



MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY
ONLINE SCHOOL

Climb Higher. Learn Anywhere.

A remote charter school operated by The Mountain Community School



Overview

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- **Grades 4-8, with the goal of eventual expansion**
- **Statewide with initial outreach focused in Western North Carolina**
- **TMCS led oversight, compliance, and student support**
- **Designed intentionally as a remote program that promotes community engagement**





Curriculum

Synchronous & Asynchronous Opportunities

- Partnering with Edmentum (Ed Options Academy and Calvert)
- Daily live (and recorded) instruction
- Access to on demand support
- NC Licensed Teachers
- Coursework aligned to NC Standards
- Real time pacing, grade, and engagement data through the LMS



Success Coach

Focused, targeted support

- **Every student will be assigned a success coach (school employee)**
- **Daily attendance and engagement monitoring**
- **Weekly family communications**
- **Early intervention when engagement or attendance declines**
- **Climb Higher Project leads**





Climb Higher Projects

Connecting to their community

- **Quarterly, multi-phase, cross-curricular projects**
- **Embedded in the weekly schedule**
- **Standards-based rubrics and digital portfolios**
- **Virtual showcase and presentations**





Learner Profile

Who thrives at MCOS?

- **Communicates regularly**
- **Engages daily**
- **Demonstrates age-appropriate self-management with family support**
- **Willing to learn through projects and reflection**





Exceptional Children

Compliance, Services, and Equity

- **School EC Coordinator oversight**
- **Dedicated EC Teacher and case management**
- **Vendor teacher accommodation alignment**
- **Related services coordinated as needed**
- **All services delivered in compliance with IDEA and NC Policy**





Final Thoughts

Ready, responsible, and aligned

- **Phased enrollment growth**
- **Existing governance and data systems**
- **Clear accountability structures**
- **Aligned to TMCS mission and capacity**





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