

Duncanville Choice Virtual Instructional Program (VIP)



PURPOSE

To continue providing a virtual learning option for students and families that have thrived during the shift to online learning due to the pandemic.

MISSION

The Duncanville Choice Virtual Instructional Program (VIP) is a remote learning option designed to provide students and families flexibility while maintaining instructional rigor, relevance, and ~~real~~ world experiences.

The Texas legislature is currently determining whether and in what manner to allow for continued virtual/hybrid SY2022 and beyond. Thus, the design and implementation of the Duncanville Choice is subject to change. We are also exploring the COVID Recovery Instructional Materials Support Initiative (CRIMSI), which allows pilot Texas Home Learning (THL) Instructional Materials.

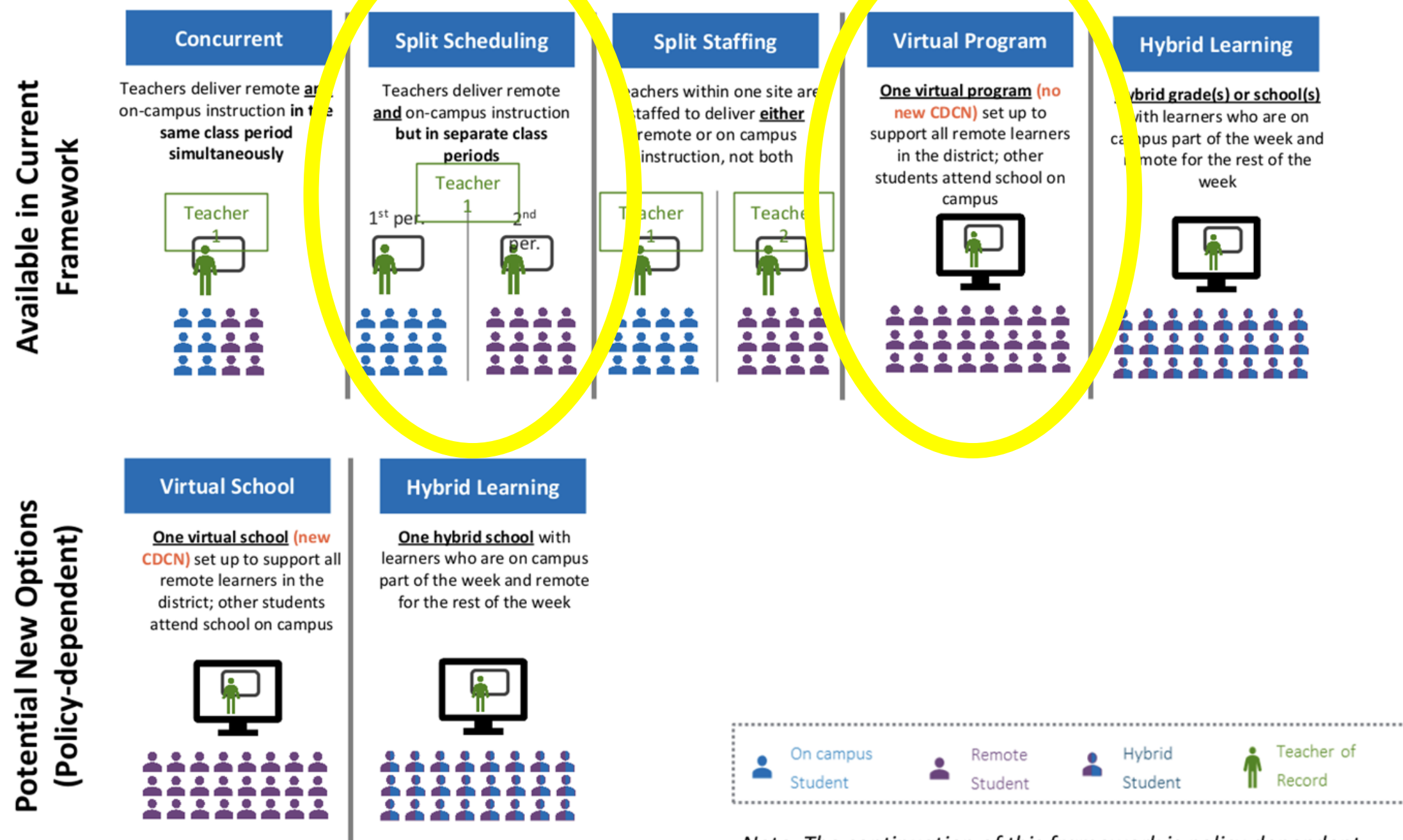
Program Planning

- ✓ ☐ Apply for TEA's Virtual/Hybrid School Accelerator (VHSA)
