WHY ONLINE?

Online courses offer students the unique opportunity to personalize their daily schedule while engaging in the same high quality curriculum as they would experience in the traditional classroom setting. The delivery model will be adapted to maximize student success on-line and allow for anytime, anywhere learning. Online courses will be taught by current Mounds View Public Schools teachers, which will allow students the opportunity to meet with their teacher and classmates throughout the semester as needed.

COURSE OFFERINGS

Mounds View students may choose from a comprehensive list of courses Health, Physical Education and Social Studies. Please see the high school registration guide for a complete list of available online courses.

- Course availability will be determined by student enrollment

- Students may select a maximum of three online courses per academic year

IS ONLINE LEARNING RIGHT FOR YOU?

Taking an online course means you have the flexibility to complete coursework anywhere at any time. This also requires you to manage your own time to ensure assignments are being completed. The most common reason why students do not find success with online courses is because they do not develop a plan for successful time management and task completion. Below are a few questions to ask yourself if you are considering one or more online courses.

- **Am I self motivated and self disciplined?**
  You are the primary person responsible for your success. If you believe you may struggle to complete work, login to your course(s), or reach out for assistance, online learning will be difficult. Online learners must be diligent and organized to ensure success.

- **Am I an effective communicator?**
  Are you comfortable with email and virtual meetings? Communication in an online environment is different than in a traditional classroom setting as you may not be able to access immediate feedback. Online learners must be comfortable communicating with teachers through different platforms when assistance is needed.

- **Can I make time for school if I am not present in the classroom?**
  It is important for online learners to create routines for when you are best able to complete tasks and assignments. Unlike some online providers, pacing in Mounds View Online will closely follow the pacing in our traditional classrooms.

QUESTIONS?

Please see your dean for more information.