RADNOR_CYBER_ACADEMY

2026-2027_PROGRAM_GUIDE

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What is RCA

RTSD remains committed to focusing on academic excellence and providing for the health, safety, and emotional well-being of students, staff, and community. Radnor Cyber Academy (RCA) is designed for full-time online learning and is a separate program from in-person classes with its own teachers and course materials uniquely designed to meet the needs of distance education. To enroll your student for the 2026-27 school year, use the RCA Registration Form.

RTSD has a partnership with Edmentum/EdOptions, and they provide the online curriculum, teachers, and learning management platform for our RCA students.



In addition to our strong partnership with Edmentum/EdOptions, having an in-house Radnor team to support our RTSD students has helped ensure our RCA program and our RCA students are successful.

Many families have asked what virtual learning will look like for their child at home. It will look different for a seven-year-old and a seventeen-year-old, but here are some things you could expect with virtual learning and RCA:

- The units of study follow state standards and will be similar to those being used at the building.
- The learning model will be flexible ---there may be times for students to log on to a live classroom lesson, and there will also be times for them to view recorded lessons at a time that works for the family.
- There will not be an expectation that students log on at the beginning of the school day and log off at the end of the school day.
- Courses are open 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- Students are expected to engage in all online lessons and complete assignments and assessments in a timely manner.
- Courses will likely have a combination of videos, text, lessons, and assignments.
- Assigned teachers can be reached via email, messenger, phone, and through scheduled office hours.
- Students can also get content support from certified teachers through drop-in Live Help available within the Virtual Learning Hub. Exact hours for SY26-27 TBD but generally they are 9AM-6PM ET daily.
- A format for submitting completed work.
- Feedback from the teachers.
- Attendance can be documented through students logging into course work, student progress reports, assignment completion, and more.
- Grades will be given at the end of the marking period and on assignments, activities, and assessments.

The specifics of this model will vary depending on grade level and the courses, but these are some of the guiding principles of the virtual learning model. More details can be provided if needed.

What are Edmentum and EdOptions

Edmentum/EdOptions is RTSD's online learning partner. They provide the teachers and 24/7 access to the online curriculum. The courses your student will be using are part of the **EdOptions** program.

Elementary Students
In addition to their academic classes, your students are enrolled in Music, Art, and Physical Education/Wellness.

All 4th and 5th-grade students interested in band or orchestra are invited to work with our band and orchestra teachers for live synchronous lessons and asynchronous lessons.

Secondary Students
Students in middle and high school will take core (English, Math, Science, Social Studies) courses as well as have the ability to choose from a variety of elective options. Courses could vary slightly from RTSD-specific offerings.

Elementary and Secondary Students
All students will have full access to RTSD eBooks and research tools through their RTSD library. Courses will be listed as RCA on all report cards and transcripts.

RCA Contacts

K-12

INITIAL CONTACT:

Virginia Glatzer
Assistant Director of Instructional Technology
Phone: 610-688-8100
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ONGOING CONTACTS:

Edmentum/EdOptions Teachers
RTSD Building Counselors
RTSD Building Assistant Principal

Virginia Glatzer
Assistant Director of Instructional Technology
Phone: 610-688-8100
Email: virginia.glatzer@rtsd.org

Dr. Scott Hand
Director of Technology Innovation and Instructional Design
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Email: scott.hand@rtsd.org

Support Pathways

All Radnor Cyber Academy students will use a district-issued laptop.

- Students in grades K-8 will use a Chromebook
- Students in grades 9-12 will use a Chromebook

You will receive information about a Username and Password via email. You and your student will receive an email with EdOptions logins from **noreply@edoptionsacademy.com**. Be sure to check your spam or junk folders if it does not appear in your normal inbox.

Log in to the RCA home page at https://edm.geniussis.com/PublicWelcome.aspx

This is the main website on which you will access your courses and other important information. Bookmark this website! To access your courses, click on the LAUNCH button on each class tile.

From your Dashboard, you can also check your grades, progress, and activity minutes for each course, as well as send and receive messages from your teachers, Edmentum/EdOptions student advisor and other Edmentum/EdOptions support staff.

Students can also get content support from certified teachers through drop-in Live Help available within the Virtual Learning Hub. Exact hours for SY26-27 TBD but generally they are 9AM-6PM ET daily.

Login Information

RCA Login Page:	https://edm.geniussis.com/PublicWelcome.aspx
Usernames/Passwords:	(Sent via email)

Student and Family Technical Support

Website:	Parent U - Where to go for Tech Support
Phone:	(610) 386-6333
	Mon-Fri, 9:00AM - 3:00PM
	For *after hours* support, submit this form.

Calendar Year and
Transitions Between RCA and In-Person

Calendar Year

For the 2026-27 school year, RCA will follow the RTSD Calendar. The first day of school for RCA students is Tuesday, September 8. Students will receive grades at the end of every semester If schoolwork and assignments are not submitted, students will receive an "incomplete" according to RTSD building handbooks and grading practices and policies. All schoolwork and assignments must be completed by June 10, 2027, the last calendar day of school for RCA and RTSD students.

