Zearn impact on i-Ready Diagnostic interim assessment scores

In a rigorously designed quasi-experimental efficacy research study, students in District of Columbia Public Schools who consistently used Zearn Math demonstrated higher i-Ready Diagnostic score growth than matched students who did not use Zearn.

Students who consistently used Zearn outscored matched peers by 7.5 points on the Spring i-Ready diagnostic.

Zearn’s impact was even greater for students who placed “Two or More Grade Levels Below” on the fall i-Ready Diagnostic; these students scored 17.4 scale score points higher than similarly matched peers—equivalent to an additional 24 weeks of math learning in one academic year.

Across subgroups, students who consistently used Zearn scored significantly higher on the i-Ready Diagnostic than matched peers who did not use Zearn.

Zearn is the 501(c)(3) nonprofit educational organization behind Zearn Math, the top-rated math learning platform used by 1 in 4 elementary-school students and by more than 1 million middle-school students nationwide. Read the full study to explore Zearn’s impact on i-Ready Diagnostic interim assessment scores.