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# Media Release

## Enrollment starts for CCSD Virtual Academy

**Charleston**, **SC** - Enrollment for Charleston County School District's (CCSD) Virtual Academy for the 2020-2021 school year is now open.

The CCSD Virtual Academy Enrollment Form, available for families to complete in <a href="English">English</a> and <a href="Spanish">Spanish</a>, will run through Friday, August 14, 2020.

The form is also posted in the "Important Links" section of the main page of our district website, <a href="https://www.ccsdschools.com">www.ccsdschools.com</a>.

Additional information about CCSD's Virtual Academy, including the Virtual Academy Q&A (English|Spanish) and the Parent Enrollment Options Form Supplemental Information, is available on the district website as well.

Parents and guardians are only required to fill out this enrollment form if they want their child to start the school year in the Virtual Academy (a minimum nine-week commitment for elementary and middle school students, an 18-week commitment for students in high school-level courses).

If parents or guardians have questions about the Virtual Academy, they are encouraged to contact CCSD's School Choice Office via email at <a href="mailto:school\_choice@charleston.k12.sc.us">school\_choice@charleston.k12.sc.us</a> or by phone at 843-937-6582.

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#### **About the Charleston County School District**

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is a nationally-accredited school district that is committed to providing equitable and quality educational opportunities for all of its students. CCSD is the second-largest school system in South Carolina and represents a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 87 schools and specialized programs.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), Montessori, and charter schools. Options include programs in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM); music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military.

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