



Charlotte Virtual School

22/23 Enrollment Process & Criteria



Charlotte Virtual School General Information

Charlotte Virtual School (CVS) is a franchise of Florida Virtual School (FLVS) and is Charlotte County's virtual instruction program. CVS utilizes the FLVS curriculum, which is rigorous, standards-based, and designed for students at or above grade level in reading and math. By nature, virtual learning is approximately 95% reading.

CVS is a school of choice and serves K-12 students, who are registered as public school students and take part in statewide, standardized assessments and district testing. CVS students have the opportunity to earn a standard high school diploma issued by Charlotte County Public Schools and are given the same opportunities as public school students to participate in extracurricular activities at their zoned school.

Communication, especially in a virtual environment, is a critical component of the learning process at CVS. Students should be familiar with the basics of technology, including operating computers and other virtual platforms (email, Zoom, on-line chats). Parent involvement is an essential part of virtual learning. Parents are expected to participate in a student's education as their "learning coach" and maintain communication with teachers.

The qualities of a successful virtual student include:

- Parent involvement (#1)
- On grade level in reading and math
- Self-motivated
- Disciplined
- Organized
- Independent learner
- Good time management
- Technologically literate

What are the differences between CVS and FLVS?

- FLVS is a statewide provider of public virtual education for students in grades K-12.
- CVS is a Charlotte County Public School and services Charlotte County public, private, and home education students.
- Full-time CVS students are enrolled in a CCPS and can earn their high school diploma.
- CVS is a franchise of FLVS, we use their curriculum, systems and follow their guidelines.
- When students use FLVS, Charlotte County does NOT receive any public tax revenue (FTE).
- When students use CVS, the funding generated from public tax revenue (FTE) is put into our students and teachers right here in Charlotte County.
- CVS employs Charlotte County Public School teachers. The way we manage our teachers, teach our students, and incorporate unique learning activities is completely designed and implemented locally. We also offer the ability for face-to-face instruction, guidance and administration which is a key component of a truly student-centered learning environment.



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Enrollment Process

APPLICATION CLOSES July 1, 2022

- Complete Enrollment Google Form
- Watch level-appropriate Welcome Call (Elementary/Secondary – embedded in Google Form)

NEXT STEP FOR ACCEPTED STUDENTS

- 1) Create an FLVS Student AND Parent Account (information will be sent in acceptance email)
- 2) Attend new student orientation session (dates TBD – mid to late July)
- 3) Complete CCPS/CVS enrollment packet
- 4) Sign Enrollment Agreement Form

Students enrolled in CVS are afforded a 21 calendar day grace period for which they can transfer out of CVS without any academic penalty. After the 21-day grace period, all grades will be transferred with student.

***CVS is considered a “school of choice”, which means that the special education or related services which were provided to your child at his/her previous school of enrollment may not be provided to him/her at CVS.**

Enrollment Criteria for Charlotte Virtual School

Elementary Students

- 1) For students enrolling in Kindergarten:
Students will take FLKRS assessment with 30 days of the start of school.
- 2) For students enrolling in Grades 1-5:
Successful promotion from the previous grade.

Secondary Students

- 1) Successful promotion from the previous grade. Minimum 2.0 GPA. Credit recovery is not an option at CVS.
- 2) Proficient scores on Florida State Assessments (FSA, EOCA's)
Grade level proficiency on an official standardized test administered by another state public school system
Homeschool students (portfolio review if there are no assessment scores)

12th Grade Students

Enrollment in the 2019/2020 cohort or later

Proficient scores on 10th grade FSA ELA and Algebra 1 or Geometry EOC

Successful course completion of:

- 3 credits of English
- 3 credits of math (including Algebra 1 and Geometry)
- 2 credits of science
- 2 credits of social science



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What happens next?

Due to the rigor of this virtual learning modality, every application will be evaluated with the purpose of student educational growth. Once your application has been reviewed, you will receive an email confirmation of acceptance. If your student does not meet the enrollment criteria for this school choice option, we will contact you to provide guidance based on your student's academic history and educational goals in order for you to make an informed decision.

We appreciate your interest in Charlotte Virtual School and look forward to being a part of your student's educational journey.