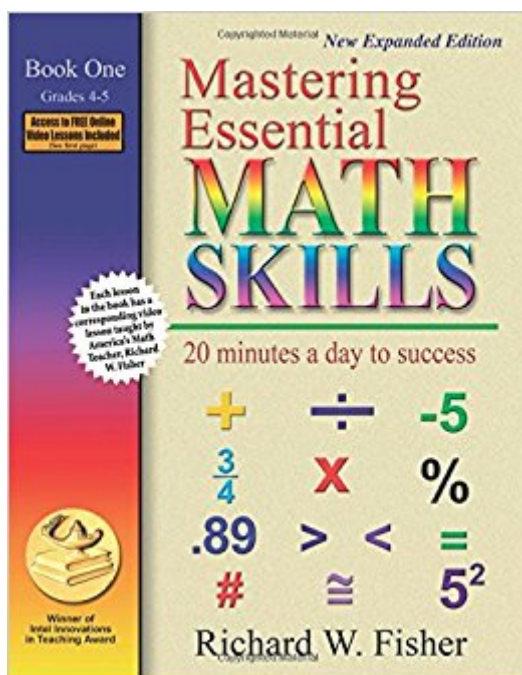


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# Mastering Essential Math Skills: 20 Minutes A Day To Success, Book 1: Grades 4-5



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## Customer Reviews

Winner "Intel Innovations in Teaching Award" Winner "Exemplary Program Award", Santa Clara County Office of Education, (California) --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

This program was written by a teacher for teachers, tutors, and most importantly students. Even

parents who have difficulty with math will be able to do a fine job of tutoring their children. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

I'll start by telling you that I was an after-school caregiver/tutor and a substitute teacher, before becoming a homeschooling mom. This is an excellent book! My son is 8 years old, but an advanced learner. I was so happy to find something that was for 4-5th grade because that's exactly where he's at with his studies! The everyday speed drills have really improved how quickly he performs multiplication problems, and because they're on every page: he PLANS-ON and ENJOYS testing himself everyday! And I'll admit: I have never been a math genius (yes, that means I've been the exact opposite! LOL), but even I've learned all the things I never understood when I was a kid trying to learn math! I love working out fractions!!One warning: if your child answers something incorrectly according to the answers in back, you may want to work the problem out for yourself, just to be sure. I have found a few wrong answers in back, of which I've already emailed the publisher. But don't let that deter you: it's an excellent program and I can't wait to purchase other books from this series! Hmm..."Word Problems"...LOL

This is a great, no frills, no nonsense math approach. The concept review is just enough to keep recently learned concepts fresh, while the new concepts are presented in a very practical way. There is a link to teaching videos on the author's website which explain concepts in a very clear manner. I will be continuing use of this book series for my youngest homeschooling child, while wishing I had learned about them earlier for my older children!

We purchased this book so to help familiarize our son with Grade 4 and 5 math concepts in preparation for a test. The instruction is easy to follow and I love how it is laid out - with practice/review of previous concepts and even the increasing difficulty of the new concepts. My only concern is whether it is truly compatible with common core standards as my son will be required to show his work and will be marked wrong on tests if he doesn't follow the CC logic.

If you get the wrong answer and you know it was right check your work because very quickly in you'll find that not all of the answers are correct. Most are though.

I purchased this book to help my son do better in math, I noticed a decline in his skills starting this year, 4th grade. He is already doing much better and we are finding the missing steps and pieces of

his math education that the public schools have neglected. The pages are not too long, and in fact they take right at 20 minutes to complete and check. This has been a wonderful book that is helping us work together to undo all the damage that common core math and poor teachers have caused.

Thank you for this book!!! You saved me WEEKS to create my own materials. And it is exactly what helps students to be and feel successful every day. This book is wonderful in many ways: 1. Speed drills help students to develop fluency in computation (as I expected, every page increases this speed!!!) 2. Helpful hints on every page are focused on questions, which students may ask, when they start independent practice 3. Enough and not overwhelmed review exercises 4. Word problem on every page helps to develop a habit to solve word problems. I love it and use in my 5th grade class every day

Excellent math book/supplement, we have really enjoyed the simplicity of the lessons, plus the video lessons offered with the book are like having a one on one tutor. My son has struggled the better half of the year in math and after getting this book I feel like we are finally making some headway and he is catching on to math concepts he was struggling with.

Absolutely a wonderful book: simple, basic, easy to understand concepts. Each lesson comes with an online video. Our son is being homeschooled. After trying different products/programs, he enjoys this one the best. In fact, he will do his work independently using this book, and it has been a real confidence builder. We would recommend for any student, especially for the homeschoolers, those struggling or to reinforce concepts already learned (i.e. great summer practice).

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