Athena Education is changing the education landscape with Cambridge-style Academic Support

The elite education and career consultancy nurtures mentees with potential into future scholars and global citizens, through Socratic mentorship.





ATHENA EDUCATION

Singapore, Singapore, Sep 3, 2021 (Issuewire.com) - Tuition centers are ruining student learning. Many have become profit-seeking machines, running huge and impersonal classes (often with class sizes that are larger than public schools!). Their pedagogy involves rote memorization, long hours of repeated drills, and teaching directly from the textbook. UK University Admission consultants and Common App preparation companies often deploy coaches with little experience, are overstretched with too many students, and might not even have studied in a quality higher education institution themselves. Management Consulting Interview Preparation firms have gotten away with charging ridiculous sums (often >\$500/hour) to consulting applicant hopefuls, even if their coaches have limited working experience in consulting recruiting. These organizations have put profit and efficiency over our children's future and their learning. Athena Education has been changing the academic support game. They have consistently produced the best admission rates to elite institutions (>85%), and the highest improvement in scores for their academic preparation program (>10% over a 12-month average).

Athena Education believes that nurturing future global citizens and valuable members of society should be placed front and center of any educational institution. Started by a small group of Ivy League-educated coaches with decades of professional teaching and coaching experience, Athena Education leverages technology, a deep understanding of knowledge retention, and some of the best educators in each geographical region to rekindle mentees' love of learning. Athena Education only engages in one-on-one coaching sessions similar to Cambridge University's "supervisions", limits the maximum number of mentees per coach to 8 at any time, and leverages *AthenaBlue*, an in-house AI tool to predict admission probabilities. The company has changed the university and college admissions, management consulting interview, and pre-university examination preparation game for years to come.

Athena Education offers 7 services under 5 programs.

UK Program – UCAS Application & Oxbridge Interview Preparation

If you're looking to apply to UK universities, Athena Education's mentors have decades of experience in <u>UK University Applications</u> (<u>UCAS Applications</u>). Your mentor will work with you to understand your intellectual interests, academic and co-curricular experiences, and personal background to advise you on a course, and the set of universities to apply for. Your mentor will then partner you to write a compelling academic bildungsroman that reflects your interest in the subject.

Oxbridge interviews are notoriously rigorous and enigmatic. Our mentors, who have themselves been involved in the <u>Cambridge or Oxford University admissions process</u>, and themselves graduated from Oxbridge with top honors, will simulate Socratic-style 60-minute supervisions akin to your first year in the elite institution. Be prepared for heavy reading, lots of introspection, and challenging questions.

US Program – Common App / US College App Support & SAT Preparation

Common App Essay coaching is Athena Education's signature offering. Our US college team is run by a group of Ivy League graduates who now professionally coach younger mentees, and have over 20+ years in US College Common Application coaching experience. Your mentor works closely with you to understand your academic, extracurricular, and personal achievements and interests. This, combined with your historic academic performance, can be entered into *AthenaBlue* to predict the colleges you have the best chances of success in applying to. The tool is purely advisory, and you are free to work

with your mentor to select a different set of colleges. The mentor then works with you to craft your College Application Essay with a compelling narrative around a story that best reflects you, in your personal voice.

SAT Prep is a key step in getting your foot in the door for elite US colleges. Athena Education's SAT mentors work with you, one-on-one, to prepare for the <u>SAT Exam</u>, focusing on SAT Math and SAT English. This is done through a combination of understanding your key strengths and areas of improvement, going through SAT Practice Tests together, and reflecting on questions that the mentee struggled with.

IB Program – Economics, Mathematics Support

The International Baccalaureate is a holistic pre-university program that Athena Education specializes in. All our mentors for the IB achieved 44 or 45 points themselves, out of a maximum of 45, and have at least 5 years teaching the IB syllabus. IB Economics and IB Math are Athena Education's strongest suits, with our students achieving an average 11.4% increase in scores over 12 months in these subjects. Athena Education is more than an IB Tuition center: our mentors teach from fundamental concepts and intuitions, in order to ensure that when the questions on the exam change, your understanding of the topic does not.

O Level Program – Mathematics Support

For students looking to get an early head start on their university chances by excelling at the O Levels, Athena Education has branched out to include O Level Mathematics in their service repertoire. O Level Maths, especially O Level A-Math, requires a strong understanding of fundamental mathematical concepts (such as basic trigonometric equalities), which is where O Level Math Tuition Centers fall short. Athena Education patiently coaches O Level Maths candidates, one-on-one, to understand what trips them up and corrects for these tendencies over several months. The result is our O Level Exam scores for E Math and A Math have never dipped below an A2 average.

Consulting Program – Management Consulting Interview Preparation

We get it, McKinsey, Bain, and BCG are ridiculously hard to get into. Their acceptance rates are lower than Harvard, Yale, MIT, Cambridge, or Oxford. Our <u>consulting interview</u> coaches have worked in MBB before, and most have filtered hundreds of resumes and cover letters on behalf of the institution. Our coaches work one-on-one with you to understand where you need the most support, be it the cover letter and resume, or casing, or personal fit questions.

Athena Education, with its full suite of academic preparation and university admissions programs across the UK and US, is your one-stop shop for all, ages 15-23. Get the best possible head start in life, and become a future global leader and scholar by learning from the most nurturing and qualified coaches available.

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