After registering, please log in to the Radnor Cyber Academy Learning Platform as soon as possible to get started https://edm.geniussis.com/PublicWelcome.aspx

Important dates:

PSSA Testing Window
April: English Language Arts (3-8) April 26-30
April: Mathematics (3-8) May 3-7
May: Science (5 & 8) May 3-7
Keystone Testing Window
Winter: Dec 7-18
Spring: May 17-28

Transitioning Between RCA and In-Person

Any transitions between in-person learning and RCA will be offered at the start and end of each RTSD calendar semester (secondary student) or trimester (elementary students). We find that the most successful transitions between in-person and the cyber program occur at these times. RTSD retains the right to transition students between in-person and remote learning at any time throughout the school year. Transitions to RCA for students during the 4th quarter will not be permitted.

The District reserves the right to reassign RCA students to in-person instruction if the student fails to complete online lessons, assignments, or assessments within the timelines prescribed by Edmentum/EdOptions and/or RCA.

Radnor Township School District
2026-2027
Instructional Calendar
School Board Approved 5.27.2025

School Board Approved 5/27/2025

JULY 2026

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JUL 3	District Holiday	*All Buildings Closed*
AUG 17	PIAA High School Sports begin	
AUG 25-26	New Teacher Induction	
AUG 31-SEPT 4	Teacher In-Service ^	*No Students K-12*
SEPT 7	District Holiday	*All Buildings Closed*
SEPT 8	First Student Day K-12	
SEPT 21	Offices Open/No School	*No Students K -12*
OCT 23	2-Hour Early Dismissal Teacher In-Service	*Early Dismissal K-8*
NOV 3	Teacher In-Service	*No Students K-8*
NOV 3	Virtual Instruction Day	*Remote Learning 9-12*
NOV 13	Assessment Day K-5	*No Students K-5*
NOV 19, 23 -24	Evening Parent Conferences 6-12	*Full Student Day*
NOV 23	Evening Parent Conferences K-5	*Full Student Day*
NOV 24	Parent Conferences K-5	*No Students K-5*
NOV 25	Parent Conferences K-12^	*No Students K-12*
NOV 26-27	District Holiday	*All Buildings Closed*
DEC 24-25	District Holiday	*All Buildings Closed*
DEC 28	Teacher Flex In-Service	*No Students K-12*
DEC 29	Offices Open/No School	*No Students K-12*
DEC 30-JAN 1	District Holiday	*All Buildings Closed*
JAN 18	District Holiday	*All Buildings Closed*
FEB 5	2-Hour Early Dismissal Teacher In-Service	*Early Dismissal K-8*
FEB 15	District Holiday	*All Buildings Closed*
FEB 26	Assessment Day K-5	*No Students K-5*
MAR 10	Teacher In-Service 6-12 only	*No Students K-12*
MAR 10	Parent Conferences K-5 only	*No Students K-12*
MAR 11	Evening Parent Conferences K-5	*Full Student Day*
MAR 22-25	Offices Open/No School	*No Students K-12*
MAR 26	District Holiday	*All Buildings Closed*
APRIL 2	2-Hour Early Dismissal Teacher In-Service	*Early Dismissal K-8*
MAY 17	Teacher In-Service	*No Students K-12*
MAY 18	Teacher In-Service^	*No Students K-8*
MAY 18	Virtual Instruction Day	*Remote Learning 9-12*
MAY 31	District Holiday	*All Buildings Closed*
JUN 10	Last Student Day K-8 only	*Full Student Day*
JUN 11	RHS Graduation	
JUN 11	Teacher In-Service K-8 only	No Students K-8
JUN 11	Last Student Day/Early Dismissal 9-11	
JUN 14-17	Teacher In-Service^	*No Students K-12*

^Proposed ACT 80 Days

PSSA Testing Window

April: English Language Arts (3-8) April 26-30

April: Mathematics (3-8) May 3-7

May: Science (5 & 8) May 3-7

Keystone Testing Window

Winter: Dec 7-18

Spring: May 17-28

Radnor High School Testing Window*

Midterms: January 25-27

Senior Finals: June 4,7-8

Underclassmen Finals: June 8-10

The 2026-2027 calendar does not have any built-in emergency school closure days. If an emergency school closure days is needed, the District will hold a Flexible Instructional Day (FID) or turn the day into an in-service day for teachers. The last day of school will remain June 11.

