

Questions from today's Virtual School Informational Meeting, August 7, 2018

Is the option available to work ahead? Yes, it would be a possibility.

Are AP courses offered? Yes, they are offered. They would be recognized by colleges just as other AP courses at PHS or elsewhere with passage of the AP exam in May.

What is the cost? There would be no cost to parents for a student to enroll full time in virtual school with 6 courses.

What are the benefits of being enrolled because colleges will accept home school diplomas? The benefit would be a PHS diploma with successful completion. There is also no cost to parents for the program and some home school curriculum is expensive.

Do they cover the skills needed to be successful in a virtual, online course? Yes, the orientation program will review the skills needed to be successful in this type of course. **What is the percentage of video instruction vs text based instruction?** The Edgenuity representative said of their programs each course is different but the main piece of instruction is video. The activity/project and/or assessment that follows would be the most text based.

Can parents communicate with the teachers? Yes! With Edgenuity there is a family portal where parents can log-in and view progress and communicate about the students' progress.