

MOCAP Virtual Learning Participation Guidelines

- Eligible Students wishing to participate in online courses may enroll in virtual courses or programs of instruction offered through the Missouri Course Access Program (MOCAP) subject to the guidelines set forth here and in Board of Education Policy IGCD A.
- Students will be allowed to enroll in Online courses only if it is determined by the school principal, in conjunction with the guidance counselor(s) and/or IEP team (if applicable), that this is in the best educational interest of the student. If it is determined that this is not the best educational option for this student, they will be denied enrollment. The student and his/her guardian have the option to appeal the decision using District Form IGCD A-AF1.
- Students must register prior to the start of the upcoming semester.
- Per Board of Education Policy IGCD A, the district may remove a student from a course or alter the course offering if the course does not meet the educational needs of the student, including situations where the student does not actively participate in the course or complete course assignments.
- A student or parent/guardian must receive district approval before the student may enroll in one or more MOCAP courses or full-time schooling through MOCAP paid for by the district
- If a student fails a virtual course, they may not be eligible to enroll in virtual courses in the future.
- The District does not provide Internet access for courses taken off campus.
- The District will provide connectivity and technical support while the student is on campus.
- Full-time students wanting to participate in a virtual course may be assigned a time in their schedule and will complete their coursework.
- Students needing assistance in these virtual courses will contact the Online teacher through the course provider for this support.
- The District will not pay for classes that then cause the student to exceed a normal full-time school day. Students are welcome to take classes outside of school hours at their own expense.
- All graduation policies regarding credit requirements and acquisition still apply.
- All policies regarding extra-curricular participation established by the District and MSHSAA still apply.
- Students taking Online courses must also complete required assessments (ex. MAP/EOC) for applicable classes, on the scheduled dates with students who take the course on-site.
- Courses may be weighted similar to those of on-site courses.
- Students must meet all enrollment criteria and complete the enrollment form prior to meeting with the building principal and counselor.
- Please review Board Policy IGCD A as a part of enrolling in any MOCAP virtual classes.