## Monroe City Schools' Online Academy for 2023-2024

The Monroe City School Board is offering a distance learning program for the 2023-2024school year. To participate, parents/guardians must provide a "learning coach" for each student and must sign a contract agreeing to have stable Internet access and connectivity, provide physical space conducive to student learning, and attend, with the student, an orientation at the beginning of the year as well as academic conferences throughout the year. Students must meet the qualifications below for enrollment in the program.

## Information for Secondary Students

- Students enrolled through the Monroe City Schools' Online Academy may not participate in any
  on campus activities or programs at the student's home campus. This includes athletics, band,
  choir, dance, cheer, clubs, assemblies, holiday programs, graduations, etc.
- Specialized academic programs such as gifted and talented, honors, Advanced Placement, Medical Magnet, some dual enrollment courses, and certain Career Tech Ed courses are offered face-toface only.
- Parents/guardians must agree that students shall take all standardized and diagnostic testing in person.
- Qualifications include

A student can participate if he or she has demonstrated the academic maturity required for the challenges associated with the rigor of online learning. A student must

- a. Have a 2.0 GPA or higher in core subjects on the most recent report card
- b. Have participated in LEAP 2025 testing, if eligible
- c. Have met attendance requirements for the prior year (no more than 10 absences), and
- d. Not have had any major discipline infractions from the previous school year.
- To remain in the program, students must log in daily and make academic progress, follow the
  guidelines set out in the student handbook, and maintain standards for grades, attendance, and
  behavior as outlined in the entrance requirements.
- Student coursework will be accessed through Edgenuity for grades 6 to 11 which includes core and elective courses.
- Students will need the supervision of their "learning coach" to facilitate completion of lessons and ensure deadlines are met.
- If students do not maintain adequate academic progress, they will be returned to face-to-face instruction at their zoned school for the remainder of the school year.
- The deadline to complete the <u>application</u> is Monday, August 7, 2023. Notification of eligibility and additional instructions will be sent via email by Friday, August 11<sup>th</sup> with orientation sessions offered August 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> at the School Board Office.