

## **Hamilton County School District**

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Rex L. Mitchell, Superintendent

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Dear Parent or Guardian,

According to Florida Statute\*, all school districts must provide parents with timely written notification of at least one open enrollment period for full-time virtual instruction students.

As always, we are continuing the tradition of providing excellent academic challenges every day to meet the needs of all students and help them achieve their learning goals. We want families to understand that virtual coursework is only one of the options offered and students are not required to participate in online course work until they reach high school.

For self-motivated learners who know how to organize their time and see tasks through to completion, a virtual school course may be a good fit. Parents of students taking virtual courses must be prepared to take an active role in monitoring their child's progress, and committing to a schedule of monthly calls with the virtual teachers in order to review academic progress. Students must achieve adequate weekly progress in all classes in order to continue as a full-time virtual school student. Full-time students must complete a minimum of 6 courses per semester and comply with all state course standards and assessment requirements.

Offered through MyDistrict Virtual School, your child would take part in a fully accredited learning experience guided by highly-qualified, Florida certified teachers.

To learn more about all of our virtual options, please visit the MyDistrict Virtual School website at: <a href="https://www.nefec.org/virtual/">https://www.nefec.org/virtual/</a>.

Enrollment for Full Time Virtual Students for the 2020-2021 School Year	
First Semester	May 6 – August 28, 2020
Enrollment Period:	
Second Semester	November 15, 2020 - January 19, 2021
Enrollment Period:	•

We look forward to working with you to make sure that your child has a successful school year. For more information contact Leslie Carter at 386-792-8105 or <a href="leslie.carter@hamiltonfl.com">leslie.carter@hamiltonfl.com</a>.

Sincerely,

Leslie Carter Full-time Virtual Coordinator

\*Section 1002.45 (1)(b)