



IXL Parent Training Guide 2020-2021 School Year

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WHY in the WORLD are we doing this?!

- IXL provides students with more practice!
- Instant feedback. Do you get it?
Now students know. Right away!
- All levels of practice! If students know that they need help on a specific topic, then go practice it!

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- 1) To access the website, go to www.IXL.com/signin/
- 2) Students will each receive their own unique login.
 - a) The default username is their first and last name (ex: John Doe is johndoe)
 - b) The default password is the student's 8 digit birthday (ex: 12012008)

HOW TO PRACTICE!

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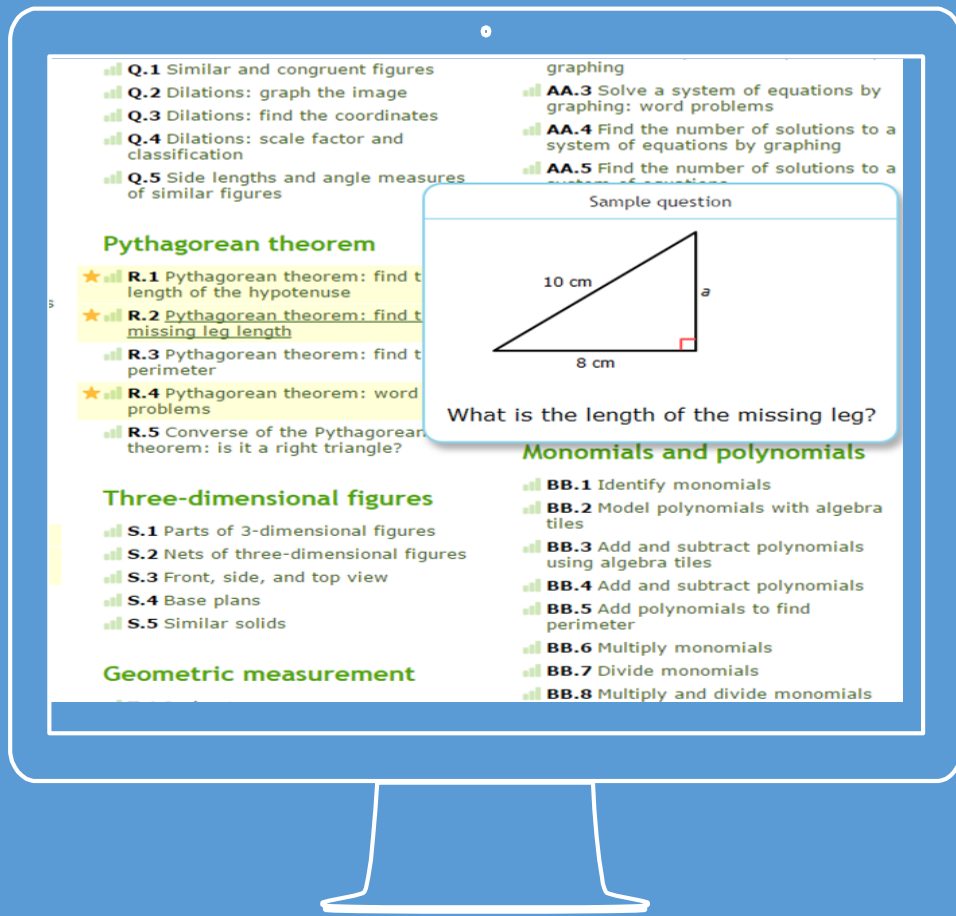
3) Click MATH (Language arts, Science, or Social Studies) in the upper left hand corner of the screen

