engineering degree, and 12 years of experience in the engineering field. I began tutoring in May 2004; for over 21 years, I've helped many hundreds of students – from schoolchildren to senior citizens – master mathematics, statistics, and related subjects. These achievements – along with my work ethic, patience, diligence, and passion – have led to countless recommendations and accolades from tutees, parents, teachers, professors, and colleagues.

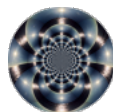
I am certified by the National Tutoring Association (NTA) as an Advanced Professional Tutor. To learn more about the NTA, visit <https://www.ntatutor.com>.

### [1.2] About Nobel

**Vision:** Promoting Intellectual Excellence – the **PIE** Principle.

**Mission:** Empowering the thinkers of today with the knowledge, confidence, and skills necessary to become the doers of tomorrow.

Founded on January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016, and originally called the *nerdy.nel Tutoring Service*, Nobel is my brand of professional math tutoring, coaching, and mentorship. The



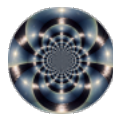
name is inspired by the Nobel Prizes. Nobel's logo, *Endless Horizons*®, symbolizes the wellspring of unlimited potential that one can harness through tutoring. From its inception through June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025, Nobel has completed 1,050 sessions – that's a *lot* of number crunching!

**The *Nobel Tutoring Service* and associated elements – including the *Endless Horizons* logo – are © Nelson a.k.a. nerdy.nel, 2016-2026. All rights reserved.**

### [1.3] Changes for 2025-2026

The changes below take effect on **June 29<sup>th</sup>, 2025**.

- ❖ Nobel now offers math coaching and math mentorship programs!
- ❖ Rates will increase by \$5 per hour for most services.
- ❖ The group session discount will increase from 25% to 30%.
- ❖ Nobel now offers discounted bundles! See section [3.0] for more information.
- ❖ Nobel has changed the transaction fee for payment methods other than Zelle, debit cards, prepaid cards, or cash from 5.0% of billed charges to the lesser of:
  - 3.9% of billed charges, or
  - The applicable payment processing fee for the payment method.
- ❖ In-person sessions are now subject to a \$15 per session travel fee instead of an extra \$15 per hour charge.
- ❖ Nobel has clarified that Professional Test Prep services generally cover the mathematical/quantitative sections of standardized tests.
- ❖ Nobel has updated its business hours – generally, Nobel's services will be available on Fridays and Sundays only. See section [4.1] for more information.
  - Nobel no longer operates on holidays outside of regular business hours.
- ❖ Nobel has revised the Terms of Service. See section [5.0] for more information.



## [2.0] Nobel's Services

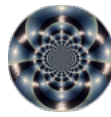
Nobel offers the following tutorial services:

- ❖ **Professional Math Tutoring** – services include classwork review, homework help, topic mastery, and practice problems for the following:
  - *Mathematics* – all levels up to Calculus III
  - *Statistics* – all levels up to college-level statistics
- ❖ **Professional Test Prep** – services include test-taking strategies, sample test problems, and simulated tests (within allotted session time) for the following:
  - New York State (NYS) standardized math tests
  - Regents exams in Algebra I and II, and Geometry
  - Mathematical/quantitative sections of standardized primary school, high school, and college entrance exams
  - Advanced Placement (AP) exams in mathematics and statistics
- ❖ **Math Coaching** – this service cultivates key skills, such as time management, task prioritization, self-motivation, problem solving, and goal setting, to help you master math and realize your potential.
- ❖ **Math Mentorship** – this service uses Nobel's vast experience with mathematics to provide academic and professional guidance, and help you gain the confidence and skills necessary to meet your goals.

You must book an appointment to receive Nobel's tutorial services. For more information on booking appointments, see sections [4.2] and [5.5]. For information on rates, acceptable payment methods, and billing, see sections [3.0] and [5.6].

### [2.1] Primary Tutorial Services

The Primary services listed below command Nobel's lowest rates; they cover basic math courses, standardized tests administered before middle school, and mentorship.



