

Information about the 2020-2021 school year

We all wish we were able to have a normal school year with full, in-person learning for every student every day. Unfortunately, the spread of COVID-19 is preventing in-person learning on a full or part time (hybrid) basis. We have received clear guidance on what our state and county data must show in order to bring students back in-person, and we will be continually monitoring this data in the hopes that a shift to hybrid learning becomes possible in the near future. Whenever in-person learning resumes, we will communicate at that time about the learning options that are available then. For the beginning of the school year, students will be placed in Comprehensive Distance Learning (CDL), with an option to apply for our Chehalem Online Academy (COA). Here's a brief outline of these two options.



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Comprehensive Distance Learning

“CDL”

- Recommended for most of our families; your student is automatically enrolled in CDL
- Numerous improvements over the distance learning experience in the spring
- Students remain part of their school community
- Daily synchronous online learning experiences with highly-qualified, licensed Newberg School District teachers
- Daily opportunities to interact online with peers
- High quality curriculum designed for online learning
- Chromebooks provided for any student who needs one
- Individualized supports provided as determined by student learning plans

- Newberg’s tuition free online K-12 academy; must apply by Friday, Aug. 21 to be considered
- Students engage in self-directed learning at their own pace with an adult in the home who acts as a “learning guide” throughout the day
- Newberg teachers provide support and tutoring on a regular basis
- Requires a commitment for at least a semester
- Chromebooks provided for any student who needs one
- Individualized supports provided as determined by student learning plans
- More info: <https://bit.ly/COANPS>

The path forward

All students start in CDL or COA model while we wait for the virus spread to slow down. →



Once the virus spread gets under control, shift to a hybrid learning model. →



When health & safety options allow, bring all students back to full-time in-person learning.



“COA”