4) Each grade is listed on the left side of the screen

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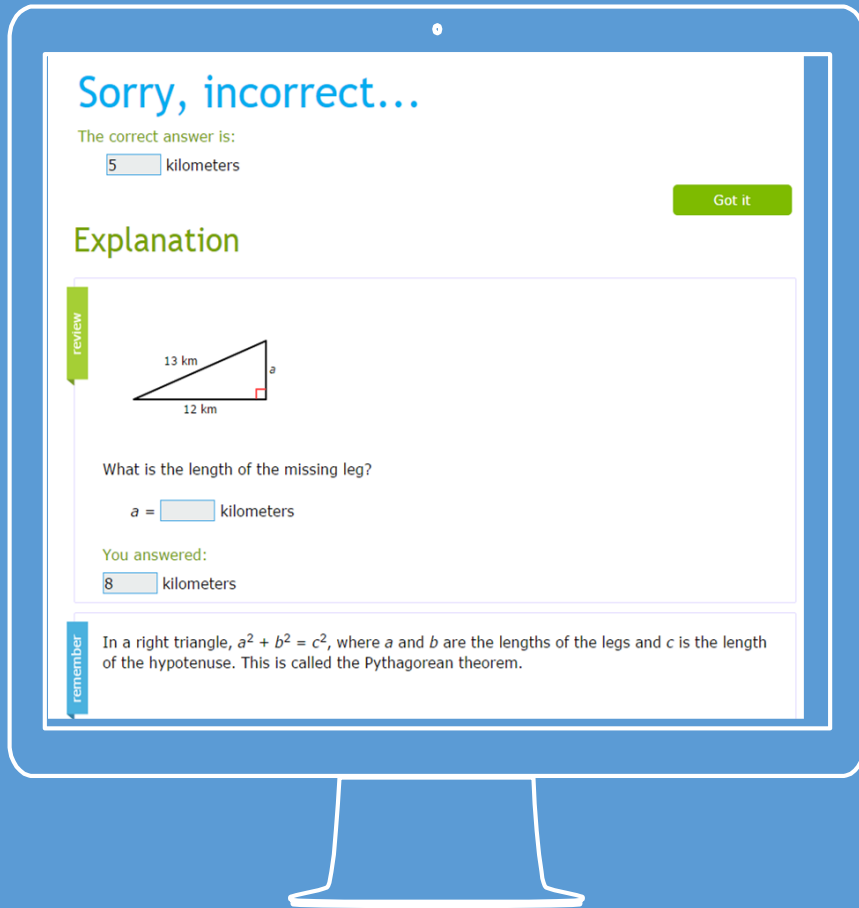
5) You will see categories for each topic we will cover with your student. Under each category, you'll see a list of SKILLS organized by a letter and a number

6) You will notice gold stars next to some skills. These are skills that have been marked that you should practice.

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7) You may move your computer mouse over a skill to view a sample question

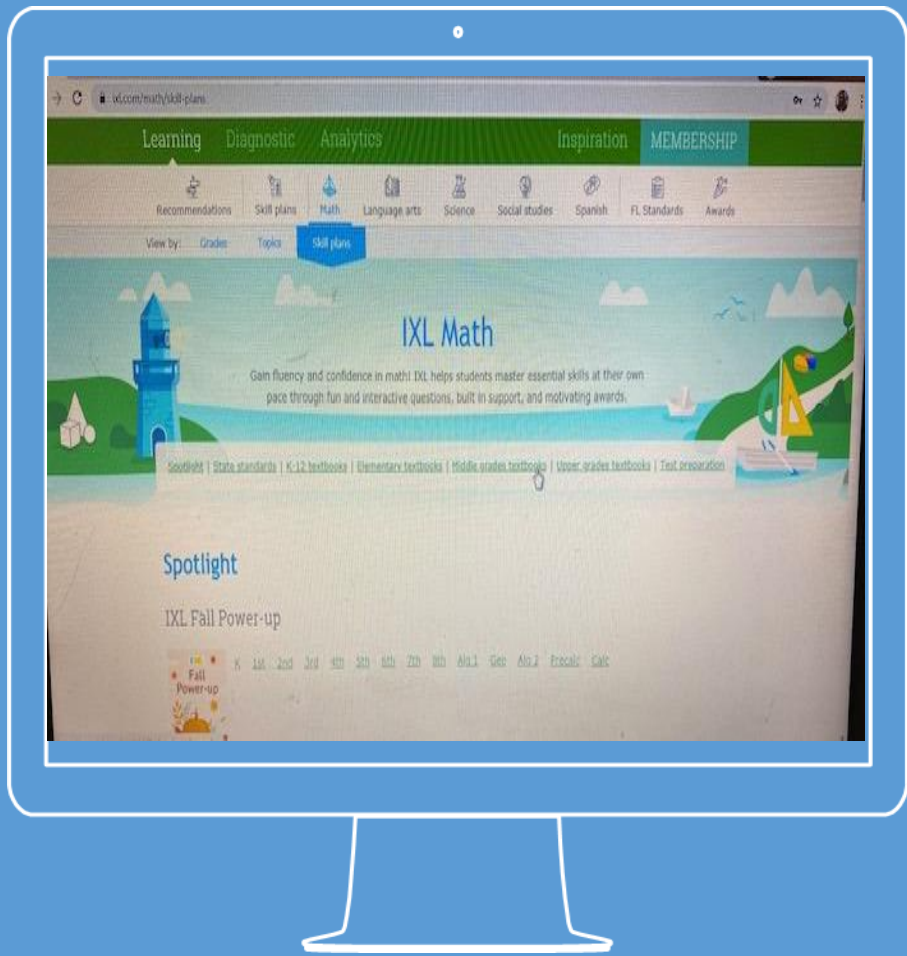
8) Click on a skill to begin. The first question will pop up on the screen.

