



## **Missouri Course Access and Virtual School Program** **(MOCAP)**

### **In accordance with SB 603:**

Students who have been enrolled full time in a public or charter school for at least one semester immediately prior, may enroll part-time in the Missouri Course Assess and Virtual School Program. Enrollment must be approved by Cole Co. R-1 School District.  
School Program courses.

### **What does the law say?**

*Section 161.670, RSMo.:*

<http://revisor.mo.gov/main/OneSection.aspx?section=161.670&bid=35970&hl=course+access%u2044>

### **What is the process to request this online learning opportunity?**

Individuals will follow the same school registration practices (and timelines) as they would for face-to-face classes to access this opportunity: Registration for online courses will be limited to the same registration day as regular course registration in August.

### **What courses are offered?**

It will be the student's and parents' responsibility to contact DESE for a list of approved courses.

### **Will the district provide technology, supervision, or a space to access this online learning?**

The District is not obligated to provide student computers, equipment or internet access except for eligible students with disabilities in compliance with federal and state law. Space access (i.e. a place at the school building for students to work on their MOCAP coursework) will follow current procedures. The district will provide an internet based guest work network and workspace for students to complete their work. The district will not provide assistive technology or equipment (computer, laptop, etc) for students enrolled in the virtual classroom(s).

### **Will exceptional learners such as ELL, 504, or IEP students be provided support?**

Support will be provided through the vendor.

### **How will this affect MSHSAA eligibility?**

MSHSAA eligibility must be approved by the building and district athletic directors in accordance with MSHSAA and District policies.

### **Could a request for online learning be denied?**

Yes, denial is a possibility if the request is not in the best educational interest of the student. Below are some possible reasons for denial.

\_\_\_\_\_ Requested course is already available through the District and the online course does not contain sufficient rigor.

\_\_\_\_\_ Student has not been a full-time student in a public school for at least one full semester prior to the request.

\_\_\_\_\_ Student does not reside in the district as required by the law that established the MoCAP program.

\_\_\_\_\_ Course prerequisites have not been met

\_\_\_\_\_ Student is already currently carrying a maximum academic load for the semester requested (i.e. this course would be beyond the normal full load). Students can continue to access MoCAP courses they are currently enrolled in; however, the district is not required to pay for courses beyond the student's full-time equivalent course load. If the student would like to access courses beyond the maximum course load, the student can do so at his/her own expense.

\_\_\_\_\_ Student has not been successful in a previous online course(s).

\_\_\_\_\_ The student's current grades do not indicate that he or she would be successful in virtual courses.

\_\_\_\_\_ Course request does not meet Cole R-1 curriculum standards and graduation requirements as required by the law that established the MoCAP program.

\_\_\_\_\_ The student doesn't demonstrate the time-management skills or self-motivation necessary to be successful in MoCAP courses.

\_\_\_\_\_ The student does not demonstrate persistence in overcoming obstacles and a willingness to seek assistance when needed.

\_\_\_\_\_ The student does not demonstrate verbal or written communication skills that would allow the student to succeed in an environment where the instructor may not have sufficient nonverbal cues to indicate the student's level of understanding.

\_\_\_\_\_ The student doesn't have the necessary computer or technical skills to succeed in a virtual course.

## **Launch Virtual Learning Platform Enrollment Form**

In accordance with SB 603 students who have been enrolled full-time in a public or charter school for at least one semester immediately prior may enroll, free of charge, in the Missouri Course Access and Virtual School Program (MOCAP). Your student may attend any DESE approved virtual school program. Cole R-1 utilizes the DESE approved Launch virtual learning platform. When choosing a virtual learning platform, a minimum of one semester is required and your student will not be eligible to participate in extracurricular activities. Please note the following: Completion of this form will enroll your student in the Launch virtual learning platform.

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### **General Information**

School Year Applying For: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Request: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Student (First, Middle, Last): \_\_\_\_\_

Student Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Household 1 Parent/Legal Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Household 2 Parent/Legal Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the grade the student will be enrolling:

\_\_\_ K \_\_\_ 1 \_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_ 5 \_\_\_ 6 \_\_\_ 7 \_\_\_ 8 \_\_\_ 9 \_\_\_ 10 \_\_\_ 11 \_\_\_ 12

Has the student been enrolled full-time in a public or charter school for at least one semester immediately prior to enrolling in a virtual school program? \_\_\_\_\_

## **Course Selection**

Please contact your student's school for help with course selection. A preview of course selection can be found at <https://fueledbylaunch.com/courses/>.

English/Language Arts: \_\_\_\_\_

Math: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Studies: \_\_\_\_\_

Science: \_\_\_\_\_

Elective 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Elective 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Elective 3: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Students with Disabilities**

Launch will provide modifications and accommodations according to the student's IEP or 504. Special education services and case management will continue to be provided by the Cole R-I School District. The IEP team will meet in order to determine the best educational interest of the student.

## **Parent Acknowledgement and Signature**

Pursuant to the Missouri Course Access and Virtual School Program Law (Mo. Stat, 161.670), I request approval to enroll my student in the virtual learning platform, Launch for a minimum of one semester's time. Launch is an approved program provided by Springfield Public Schools.

By signing below, I acknowledge my agreement with the information in this section and certify that all of the information provided is accurate and complete.

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Parent/Legal Guardian Signature (if student is under 18 years of age)

Date Signed