

PORT EDWARDS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Board of Education Policy

Distance Education and Virtual Learning

The Port Edwards School District recognizes distance education and virtual learning, methods in which a majority of instruction occurs while the teacher and learner are separate, as appropriate means for achieving elements of the school district's educational mission to provide maximum learning opportunities, continuous student progress, and effective instruction and application of technology.

Distance education and virtual learning include independent study, correspondence study by mail, video conferencing, Internet based learning, computer assisted instruction, or use of other instructional technologies. Courses offered by agencies and institutions authorized and approved by the Port Edwards School District will be accepted for credit toward Port Edwards School District graduation requirements.

Courses consistent with district goals will be approved by the Principal. Approved courses will align with state and local standards, be delivered by licensed staff, and contain provisions for feedback and monitoring of student progress.

The Port Edwards School District shall be responsible for providing appropriate supervision and monitoring of students taking distance education or virtual learning education courses while the student is in attendance.

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