- If it is correct, the question will get slightly harder
- If it is incorrect, an explanation will show up on your screen

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9) You can also access several of the books that we use in school on IXL.

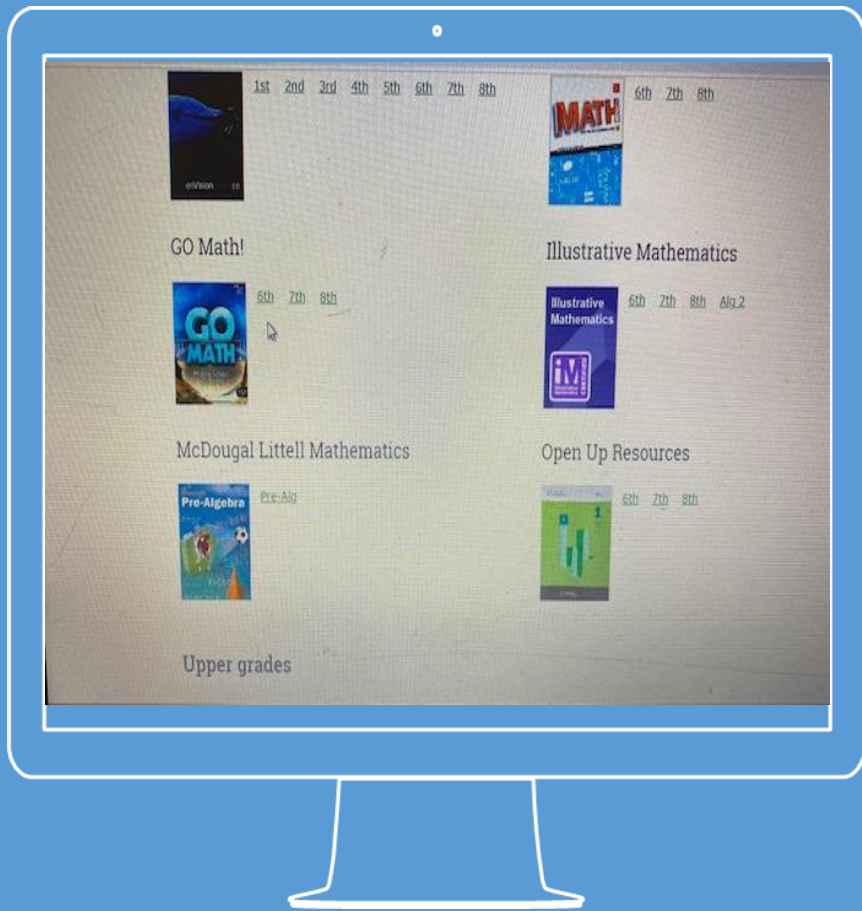
10) Under each academic area, you can view by grades, topics, or Skill Plan. It is under the skill plan tab, that you can find the books

11) In the center of the page, you will see the area for spotlights, state standards, and grade levels

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12) If you click on the grade level (elementary, middle school, high school) and it will bring you to all the books available for that level.

13) You can scroll to the book that is used in your student's class. This will give your student the availability to work on the same topics taught in class.

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Questions answered



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Time elapsed

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HR MIN SEC

SmartScore
out of 100 ?

81

- 1) While your student is practicing a skill, you will see their live SmartScore on the bottom side of the screen
- 2) This score will continue to change as they answer questions. The score is calculated from the following...
 - a) Number of questions completed
 - b) Number of questions correct and incorrect
 - c) Question difficulty
 - d) Recent answers are weighted more heavily
 - e) Consistency (correct answers in a row) is rewarded highly

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3) For my math class, students will be assigned specific skills that they need to complete by a given deadline. For these skills, they will need to complete at least an 80 on your SmartScore in order to be done with the skill!



AT LEAST AN 80!

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