

ARTICLE 67-30 VIRTUAL LEARNING

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67-30-01-01. Definitions.

As used in this chapter:

1. "Cancel hours of instruction" means that a school district or nonpublic school has decided not to hold in-person instruction for all or part of a previously scheduled school day. This may include one or more students not being able to attend school due to extenuating circumstances because of weather or other conditions.
2. "Virtual instruction" means teaching and learning that takes place remotely and can be synchronous or asynchronous.
3. "Weather or other conditions" means inclement weather, other unforeseen circumstances that render the school building unusable or inaccessible, or other conditions that temporarily warrant remote instruction.

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67-30-01-02. Local policy.

If the board of a school district or governing board of a nonpublic school that operates a physical plant chooses to provide virtual instruction when the decision is made to cancel hours of instruction because of weather or other conditions, that board shall adopt a local policy to define those procedures. Instruction under this chapter is limited to nine calendar weeks. If, due to extenuating circumstances because of weather or other conditions, the building closure lasts longer than nine calendar weeks, the school district or nonpublic school shall contact the department of public instruction to request an extension.

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67-30-01-03. Average daily membership payments.

1. In order to receive average daily membership payments for days covered under this chapter, school districts shall provide virtual instruction based on the policy approved by the local school board or governing board of a nonpublic school.

2. The school district shall determine the method of virtual instruction provided to students on days of virtual instruction when the decision is made to cancel hours of instruction because of weather or other conditions.

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67-30-01-04. Reporting days of virtual learning under this chapter.

At the conclusion of each school year, the school district or nonpublic school shall report in the manner required by the superintendent of public instruction the days in which virtual instruction was provided under this chapter.

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