

## Elizabeth 100% Online Program 2020-2021

While it is our sincere belief that the best education is done when teachers and students are together, we understand this may not be the right choice for every student or family. With this in mind, the Elizabeth School District will be offering a 100% online program for the 2020-2021 school year for all district students in grades K-12, including students who have been enrolled at Legacy Academy.

The district is partnering with Colorado Digital Learning Solutions (CDLS) to provide this program. CDLS uses a proven online curriculum aligned to Colorado's standards and is taught by licensed Colorado teachers. The academic content of this program is similar to the content taught in Elizabeth classrooms, but is not the same. The online program and in-person classes in Elizabeth are both aligned to the same state content standards, but CDLS uses a different curriculum and is taught by its own experienced online teachers. CDLS is being used by many rural Colorado school districts to provide a 100% online option to their students during the COVID-19 pandemic.

CDLS courses are designed so you can take a course in an asynchronous manner (in other words, you can be online in the course at any time of the day or night) but with structure (or deadlines for completion of the course units) so that you complete the course during your school's grading period. Each course has a licensed teacher who will be working with and monitoring the student's work. Chromebooks will be available for any student choosing the 100% Online Program.

Each course is built around a semester's worth of work and is designed to support the student in mastering state standards. **If a student chooses the 100% Online Program, they are expected to commit to it for a full semester and will not be allowed to return to in-person instruction until the next semester.**

Registration for the 100% Online Program this fall will be done in a few steps:

1. Register for the school your child would like to be affiliated with using the regular online registration process and choose the Online option. This is the school they would attend if they returned to in-person learning at the end of the semester.
2. The district will then register your student in the CDLS system and enroll him/her in the appropriate classes.
3. The CDLS registration process begin on August 12. After the district registers your student an email will be sent detailing the log in information.
4. Classes begin August 26<sup>th</sup> and end December 17, 2020.

If a student wishes to remain in the 100% Online Program for the spring semester, there will be a separate registration process beginning in early December.

Based on work load requirements and recommendations, students will be assigned a different number of courses based on their grade level.

Grades K-2 will be assigned grade level English/reading and Math

Grades 3-5 will be assigned grade level English/reading, Math and Science

Grades 6- 8 will be assigned the four core classes (English, Math, Science and Social Studies) based on their grade level

Grades 9 -12 will be assigned the four core and two elective courses based on their EHS Schedule

We understand this is an important choice for parents and students. For more information in making this decision, please check the links below or contact the school or Rob McMullen, the Online Learning Coordinator, directly.

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- [CDLS District Flyer](#)
- [CDLS Fall 2020 MS-HS Course Catalog](#)
- [CDLS Elementary K-5 Course Catalog](#)
- [CDLS Readiness Checklist](#)

For more information and Course Demos

Elementary Students Access at <https://www.coloradodls.org/elementary>

Demo a Course Login:

Username: student1

password: cdsonline

Middle / High School students access at <https://cdlsdemodistrict.agilixbuzz.com/>

Username: student2

password: cdsonline