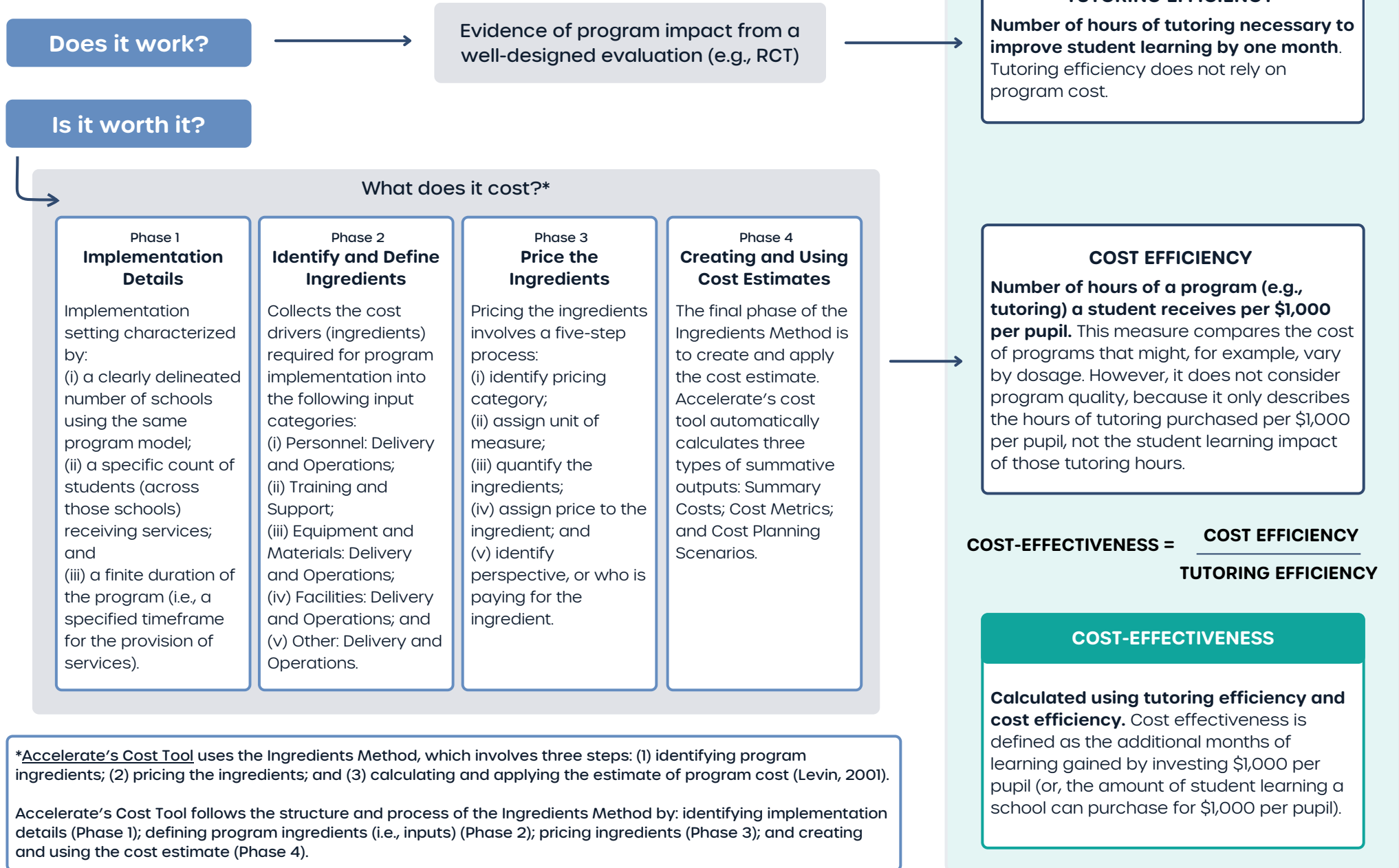


Conducting Cost Analysis of Tutoring Interventions

The [Guide for Program Providers and Researchers](#) and accompanying [cost analysis tool](#) provide a standardized approach to conduct rigorous cost analysis of educational programs and interventions.



*Accelerate's Cost Tool uses the Ingredients Method, which involves three steps: (1) identifying program ingredients; (2) pricing the ingredients; and (3) calculating and applying the estimate of program cost (Levin, 2001).

Accelerate's Cost Tool follows the structure and process of the Ingredients Method by: identifying implementation details (Phase 1); defining program ingredients (i.e., inputs) (Phase 2); pricing ingredients (Phase 3); and creating and using the cost estimate (Phase 4).

