



# Home-Based Digital Learning F.A.Q.

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## **1.) What platform is being used?**

Students will be utilizing the Edgenuity platform which offers k-12 classes in all content areas.

## **2.) I don't have a computer what do I do?**

Every student enrolled in the program will be given the opportunity to take home an NPSB device, specifically an IPAD in a hard case with an attached keyboard.

## **3.) I'm in high school can I still earn Carnegie units?**

Definitely! You will still be enrolled in the classes you would need for graduation and will not lose any progress towards graduation.

## **4.) Will I have a teacher?**

Yes, an NPSB teacher will be assigned to you. The teacher will help monitor your progress and be available to assist you/or your student with anything the student needs.



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## **5.) Will I be attached to a school?**

Yes, whatever school you are zoned for is still your school, you are just learning remotely during the COVID-19 pandemic.

## **6.) Will I receive report cards?**

Yes, your grades will still be put into JCAMPUS and you will still receive report cards.

## **7.) My student has an IEP what will be done for them?**

Mrs. Bennett and her team will assist your student and their teacher to ensure that their IEP is implemented with fidelity through this virtual setting.

## **8.) My student speaks another language can they participate?**

Yes, Edgenuity offers its programs in a variety of languages.

## **9.) What about Lunch?**

Parents would still have the ability to pick up lunches from their child's school.



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**10.) If a vaccine becomes available can I opt out of virtual?**

Yes, if a vaccine is found or numbers significantly drop your student will be able to transition back to their school without being affected in any way. If they are in grades 9-12, they would have to wait until January (a new semester) to transition.

**11.) I don't have internet what about me?**

If you don't have internet, we will have access points you can work from around the parish. We can also work with families on an individual basis to find a solution that fits for them.

**12.) Can I participate in extracurricular activities?**

You may with your home school, although that would lead to possible COVID-19 exposure which is what this program is attempting to curtail.

**13.) How long do I have to be on the program to be counted as "present"?**

The state is putting out guidance, it is not out yet, regarding the amount of "seat time" a student must log on virtual learning platforms in order to receive credit. Once we have this information, we will pass it along.



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**14.) Will the learning be self-paced/can students work ahead?**

Students will have assignments that they must complete or a minimum pace but will be able to move faster if the parent, teacher, and student so desire. Virtual students will still be following the district's semester timelines so that may not accelerate too far ahead.

**15.) Will students have the opportunity to take honors courses and earn honors credits toward their GPA?**

Yes! Edgenuity offers honors classes for the core four at high school.

**16.) What electives will be available to high school students?**

Edgenuity offers a wide range of electives, some of which are not currently offered in NPSB. Attached is a list of those electives. <https://www.edgenuity.com/online-courses/>