

eLearning Day Criteria

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eLearning Day Criteria

Internet Access

Our school corporation can demonstrate access to digital learning for students and teachers away from our buildings.

- Determine % of students without connectivity prior to eLearning Day. *Ask the right question-can you get online away from school?*
- Work with community partners to provide hotspot locations for learning
- Work with internet providers for discounts for families

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Instructor Access



Teachers will be directly reachable by students and parents to facilitate and support instruction.

- Communication between students and teachers can happen in many ways, ie: learning management system chat/messaging, email, Google Voice, phone, video conferencing, etc.
- Times when students can access teachers should be communicated prior to the day and offer multiple opportunities for connecting. Office hours and helplines are great examples.

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Platform Experience



All of our teachers and students have access to,
and experience using, online platforms and
digital resources for learning.

- Professional development should regularly offer tools, resources and support focused on blended learning.
- Year long use of a learning management system ensures all students and teachers can interact with learning objects, collaborate on projects, and evidence mastery.
- Blended learning should NOT just be on eLearning Days.

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Learning Targets

All students will be informed of their learning targets for the eLearning Day by 9:00 am.

- For planned days, all content and learning targets can be released prior to the day to allow students access to download content before going home.
- Like any instructional day- students should be aware of expectations for learning prior to the work being assigned.

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Work Continuity

Student work will cover content that would have been addressed if school were in session in a traditional setting.

- eLearning Days allow for the scope and sequence of the course work to stay on track.
- Blended learning provides multiple ways for learning to continue without the disruption caused by weather, etc.

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Accommodation Support

All students who have accommodations for instruction will be provided with or have access to those accommodations.

- Plan ahead. Student IEPs should have eLearning Day provisions written into their learning plan.
- Teachers of record should work with families ahead of eLearning Days to clarify expectations for learning and how support will be offered prior to, and on the day.

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Offline Support



For students with disabilities who do not use an online platform for learning or for whom an online platform is not appropriate, teachers will provide parents/caregivers with appropriate educational materials and learning activities for student use.

- On planned days buildings may be open and services available for any students needing an alternative to online learning.
- Communication and planning are the keys to successfully providing ALL students with learning targets and resources that meet their needs.



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Individual Needs

For Limited English proficient students, teachers will provide parents/caregivers appropriate educational materials and learning activities for student use per the Individual Learning Plan.

- ENL teachers need to be pro-active in establishing ways that support will be offered on eLearning Days via phone, email, etc.
- Language barriers in the home setting might require offering additional time for students to complete lessons beyond the eLearning Day.

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Work Measurement

Students will demonstrate time on task and/or equivalent learning growth for the eLearning Day.

- Previous years' data shows that attendance and completed assignments are often higher than on a regular day.
- Most schools use completed assignments as the measure of attendance.
- Student virtual check in can be accomplished through the learning management system, a Google doc, or other collaborative apps.