- ✓ ☐ Participate in Zoom interview with TEA for VHSA
- ✓ ☐ Create online application for students
- ✓ ☐ Finalize student eligibility requirements
- ☐ Survey parents of 10th and 11th graders
- ☐ Designate an administrator and counselor to support Duncanville Choice/VIP

TEA's Virtual School Model Options



Some of these school models are available in our current framework while others are policy-dependent



Note: The continuation of this framework is policy dependent.

2021-2022 Duncanville Choice AP

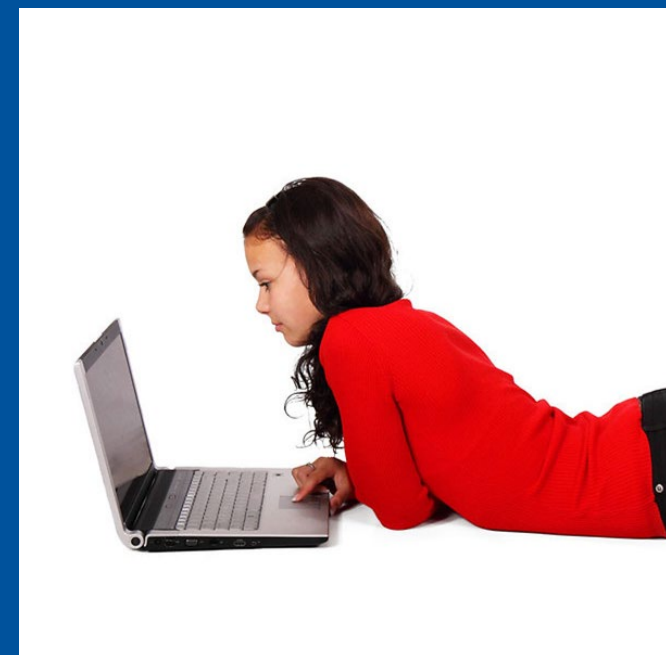


KEY POINTS



11th & 12th Graders

Rising 11th & 12th graders that are currently thriving in a virtual learning environment



Virtual Program

Students attend school remotely for 100% of the school week



Split Scheduling

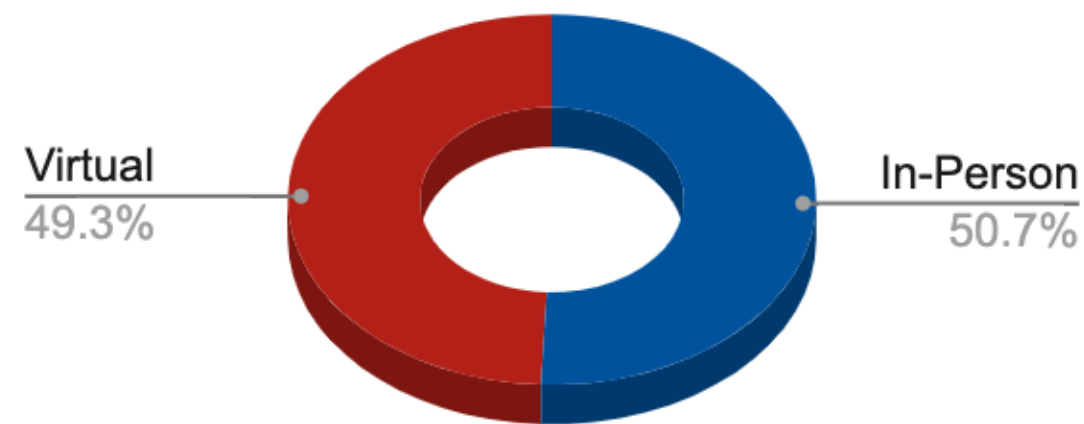
Teachers deliver remote & on campus instruction but in separate class periods

