ONLINE LEARNING

The district believes online learning can serve as an effective tool for providing educational opportunities for students and staff. It is a valuable resource expanding educational opportunities for students at all levels of achievement. Online learning can provide, enhance, supplement and enrich district curriculum and create additional means for instruction and collaboration. Online learning allows schools and teachers to extend curricular opportunities to students that add value to the educational process for the purpose of increasing overall student achievement.

Online learning will be a part of the district instructional program to increase accessibility and flexibility in the delivery of instruction. As a goal of the district is that all students will graduate with meaningful choices for their future as a result of the quality instruction and rigorous curricula in district schools, curriculum developed for the online learning environment will maintain teaching/learning pedagogies that are aligned with district expectations. To assure high quality learning opportunities, the district will ensure quality curriculum and quality instruction for online learning.

The full or part-time enrollment status of a student participating in online learning is determined in accordance with Colorado law. Students enrolled in online learning must agree to the terms of the district’s internet and technology use agreements.

Eligibility for Student Activities
Students enrolled in online learning may participate in any extracurricular or interscholastic activities offered by the district, subject to the regulations of the Colorado High School Activities Association. Expelled students enrolled in online learning are not eligible to participate in any extracurricular or interscholastic activities offered by the district.

Student Records
The records of students enrolled in online learning shall be maintained on a permanent basis in accordance with current policies and guidelines. These records may include but are not limited to tests, evaluation and district and/or state assessment results.

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