

## What Students Are Saying About HCS Virtual Options...

"I had a very positive experience at HCS Virtual and all the teachers were very friendly."



"I liked having a pacing guide and a schedule of when assignments were due."

"I didn't have a teacher right beside me if I needed help, however, my teacher responded very quickly to my questions through email."

"I like that I could go ahead of my pacing guide which is something you can't really do in school."

"The online learning experience was great for me! It was nice being able to do the school work at home and at school. I was also able to get the credit I needed without interfering with my schedule."

"There were many things that I liked about the online course experience. I found the course instructions very easy to understand and my online teacher was very positive. My teacher called me at the beginning to keep me on track, and also emailed me often. It was a very positive experience being in this class, and I thoroughly enjoyed taking an online course."



# HCS virtual

An Online Learning Option  
for Horry County Schools' students

# Learning Your Way!

## HCS virtual

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## Why Online Learning?

HCS Virtual is not a diploma granting institution. HCS Virtual provides courses that supplement a student's program of study at their base school. For example:

- Students may wish to take an Advanced Placement course their local school does not offer.
- Students may wish to complete their remaining requirements for graduation this semester, yet the needed course offered on campus is full or not offered this semester.
- Students may be homebound or hospital-bound due to an extended illness, yet may wish to remain on schedule and graduate on time.
- Students may wish to enroll in an online course for credit recovery after a previous unsuccessful attempt to earn credit.
- Students may wish to enroll in an online course because of scheduling conflicts at their base school.
- Students may wish to enroll in an online course that aligns with personal preferences and interests.



## Who Can Enroll...

HCS Virtual is open to all HCS students in grades 6-12. Guidance counselor approval is required for all requests to ensure online instruction is an academically-appropriate option. The potential for online success is greater when students are:

- Good readers.
- Well organized.
- Self-disciplined.
- Independent workers.
- Highly motivated.
- Technologically proficient.
- Exceptional communicators.

## How to Enroll...

Students may request to enroll in an HCS Virtual course by visiting our website. Interested students should contact their school guidance counselor for additional information, call HCS Virtual at: **(843) 488.7143** or visit [HCSVirtual@HorryCountySchools.net](mailto:HCSVirtual@HorryCountySchools.net)

## Online Courses Offered...

A list of online courses, as well as important program dates and deadlines, can be found on the website. All courses have been reviewed to ensure alignment with the required curriculum standards and all online instructors are state-certified.



# About HCS virtual

[www.HorryCountySchools.net](http://www.HorryCountySchools.net)

HCS Virtual is designed to complement District schools by expanding access to challenging curricula through the delivery of high-quality, online courses. Launched in 2009, HCS Virtual provides students with online course options for advanced placement, initial credit and credit recovery courses. HCS Virtual also supports the enrollment of students in courses offered through the state's online learning program, VirtualSC.

