



# Learning that **empowers** **students** for life



An Online School for Grades K-12

# Unlock your child's potential

Choosing the right school can transform a child's life. And, because every child is unique, a "one size fits all" approach to education isn't always effective. At Troy Intersect Virtual School, we work closely with families to tailor the learning program to each child's needs, talents, interests, and learning styles. This way, each student has exactly what's needed to do his or her best.

Students enrolled in our **tuition-free** online public school learn from home, linking to teachers, lessons, and classmates using the Internet. With a world-class curriculum, caring, certified teachers, and a custom mix of challenge and support, students build a strong foundation for a lifetime of achievement.

## School focused on your child

We apply a student-centered approach to helping your child develop essential skills for school and for life. With this approach, it is recommended that each child have a caretaker, typically a parent. Teachers, curriculum, and caretaker work together to support, enrich, and customize learning.

### CARETAKERS

Typically support and motivate the student and monitor the schedule. Caretakers are also encouraged to communicate and collaborate with the teachers.



### CURRICULUM

Provides multimedia lessons, interactive tools, and excellent resources to engage students. It also delivers continuous information on students' progress to teachers.



### CONNEXUS®

is the online system that facilitates learning. Students and caretakers use it to link with teachers, curriculum, and a wide range of resources.



### TEACHERS

Personalize lessons, provide feedback and assistance, and encourage students. Periodically, teachers instruct in real-time virtual sessions and evaluate student progress.



### STUDENTS

Discover, create, and learn from home, accessing curriculum and resources via the Internet. Students can contact teachers for assistance by WebMail or phone.

# All the elements of a well-rounded education

Our virtual school offers a world-class educational experience. With support from our team and our caring teachers, your child will thrive in a flexible environment built for his or her individualized approach to learning.



## We provide you and your child with:

- A Tuition-Free, High Quality, Public School Education
- Individual attention from experienced, Michigan-certified teachers
- A drop-in center for face-to-face additional support
- Hundreds of courses designed for college and career readiness
- Dual enrollment opportunities for high school students
- Oakland Schools Technical Campus (OSTC) career program opportunities
- The ability to participate in extracurricular sports and activities at local high school
- A Troy Intersect diploma
- FAMILY 411, an exclusive, online resource center packed full of supportive resources necessary for your virtual school success

## An outstanding curriculum

Every course in our comprehensive curriculum has been designed to engage students fully in online learning. Your child will build a solid foundation in reading, writing, and mathematics, while developing exploration, critical-thinking, and problem-solving skills. With a broad selection of core courses and exciting electives, you and your student can personalize the learning program according to his or her interests.



## Stay connected

Online school doesn't mean learning alone. You and your child can receive help whenever it's needed, through Webmail, chat, and online LiveLesson® sessions with teachers. Our teachers get to know their students well, so they can personalize lessons to ensure that each receives the right degree of challenge and support. Virtual school students also have opportunities to interact with each other. Just like all kids, they choose to IM, text, talk to each other on the phone, and connect via social media.

## Take the journey together

As a caretaker, you have unlimited options for being involved in your student's education. Many families choose to create an environment that not only is safe but also nurtures their values. Parents tell us they cherish the extra time with their children, and the memories that last a lifetime.

## Proven quality from Pearson, a leader in education

To offer this high-quality online school program to students, we have partnered with Pearson, a leading education company that has provided virtual instruction to students worldwide for more than a decade. The program is accredited by AdvancED and is nationally and regionally recognized.







“I am so grateful that there is a school that gives our family options while still offering such a great education for my daughters.”

Tony, online program parent

## The flexibility your child needs

With more scheduling flexibility, our online school is ideal for many families. Students can take more time for challenging subjects or move quickly through lessons that are easily mastered. Schoolwork can be scheduled to accommodate travel, music lessons, sports practices, and other activities—without falling behind. While some coursework may need to take place at fixed times, there is always greater flexibility in how and where your student spends that time.

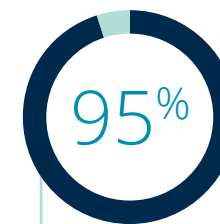
### Our community of learners includes:

- Students who prefer home-based learning
- Students who need more flexible scheduling, such as artists and athletes
- Students who appreciate more individual attention or support
- Students who can benefit from pacing that works with their learning styles
- Students seeking more challenging courses
- Students overcoming medical issues

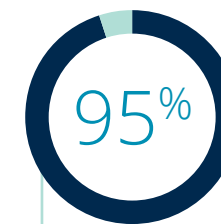


## Online programs earn high marks

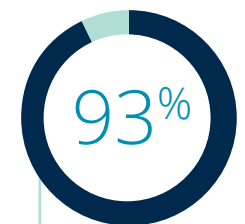
Each year, parents of students in Pearson’s network of online schools rate their experiences in an anonymous survey conducted by an outside firm. The consistently high ratings from this Parent Satisfaction Survey demonstrate how our proven approach can deliver great results for your family.



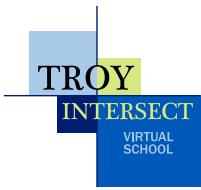
of parents agree that the curriculum is high quality.



of parents agree the program is flexible.



of parents agree the use of technology is improving the learning experience.



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## Let's talk

Whether your child needs a fresh way to focus on academics and build confidence, a more supportive environment, or the freedom to pursue other interests, our school can provide the flexibility needed to achieve his or her goals. Together, we can empower your child for a lifetime. We are now accepting students from Oakland, Genessee, LaPeer, Macomb, Wayne, Washtenaw, and Livingston counties in Michigan.

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