

Covington On-line Learning Option - Provided by the Miami County Educational Service Center

Covington Students and Parents,

The Covington Schools have partnered with the Miami County ESC to provide district parents, who are not comfortable sending their children back to in-person classes this fall, with a completely on-line option through a company known as Schools PLP. The students who enroll in this on-line program will remain Covington students, however, their courses will not be taught by Covington staff members. Any student who chooses to enroll in the online option will be required to remain in the program for at least one semester.

Those wishing to enroll their children in the on-line program should contact:

K-6- Principal Josh Long- longj@covingtonk12.org or 937-473-2252

7-12- Principal Josh Meyer- meyerj1@covingtonk12.org or 937-473-3746

The deadline to register is Tuesday, August 11.

The administrators and guidance counselors from Covington will create a schedule for each student who participates in the on-line program. The schedules will be grade level appropriate, and will align with each student's personal interests and academic needs. The students will receive grades based on their mastery of the subject matter presented in their courses. Grades will not be based on effort or participation. The students will spend a comparable amount of time completing their on-line learning as they would during a typical school day at Covington.

Key considerations:

- The on-line courses are taught by the Schools PLP staff and not by Covington EVSD teachers.
- Any student who participates in the Schools PLP on-line program is committing to a full semester of on-line instruction. After the first semester, a student may choose to return to Covington for face-to-face instruction, or continue with the on-line option.
- The students who enroll in the on-line option remain Covington students.
- The students who enroll in the on-line option will receive a Covington issued Chromebook.
- The program contains a parent dashboard for closely monitoring student engagement and success.
- Each lesson contains a variety of elements of instruction to support student learning.
- The grading system matches the Covington grading protocols, which are based on mastery of content.
- The Schools PLP on-line platform is user friendly.

Key web links for further information:

- [The Schools PLP website](#)
- [Watch a demonstration video for grades K-5](#)
- [Watch a demonstration video for grades 6-12](#)

- Login as an elementary school, junior high school, or high school student and see what a student sees: demo.schoolsplp.com/login
 - Use this login information
 - Login: elem Password: elem
 - Login: middle Password: middle
 - Login: high Password: high
 - Click on “Work on this Course” for valuable information

The following tables have course listings available for students who elect to participate in the on-line program. Please look at the following courses and contact your child’s building principal by August 11 if you have further questions, or if you wish to register for the on-line program.

*K-5 Students need to select ONE elective (P.E., Art, or Music) per semester.

ELEM	Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies	P.E.	Art	Music
K	X	X	X	X	X	--	--
1st	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
2nd	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
3rd	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
4th	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
5th	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
6th	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

Junior High	Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies	Music	P.E.	Art	Other
7th	7th LA	7th Grade Math or Pre-Algebra*	Physical Science	7th Social Studies	Select Two (one per semester): Art, Music, PE, Health			
8th	8th LA	8th Grade Math or Algebra I*	Earth & Space Science	American History I-Colonial Times to Civil War	Select Two (one per semester): Art, Music, PE, Career Explorations			

★ - Pre qualification required to take Pre-Algebra and Algebra 1

High School considerations:

- Courses in this program will not be taught by Covington teachers.
- All students must take a minimum of five credits.
 - Freshmen and sophomores must take six credits to stay on pace to meet graduation requirements.
- Students will be registered in the appropriate core courses.
- Students will be registered in the electives based on the following guidelines:
 - Fulfillment of courses to meet graduation requirements
 - Alignment to courses offered at Covington; for example, Covington does not offer American Sign Language; therefore, students may not enroll in ASL in this program.
 - Correlation to courses in the student's existing schedule at CHS for the 2020-2021 school year

HS	ELA	Math	Science	Social Studies	Necessary Electives	P.E.	Art	Other Electives Available
9th	Eng 1A/1B	HS Math Readiness, or ALG 1A/1B, or GEOM	BIO A/B	WLD HST A/B	Nutrition & personal fitness	Physical Education A	Art & Visual Culture A/B	Spanish 1A/1B, Spanish 2A/2B, Spanish 3A/3B, Entrepreneurship A, Business: Introduction A, Marketing Foundations A, Business Management A/B, Agriscience A/B, Child Development A, Digital Media: Introduction A/B, Digital Media: Foundations A/B, Game Design: Foundations A/B, Culinary Arts 1A/2A, Career Explorations A, Principles of Agri Food and Natural Resources A, 3D Modeling, Art & Visual Culture A/B
10th	ENG 2A/2B	ALG 1A/1B, or GEOM, or ALG 2A/2B	CHEM A/B or Phys Science A/B	US HST A/B	Financial Literacy A	Physical Education A	Possible: Art & Visual Culture A/B	
11th	ENG 3A/3B	GEOM, or ALG 2A/2B, or STATS, or PreCALC	CHEM A/B, or Physics A/B, or A&P A/B	AM GOVT A/B	N/A	N/A	N/A	
12th	ENG 4A/4B	If needed: ALG 2A/2B, or STATS, or PreCALC, or CALC	Possible Selections: CHEM A/B, or Physics A/B, or A&P A/B	Possible Selections: Psych A, World Religions A, or Sociology A	N/A	N/A	N/A	