

Boone County Schools
Virtual Learning Agreement for ALL Stakeholders
January 2021- May 2021

Due to the health concerns of COVID-19, Boone County Schools is offering families the opportunity for a virtual learning option during the second half of the 2020-2021 school year. In order for this to be successful, we wanted to make sure all families fully understand the expectations for the virtual learning option.

Parents/Guardians understand and adhere to the following:

1. My student must have a reliable internet connection. The Chromebooks that students use for virtual learning are borrowed from the school. Any damage that occurs to the device will become the responsibility of the family if the repairs are not covered by warranty. We will communicate with the school immediately if issues arise with technology.
2. I understand it is my student's responsibility to participate in all sessions, completing required assignments, and assessments.
3. My student will follow all rules and expectations from the school handbook and the Acceptable Use Policy Agreement.
4. In this setting, your student and the instructor or service provider should be able to see and hear one another; and like a regular classroom setting, your student may see and hear other students in the group. If you choose to sit with your student during group instruction or services, you may be able to see and hear another student in the group. Likewise, parents of other students may be able to observe your child. If you observe online instruction, visitors are reminded:
 - a. To be silent observers and not create any kind of disturbance or distraction.
 - b. Statements made by other students in the group (or by the instructor to other students in the group) are to be maintained in confidence.
 - c. Instruction and services may not be recorded or photographed in any manner (audio, video, cell phone, use of other media formats, etc.) unless first receiving approval from the Principal and instructor.

By allowing your student to participate in online group instruction and/or services, you are agreeing that you (and anyone else in your household who may observe online instruction or services) will comply with the expectations set forth above.

5. We understand in order to participate in any extra curricular activities attendance and grades must be in good standing. Kentucky High School Athletic Association (KHSAA) and school requirements (SBDM) must be met.
6. If a student is not following the Virtual Learning Expectations (attending sessions, completing work, cheating, violating school rules, etc.):
 - a. **First Offense:** The student and parents will be given an email/phone call to address the concern.
 - b. **Second Offense:** The student and parents will attend a conference to discuss ways to improve. The student may be placed on an attendance/behavior contract.
 - c. **Third Offense:** Consequences will be based on the previous violations. Depending on the

violations, the student may be reported to Student Services in consultation with school administration for further possible action.

As a parent/guardian, I will:

- Show respect and support for my student, the teachers, and the school.
- Support the school's expectations and District Code of Conduct.
- Provide a quiet, well-lit place for study and supervise homework.
- Have reliable internet service for my student to use his/her school device
- Contact teachers if questions arise.
- Talk with my student each day about his/her school work.
- Hold my student accountable for attending sessions and meeting deadlines.

As a student, I will:

- Always try to do my best work.
- Believe that I can and will learn.
- Be kind and helpful to my classmates.
- Show respect for myself, my school, others, & property.
- Obey classroom, technology, & school rules.
- Attend virtual settings prepared, with supplies, assignments completed/submitted.
- Talk with my parent/guardian each day about my school activities.
- Attend all sessions and meet deadlines.

As a school, We will:

- Show respect for each other.
- Make efficient use of time.
- Provide a device and system for communication with staff.
- Provide meaningful and appropriate activities.
- Support two-way communication with families and students
- Supply students and parents with clear progress and achievement reports
- Enforce school and classroom rules fairly and consistently.
- Demonstrate professional behavior and a positive attitude.