

Scholars@Home

An independent study program for families who wish to continue their child's academic learning in the home environment with the ongoing support of a credentialed teacher. This program is a good fit for any family who chooses to continue their child's instruction at home and will be an active partner with their child's teacher to deliver at home curriculum and support.





Instructional Minutes

The Scholars@Home program falls under the state of California's Independent Study guidelines and AB 130, students must complete daily assignments that equate to...

- 180 minutes per day for TK and K
- 240 minutes per day for grades 1-6





Attendance Requirement

- Student's daily attendance will be determined by the completion of the minimum number of assignments as assigned by the teacher, required by the instructional minutes.
- Students who do not meet the required assignments for any given day (TK/K 180 min; 1st-6th 240 min) will not be given credit for the day.
- Students will be provided live interaction and one hour of synchronous instruction on a daily basis.
- Students who are not completing assignments on a regular basis will be assigned to in-person learning.

Students with an IEP

- If your child has an Individualized Education Program (IEP), and you wish to enroll your child in Scholars@Home, an IEP team meeting needs to be held.
- The IEP team must consider whether your child's IEP can be fully implemented through the Scholars@Home program.
- If the IEP team determines that your child's IEP can be implemented through Scholars@Home, the team can endorse this option.
- If the IEP team determines that your child requires a full instructional day of in-person teaching and/or support in order to implement his/her IEP, then the IEP team cannot recommend the Scholars@Home program..



Enrollment and Program Change Requests

- All Scholars@Home families will need to submit a intradistrict transfer form to join the Scholars@Home Program. Once approved, students will be registered in the program virtually based at Mint Canyon Community School.
- For enrollment purposes your child will be placed as a student at Mint Canyon Community School in the virtual Scholars@Home program.
- Students will continue to be enrolled as a Scholars@Home student unless requested to move to in-person instruction.
- Change in program is based on space at the student's home school or another by request.
- Students who are not complying with the Scholars@Home contract will be switched to the in-person program.



Curriculum



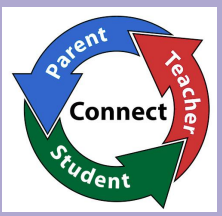
- Benchmark Advance
- Math Expressions
- Social Studies Weekly
- Inspire Science
- Imagine Learning
- IXL



Instructional Delivery

- Each student will have access to interactive learning platforms including district issued curriculum.
- All textbooks, workbooks, and supplementary materials provided to students who attend SSUSD schools.
- Computer devices provided (WiFi available upon request.)
- A teacher will be assigned to students to track and record student participation and attendance.
- Weekly meetings with families to support the instructional schedule.





Family Support



- Back to School Night, August 11th, 6:00pm, to orient families to instructional materials, pacing guides, weekly schedules, and technology platforms.
- Access to an assigned teacher who is available daily to ask questions and clarify information. (office hours)
- Access to the site Computer Lab Tech to address technology concerns.





Thank you!

**For questions, please call
Educational Services at
661-252-5131.**