How We Got Here ...

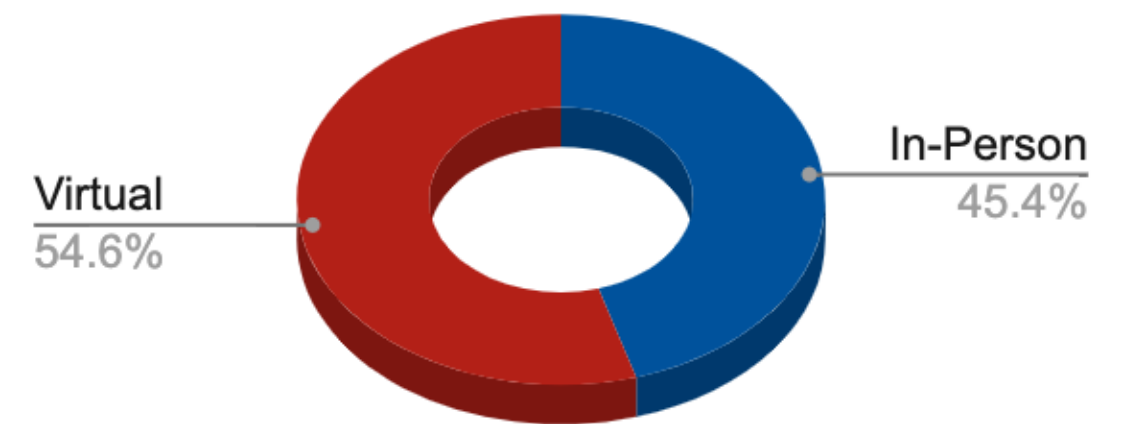


As of the end of the 3rd 9 weeks (April 2), more than 54% of 10th graders and 56% of 11th graders are participating in virtual instruction.

