California State Library
Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA)
Out-of-School-Time (OST) Online Homework Help

Final Program Narrative Report
LSTA Form 9 OST

This report is due thirty (30) days after the completion of the grant period.

Email this report to lsta@library.ca.gov then mail ORIGINAL and 2 copies to:

California State Library
P.O. Box 942837
Sacramento, CA 94237-0001
Attention: Fiscal Office - LSTA

Date: 07/28/2014

1. Grant Award ID #: 40-8294

2. Project title: Out-of-School-Time (OST) Online Homework Help

3. Fiscal Year: 2013/2014

4. Project period: July 1, 2013-June 30, 2014

5. Vendor (Check one):☐ Tutor.com (Live Homework Help)
☒ Brainfuse (HelpNow)
☐ Other

6. Grantee: Kings County Library

7. Address: 401 North Douty Street

8. Contact: Natalie R. Rencher

9. Telephone: 559-852-4005 E-mail: natalie.rencher@kingscountylibrary.org

10. Number of students (grades K-12) currently living in your library jurisdiction: 28,628

   What is the source of this number? California Department of Education Educational Demographics Unit

11. Number of online homework help sessions conducted during this year’s project period: 310
12. Please describe your library’s online homework help program and any significant events during the past six months of the program.

N/A

13. Which methods were used to promote online homework help these past six months? Which were especially effective? Please attach copies of any pertinent publicity, news coverage, etc.

N/A

14. Did you encounter any problems with the online homework help program over the past six months and, if so, were you able to overcome them? Please describe any lingering problems. We have not encountered any problems with the online homework help program.

15. If possible, please provide anecdotes about the benefits derived from the program.

N/A

16. For libraries cycling out of the program at the end of this grant period, will you continue to offer online homework help after the project end date? Please explain.

The Kings County Library purchased Brainfuse for the 2014-2015 fiscal year and will continue to offer online homework help.


Signature: _____________________________ Date: 07/28/2014 (Please sign in blue ink)

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