❖ **Professional Math Tutoring**, limited to:

- Mathematics courses taught from pre-K to grade 5

❖ **Professional Test Prep**, limited to:

- NYS standardized math tests, grades 3 through 5
- Independent School Entrance Exam (ISEE – primary and lower levels)
- Secondary School Admission Test (SSAT – elementary level)

❖ **Math Mentorship program**

[2.2] Intermediate Tutorial Services

The Intermediate services listed below cover middle school math courses and most high school math courses, as well as high school admission tests, Regents tests, and noncollegiate math coaching.

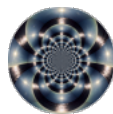
❖ **Professional Math Tutoring**, limited to:

- Mathematics courses taught from grades 6 through 12
- Statistics courses taught from grades 6 through 12
- **Note:** excludes precalculus, calculus, and AP/college courses

❖ **Professional Test Prep**, limited to:

- NYS standardized math tests, grades 6 through 8
- Independent School Entrance Exam (ISEE – middle and upper levels)
- Secondary School Admission Test (SSAT – middle and upper levels)
- Test for Admission into Catholic High Schools (TACHS)
- High School Placement Test (HSPT)
- Specialized High School Admissions Test (SHSAT)
- Regents exams in Algebra I and II, and Geometry

❖ **Math Coaching**, for students up to grade 12



### [2.3] Collegiate Tutorial Services

The Collegiate services listed below cover advanced high school math, standardized college admission tests, and introductory collegiate math courses and coaching.

❖ **Professional Math Tutoring**, limited to:

- Precalculus
- AP courses – Precalculus and Statistics
- College-level statistics courses without calculus

❖ **Professional Test Prep**, limited to:

- Preliminary Scholastic Assessment Test (PSAT) 8/9
- PSAT 10
- PSAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (NMSQT)
- Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT)
- American College Test (ACT)
- AP exams – Precalculus and Statistics

❖ **Math Coaching**, for college students

### [2.4] Advanced Tutorial Services

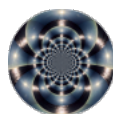
The Advanced services listed below command Nobel's highest rates; they cover calculus and calculus-based courses.

❖ **Professional Math Tutoring**, limited to:

- AP courses – Calculus AB and Calculus BC
- Calculus I, II, and III
- College-level statistics courses with calculus

❖ **Professional Test Prep**, limited to:

- AP exams – Calculus AB and Calculus BC



### [3.0] Rates and Acceptable Payment Methods

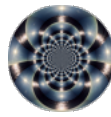
Nobel accepts the following payment methods:

- ❖ Zelle
- ❖ Cash App
- ❖ PayPal
- ❖ Apple Pay
- ❖ Google Pay
- ❖ Debit, credit, and prepaid cards (VISA, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express – processed using Square Point-of-Sale)
- ❖ Cash (in-person sessions only)

#### [3.1] Standard Rates

Service	Standard Rate
<b><i>Primary Tutorial Services</i></b> ❖ All services listed in section [2.1]	<b>\$50</b> per hour
<b><i>Intermediate Tutorial Services</i></b> ❖ All services listed in section [2.2]	<b>\$55</b> per hour
<b><i>Collegiate Tutorial Services</i></b> ❖ All services listed in section [2.3]	<b>\$65</b> per hour
<b><i>Advanced Tutorial Services – Tier 1</i></b> ❖ AP Calculus AB ❖ AP Calculus BC ❖ Calculus I and II	<b>\$80</b> per hour
<b><i>Advanced Tutorial Services – Tier 2</i></b> ❖ Calculus III ❖ College-level statistics courses with calculus	<b>\$100</b> per hour





### [3.2] Discounted Bundles

Nobel now offers 6-session, 10-session, and 15-session prepaid bundles for all services. For one-on-one session bundles, 6-session bundles have a built-in 10% discount, 10-session bundles have a built-in 15% discount, and 15-session bundles have a built-in 20% discount. For group session bundles, the built-in discount is 30%. For terms and conditions regarding bundles, see sections [5.5] and [5.6].