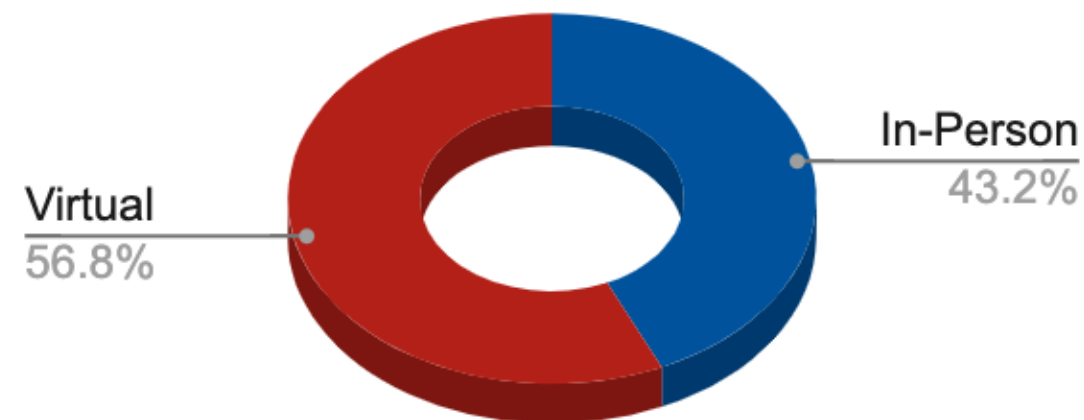
9th Graders



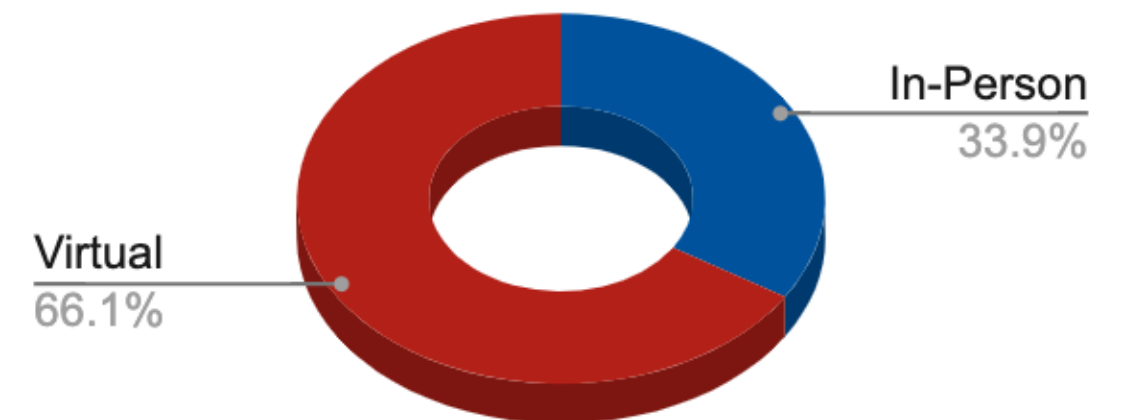
10th Graders



11th Graders



12th Graders



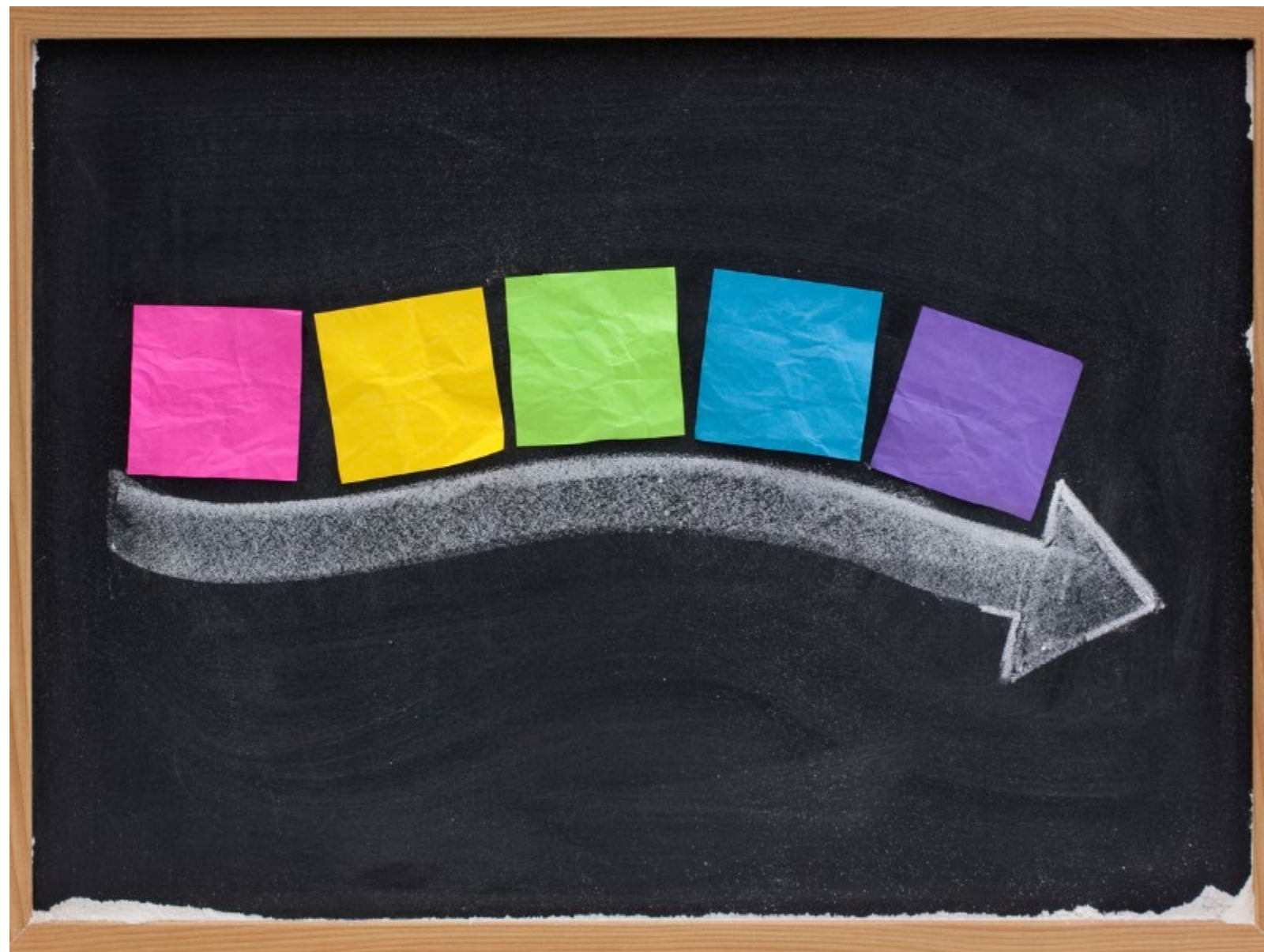
Duncanville Choice/VP: Student Application



