

Portageville Middle and High School Remote Learning Plan 2021-22

For the 2021-22 school year, Portageville Middle and High School will use an online learning platform titled “Edgenuity” for grades 6-12.. This will be an entirely online platform and students will be required to do work assigned through the learning platform and not assigned specifically by a classroom teacher. This process will be completely different from what was used the previous year. Students will have to be self motivated to meet the difficult demands of virtual learning. Students will be assigned one teacher that is their point of contact that can aid in scheduling tutoring for a virtual student. Grades earned through Edgenuity will be the grade given on report cards. More information will be provided in a parent/student meeting once we have our roster of virtual students for the coming year.

How to Qualify for Remote Learning:

1. Students in grades 6-12 that have a verified medical excuse provided by a Licensed Medical Professional will be allowed to sign up for Virtual School. Medical Consent forms can be obtained from the High School or Middle School Office or on the District Website. **Some administrative discretion may be used in extreme circumstances.**
2. Remote Learning will be for a minimum of one semester. There will be NO switching back and forth. Whatever grades earned in the one semester will be placed on report cards.
3. **All Request for Virtual School must be provided to the HS Office by August 13th. Failure to meet the deadline will result in the request being denied until the following semester.**
4. All Student and Parent participants accepted in the program must attend a training session once school begins.
5. Opportunities to sign up and get medical documentation forms will be made available on Wednesday July 21st on the school district webpage and High School Facebook page. Deadline for paperwork is August 13th. All forms can be brought back to the Middle or High School office starting August 2nd. Medical form documentation is all that is required to sign up.
6. If a student is quarantined for any reason, that student would switch to Google Classroom for their quarantine period that would follow along with their classroom teacher. All work would be due on assigned times.
7. Local Health Conditions could override any plan in place. If this were to occur, our updated plan would be posted via school website and social media.

FAQ:

1. Can I do Remote Learning and participate in sports, clubs, school events, etc.?
--A remote learning student CANNOT participate in athletics, clubs, dances, prom, band concerts, senior trips, etc.

--A Senior Remote Learning student can participate in graduation and the senior awards ceremony.

2. Can I attend sporting events as a fan if I am a remote learning student?
-Yes. Proper admission must be paid like all students.

3. Can I switch from remote learning back to in person classes?
-Yes, However, the switch must be made at the beginning of a semester. No mid semester switches will be made.

4. Do I have to have a doctor's note stating Online Learning is best suited for me?
-Yes. A school medical form must be filled out to qualify for virtual learning. Forms can be found on our school website and on our Facebook page.

5. Do these stipulations apply to grades K-5?
-No. Elementary school will have their own set of guidelines.

6. How are grades determined through Edgenuity?
-Work will be graded by the computer programs in Edgenuity and that will be the grade provided on progress and report cards.