## [4.0] Business Information

### [4.1] Business Hours

- ❖ Friday – 1:00 PM to 7:00 PM
- ❖ Sunday – 1:00 PM to 7:00 PM

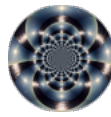
**Note:** Friday hours are not available in July or August.

### [4.2] Booking and Contact Information

For a free consultation, or to book an appointment, you may contact Nobel via:

- ❖ Phone: **(929)-35-NOBEL**
- ❖ Email: [nobeltutor@nerdynel.me](mailto:nobeltutor@nerdynel.me)
- ❖ Nobel's official Web site: <https://nerdynel.me/nobeltutoring>

Nobel offers in-person and virtual sessions. In-person sessions are subject to Nobel's approval and are only available at venues within 30 minutes of the city of New Rochelle, NY. For secure virtual sessions, Nobel uses Cisco WebEx. When booking a virtual session, Nobel will text or email you a link that allows you to log in to the session. A one-time setup may be required for clients using WebEx for the first time. For more information on WebEx, visit <https://www.webex.com>.



One-on-one sessions and group sessions with two clients are available for all services, while group sessions with 3 to 5 clients are available for Professional Math Tutoring and Professional Test Prep services only. Sessions are typically one hour (60 minutes) long; however, 30-minute, 90-minute, and 120-minute options are also available.

## **[5.0] Terms of Service**

### **Nobel Tutoring Service**

#### **TERMS**

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#### **[5.1] Notice of Agreement**

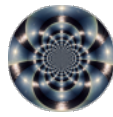
**By booking a session with the Nobel Tutoring Service (“Nobel”), you accept and agree to the following Terms of Service (“Terms”) IN THEIR ENTIRETY. This version of the Terms supersedes all preceding versions.**

**Note:** Nobel reserves the right to change the Terms at any time. Any such change would include a new version number reflecting the effective date of the latest Terms.

#### **[5.2] Disclaimer**

Nobel’s goal in every session is to equip you with the skills, knowledge, and understanding needed to enable superior academic performance – whether through tutoring, coaching, or mentorship. However, please note the following:

- ❖ Nobel will **not** do your homework, exams, projects, or other assignments – in full or in part – for you during any session!



- ❖ Nobel cannot guarantee that sessions will improve academic performance, professional outcomes, or understanding of any subject, and
- ❖ Success in past sessions does not guarantee success in future sessions.

### [5.3] Unavailable Dates

Nobel's services are unavailable during the following holidays and time periods within the 2025-2026 school year:

- ❖ *Summer Recess 2025*: June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 – July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- ❖ *Thanksgiving (observed)*: November 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- ❖ *Christmas (observed)*: December 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- ❖ *New Year's (observed)*: January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2026

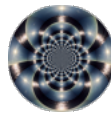
Other unavailable dates may apply. Nobel lists unavailable dates on the official Web site. Unavailable dates are subject to change with or without advance notification.

### [5.4] Privacy Policy

Nobel may collect basic personal information about you, such as your name, phone number, email address, and grade level. Nobel uses this information solely to:

- ❖ Respond to appointment requests, inquiries, or feedback,
- ❖ Book and confirm an appointment, and
- ❖ Process a bill for an appointment.

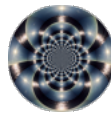
Nobel keeps this information confidential and will not disclose it unless you authorize such disclosure, or it is required for legal reasons.



## [5.5] General Rules for Sessions

To book an appointment, you may contact Nobel using any of the methods listed in section [4.2]. You must observe the following rules:

- ❖ You must make your appointment request at least **24 hours** before the proposed session date.
  - **Note:** All prospective clients who are 16 years old or younger must receive permission from a parent or guardian to book a session.
- ❖ Nobel responds to appointment requests on a first come, first served basis.
- ❖ Appointments are **not** confirmed until Nobel confirms the date and time (and for in-person sessions, the venue). **All appointment requests are subject to Nobel's approval.**
  - When requesting an in-person session, Nobel – in its sole and absolute discretion – will determine the suitability of the proposed venue and the feasibility of travel to such venue.
  - Nobel reserves the right to refuse **any** appointment request.
- ❖ For the 2025-2026 school year, discounted bundles may be purchased at any time until May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2026.
  - All sessions within the bundle must be completed by June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2026.
  - Unused sessions are forfeited without refund.
- ❖ Clients may request an extended session if time allows. Nobel grants extensions on a case-by-case basis.
- ❖ Nobel reserves the right to end any session early.
- ❖ Nobel is not responsible for technical issues that may arise during virtual sessions, such as issues with Cisco WebEx or internet connectivity.
- ❖ Nobel is not responsible for issues that may affect in-person sessions, such as transit delays, traffic congestion, or changes to venue operating hours.



## [5.6] Billing

Nobel calculates your bill for tutorial services by multiplying the appropriate hourly rate by the session time (measured in hours or prorated by quarter hours as appropriate), then applying applicable discounts, then adding applicable fees. For billing purposes, any fraction of a quarter hour counts as a full quarter hour.

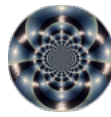
For standard sessions (any session not part of a discounted bundle), bills must be paid by 8:00 PM Eastern time on the day of the session. For discounted bundles, the entire bundle must be paid in full before the first session begins. Nobel accepts all payment methods listed in section [3.0]. Nobel accepts “split” payments – you may split your payment between multiple valid forms of payment in the same transaction.

**Note:** In a group session, each group member is responsible for his or her own bill, unless the group unanimously designates specific payees within the group.

### [5.6.1] Discounts

Nobel currently offers the following discounts:

- ❖ **Group discount:** 30% off. Applies to group sessions and group session bundles only.
- ❖ **Referral discount:** If you refer Nobel to a new client and that referral books a session, both you and your referral will receive 25% off your next 3 sessions. Not combinable with other discounts.
- ❖ **Loyalty discount:** If you book at least 15 sessions with Nobel each year for at least 2 consecutive years, you will receive a special loyalty rate for each subsequent session or bundle that incorporates an unpublished discount.



**Note:** If your referral cancels or no-shows the session, neither you nor your referral will receive the referral discount. In addition, if you are currently receiving a referral discount, you cannot receive additional referral discounts.

#### [5.6.2] Fees

- ❖ **Transaction Fee:** 3.9% of billed charges, **or** the applicable payment processing fee – whichever is less. Applies when using any payment method other than Zelle, debit cards, prepaid cards, or cash.
- ❖ **Travel Fee:** \$15 per session. Applies to in-person sessions only.
- ❖ **Cancellation Fee:** \$25. Applies to no-shows and any session canceled less than 24 hours before the scheduled start time.

#### [5.6.3] Nonpayment Policy

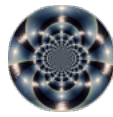
If you fail to pay your bill, Nobel will revoke your tutorial privileges until you pay your bill in full. Nobel reserves the right to permanently revoke tutorial privileges for repeated infractions.

#### [5.6.4] Refund Policy

All billed charges are **nonrefundable**.

#### [5.7] Lateness Policy

You must contact Nobel if you expect to be late to a scheduled session. Otherwise, you may be subject to the no-show penalties described in section [5.9]. You are responsible for charges incurred from the **scheduled** start time, and Nobel will **not** extend the session to make up for the session time lost.



#### [5.8] Cancellation Policy

You may cancel an appointment by contacting Nobel at any time before your scheduled appointment. There is no cancellation fee if you cancel at least 24 hours before your scheduled appointment. Otherwise, the \$25 cancellation fee will apply.

#### [5.9] No-Show Policy

If you miss a scheduled session and fail to cancel the session, Nobel will declare you a no-show. A 15-minute grace period applies before Nobel cancels the session. If you no-show a session, the \$25 cancellation fee will apply, **and** Nobel will revoke tutorial privileges until you pay this fee **plus** the full, undiscounted cost of the session. Nobel reserves the right to permanently revoke tutorial privileges for repeated infractions.