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MAY 2027

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Tips for Success

Our Radnor_Cyber_Academy staff is dedicated to ensuring your child reaches their highest potential. We recognize that to be successful in school, children need support from both the home and school. We know a strong partnership with you will make a great difference in your child's education. We ask that you guide and support your child's online learning by ensuring that that you child:

- Has a designated space for learning
- Reads daily to develop a love for reading and to improve literacy skills
- Is determined and motivated to learn
- Has or develops a growth mindset
- Completes all assignments given by teachers
- Checks Edmentum/EdOptions messages or email daily
- Shares learning experiences with you so that you are aware of their cyber school life
- Informs you if they need additional support in any area or subject
- Maintains school-issued technology
- Discusses course progress and progress reports

Edmentum/EdOptions Orientation is an essential first step.

NEW AND RETURNING STUDENTS are **required** to complete orientation. They will find this course by logging in as outlined above and clicking on the **Orientation Tile**.

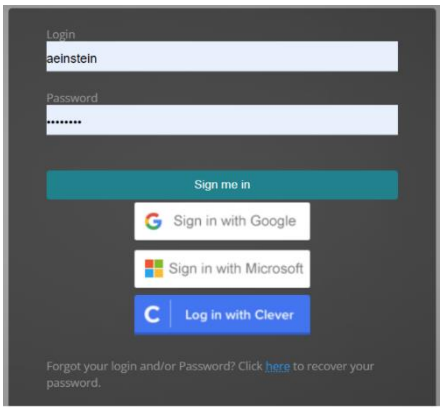
Once you log in, you will watch a short orientation video and read some brief announcements from Edmentum/EdOptions, RTSD's online learning partner. The video and Edmentum/EdOptions's announcements will help you and your child get acclimated to the website. Students should complete all orientation assignments before entering their content related courses.

Log in to your Edmentum/EdOptions Google account every day.

Click on this link and choose **Sign in with Microsoft**.
Your login/email address will be:

Grades 3-12 login using this format:

- flast56@stu.rtsd.org (first initial + lastname + last two of student ID @stu.rtsd.org)
- Password: initials+studentID



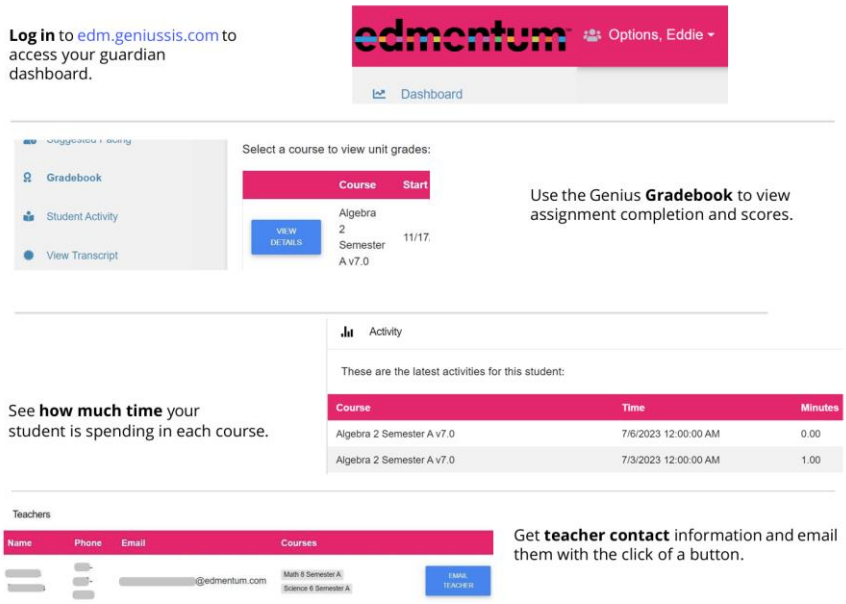
Grades K-2 login using this format:

- studentID@rtsd.org
- Password: initials+studentID

Students are expected to check messages in Genius, their RTSD student e-mail, and course sites every day; it is our primary way of communicating with you and your parents during the school year.

Family's Role in Online Learning

Parents/guardians are also able to log into Genius SIS. Log in to edm.geniussis.com to access your guardian dashboard to monitor student's progress and grades, *as long as a parent email is provided upon registering the student*. A separate email will be sent automatically to the Parents/Guardians within the first day of a student's enrollment. You and your student will receive an email with EdOptions logins from **noreply@edoptionsacademy.com**. Be sure to check your spam or junk folders if it does not appear in your normal inbox.



Parents/guardians can also help students succeed by:

- Reminding students to work an average of *one hour per day, per course* if working on a full-year schedule; or an average of two hours per day, per course if working on a block schedule.
- Reminding students to check their messages every day, whether through Genius, e-mail, or his/her course platforms.

- Checking your student's dashboard often to ensure they are making steady progress in their courses.

Edmentum/EdOptions provides this Getting Started resource for Students, Parents, and Caregivers.

Progress Reports

Accountability and Progress reports focus on illustrating progress towards student achievement goals, growth, and improvement. They highlight areas of success and report areas that may have fallen short of targets.

Wellness Checks

Weekly wellness checks will be required by each student. In the wellness check, the student will connect synchronously at least once per week with an Edmentum or Radnor teacher/administrator. In this check, the camera must be turned on.