- Open to **rising 11th and 12th graders**
- **200** available seats
- Not recommended for **EC/ES, PECH, STEM** and other students that require person learning activities
- **Eligibility requirements:**
 - TSI college readiness standards met or completion of Texas Bridge in summer
 - End of Course standards met, when available
 - Satisfactory attendance and behavior records
 - Passing grades
 - Meeting graduation requirements

ONLINE
STUDENT
APPLICATION

Duncanville Choice VIP: Timeline



DUNCANVILLE CHOICE - VIRTUAL INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM (VIP)



DEADLINE

MILESTONE

PENDING TASKS

KEY STAKEHOLDER

DUE DATE

April 30

VHSA Application Due
Submit Accelerator application and prepare for 25-minute Zoom interview

Apply for Virtual & Hybrid School Accelerator Program

Shalontae Payne

April 30

Finalize Student Eligibility Criteria & Instructional Model with DHS Administration

Dr. Sewell

May 10

Designate a Virtual Program Administrator

Michael McDonald

May 10

DISD Board Meeting

Dr. Sewell

May 17

Publish Virtual Program Website & Launch Student Application

TBD

May 18

- Publish sample student schedules
- Publish course offerings for Virtual Program

Launch Marketing & Communication Campaign to Inform Families

TBD

May 18

Create Virtual Program Policies & Publish Student Handbook

DHS Administrators

May 21

Create Student Enrollment Process, Close Student Application & Review Submissions

DHS Administrators

June 4

Determine Staff Needs, Model & Physical Location

Administrator

June 16

Determine Material & Supply Needs

Administrator

June 16

Inform Applicants of Acceptance or Denial into Virtual Program

Administrator

June 18

Conduct Initial Parent & Student Meetings

Administrator

June 25

Determine Meal Plan, if any, for Virtual Learners

Administrator

June 30

Identify Virtual Program Instructors & Conduct Onboarding

Administrator

June 30

Facilitate SEL Plan for Virtual Program Learners

Administrator, Counselor

June 30

Conduct a Virtual Open House for Families

Administrator

July 26

June 18

Identify & Notify Admitted Students
Inform applicants of acceptance or denial into Virtual Program

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Recommendation:

Approve the Duncanville Choice Virtual Instructional Program (VIP) for Duncanville High School for the 2021-22 school year.