

## Delaware City Schools 2nd Semester Change of Placement Process

November 13, 2020

### 2nd Semester Change of Placement Form

Delaware City Schools families have the opportunity to select the learning model for their student for the second semester. Any family wishing to make a change will need to complete the change of placement form that is linked below by Sunday, November 22nd.

[2nd Semester Change of Placement Form](#)

If your family wishes to continue in your current learning model, you do not need to do anything. Your current placement will remain in effect for the remainder of the school year

Placement shifts will be made according to the following timeline:

- Friday, November 13th 2nd Semester Change of Placement Form posted for families
- **Sunday, November 22nd 2nd Semester Change of Placement Form closes at 11:59 pm**
- Monday, January 4th First Day of 2nd Semester with new student placements

Your family will be notified of your student's placement through email no later than the beginning of Winter Break on Friday, December 18th.

Please note that we will **NOT be able to accept any late requests or make any placement changes** once the window has been closed, so please consider your choice carefully.

In order to make an informed decision, here are some items you will need to consider:

- The instructional model you choose will be for the **remainder of the school year**.
  - Our staffing is based on our enrollment numbers, so once all of the requests are received on Sunday, November 22nd we will not be able to accommodate any changes to your child's placement.
  - While we do not know what the Spring will bring us regarding the coronavirus, vaccines, or changes in weather, we will not be able to shift our staffing at any point during the second semester, so your decisions on your child's placement will not be able to be changed.
- With any shift in a student's placement during the middle of a school year, there will be differences in the curriculum, instructional materials, and delivery methods your child will experience.
  - There may be gaps in the content between the instructional models, so the transition to your student's new learning environment will take some time.
    - Your family will need to extend some grace to the teaching staff during this transition time.
    - Our teachers will also be extending grace to their new students so that we can make the transitions as smooth as possible.
- Any grades that your child received during the first semester will be transferred to the new learning environment you select.
- The list of courses that we have available within the Online Academy is provided below.
  - If your student is currently taking courses that are not listed here, they will not be able to continue with those courses during the second semester if you choose to make the shift to the Online Academy.

### Advanced Placement Courses

Students work independently through Accelerate Education or Apex Learning. There is not a Delaware City Schools teacher teaching AP courses, just a staff member monitoring student progress.

AP English Language - Accelerate Education    AP Calculus AB - Apex Learning    AP US History - Apex Learning  
AP Statistics - Apex Learning    AP Psychology - Apex Learning

### High School Courses

English 9	Algebra 1	Physical Science	World History
English 9 Honors	Algebra 1 B	Biology	World History Honors
English 10	Geometry	Biology Honors	US History
English 10 Honors	Geometry Honors	Chemistry	US History Honors
American Literature	Algebra 2	Chemistry Honors	Government/Economics
American Literature Honors	Algebra 2 Honors	Environmental Science	Spanish 1
World Literature	Algebra 3	Physics	Spanish 2
World Literature Honors	PreCalculus	Health	Spanish 3
College & Career Literature	PreCalculus Honors	Wellness	French 1
Drawing 1, 2, 3	Photography 1, 2, 3		French 2

### Middle School Courses

English Language Arts 6	Math 6	Science 6	Social Studies 6
English Language Arts 7	Math 7	Science 7	World Studies 7
English Language Arts 8	Math 8	Advanced Science 7	American History 8
Art 6	PreAlgebra	Science 8	Physical Education
Intro to Studio Art	Algebra 1	Physical Science	
Advanced Studio Art	Geometry		

### Elementary School Courses

Kindergarten - Core Content	Grade 4 - Core Content
Grade 1 - Core Content	Grade 5 - Core Content
Grade 2 - Core Content	Tech Applications
Grade 3 - Core Content	