

Woodland eLearning Plan Frequently Asked Questions

What is an eLearning Day?

Typically, the district will close due to weather-related conditions that prevent students and staff from arriving safely at school. The days the district is closed are added to the end of the district calendar as “emergency days” to fulfill the required number of student attendance days. Instead of instruction ceasing when the district closes, Woodland District 50 is focusing on the continuity of instruction and the safety of students and staff by implementing an eLearning Day (“Electronic Learning”) Plan.

When will an eLearning Day be used versus a snow/emergency day?

This will be determined by the Superintendent as many factors are taken into account such as the timing of the weather event and sufficient time for staff to prepare materials and technology devices. The Superintendent may not automatically call for an eLearning Day depending on a variety of circumstances.

What if my child is absent on an eLearning Day?

Call the attendance line as you normally would. Refer to page 5 for the appropriate Attendance Line Phone Number.

What do I do if I have multiple students and experience internet problems when they are all online?

Contact your internet provider ahead of time for options.

Will assignments be graded on an eLearning Day?

Our philosophy is that an eLearning Day is a continuation of the curriculum. Work may be assessed and students will be provided feedback as teachers typically would for any assignment.

Will attendance be taken?

Yes, attendance will be taken. Students will be expected to participate in eLearning and complete assignments. Students will be asked to sign in to the

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Attendance Sheet sent out by the Homeroom or Advisory Teacher no later than 10:30AM. Afternoon Early Childhood and WELE students will sign in no later than 1:30PM.

If students are not able to sign in on the eLearning Day Attendance Sheet, then the student may log in to the morning Staff Office Hours from 9:30-10:30 AM with their Homeroom Teacher or Advisory Teacher. Early Childhood and WELE students who are assigned to the PM session should attend the afternoon Staff Office Hours from 12:30-1:30 PM to count for attendance.

When does an eLearning Day begin and end?

A consistent district schedule will be utilized on an eLearning Day. Students in Kindergarten through 8th grade will begin at 9:00 AM and conclude at 3:00 PM with one hour for lunch and movement breaks. Students in Early Childhood and WELE programs will attend during their regularly scheduled times: Morning from 9:00-11:30 and Afternoon from 12:30-3:00.

What if my child is not able to sign the Attendance Sheet or participate in Staff Office Hours?

If students do not have Internet access or their technology device is not working on the eLearning Day, students will successfully complete and submit the assignment for their 1st period or Core 1 class. Only the submission of the 1st Period or Core 1 class assignment will count towards attendance. Once the student has submitted their assignment on time, he/she will be marked "Present". If students do not submit work within two (2) school days after the eLearning Day then the student will be considered "unexcused". Please refer to the chart in the Teaching and Learning section for specific due dates.

Will my child receive special education services? If so, when will my child receive his/her special education services and in what format?

Students may receive the related services as outlined in the IEP or Section 504 Plan on eLearning Days. Services (either direct or indirect) during an eLearning Day will be arranged by the service provider upon mutual agreement with families. If parents do not want their child to participate in telepractice (online therapy

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services) they should contact the case manager and related service provider. If services cannot be provided as outlined, they will be delivered when school resumes to the greatest extent possible.

When will the district communicate plans for an eLearning day?

When possible, advanced notice will be given to staff, students and families to be prepared for an eLearning day. In the event of a predictable weather event, notice of a possible eLearning Day will be sent before dismissal on the previous school day to allow all stakeholders to prepare for eLearning instruction and prompt students to bring home necessary technology, texts, and other resources.

How do I give feedback about my child's experience during an eLearning Day?

Parents will have a variety of methods to provide feedback on the eLearning Plan within ten (10) days of the eLearning Day:

- A Parent eLearning Survey is available to provide comments and feedback. The survey will be available on the ["eLearning Day Supports"](#) webpage on our Woodland website and will be pushed out to parents using a variety of communication methods and social media platforms.
- Parents may also provide feedback by emailing or calling school administration.