

# Common K-12 Peer Tutoring Models

## WHAT IS PEER TUTORING?

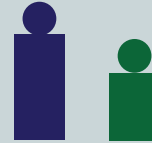
Instructional strategy where students work together (usually in pairs) for the purpose of practicing and mastering academic skills and concepts

### SAME-AGE



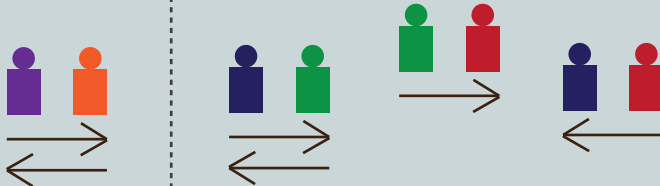
Tutoring occurs between students of the same age or grade level

### CROSS-AGE



Older student tutors younger student. Example: middle grade student tutors elementary student

### RECIPROCAL



Participating students have the opportunity to play the roles of tutor and tutee

### CLASSWIDE PEER TUTORING

Based on reciprocal peer tutoring, CWPT incorporates a game format where each student is paired with another and assigned to one of two teams

### PEER ASSISTED LEARNING STRATEGIES

PALS is a version of CWPT where teachers create student pairs based on individual needs of the students