

Dear Options Parent and Student,

Welcome to the FRSD Options Program! We are ready to get started on Tuesday September 22nd, and have some information and instructions to help you be successful. Thank you for your patience so far, as we have worked through a number of issues getting this program ready for our students and teachers. If parents have children in both primary (k-5) and secondary (6-12) grades, you will receive an elementary letter as well.

### **Attendance**

All students should be identified within Options now as either Structured or Independent. Regardless of which instruction method is chosen, the State of Oregon requires every secondary student to have a daily “check-in” for each class they are taking, in order to be counted for attendance.

*Independent Attendance:* For students in this instructional model, the student must do **one** of the following for each class sometime during the day (up to midnight), every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday:

- Work on a lesson in Edgenuity
- Email an instructor
- Chat with an instructor
- Talk on the phone with an instructor (NOT a voicemail, that would not count).

*Structured Attendance:* For students in this instructional model, the student must be present in each daily class zoom (5 periods for the middle school, 4 periods for high school) in order to be counted for attendance for that class. If a high school student only has three classes, they only have to be counted for those classes. If you cannot be present for a particular Zoom class, just email the instructor that you are working but will not be present. Then we can count you present if you are working in Edgenuity.

### **How to Log in to Edgenuity and FRSD**

The student will use the same username and password for Edgenuity as they do for Google and chromebook login. Students who are using their own device will also need this username and password. We are going to try to reach out to all students with their own device, first by individual email to student and parent, then by phone for parents without an email on file. If you do not hear from us by Monday and still need a password, please send an email to [fcooper@fernridge.k12.or.us](mailto:fcooper@fernridge.k12.or.us).

### **How to get started on Tuesday**

Students will receive, via their school email (and also below), a Zoom invite for a Kickoff and Announcement Zoom meeting at 9:00 on Tuesday morning—we encourage all Options students to attend this opening meeting. From there, they will go to a Google Classroom, to which students should also receive a separate invite email in their district Google gmail.

The classroom will have teacher schedules, email links and contact information for each teacher in the subject areas, and a link to each teacher’s daily Zoom meeting.

After the initial Zoom meeting, students will begin following their regular schedules. Students who are structured will go to their first period instructor for any remaining time, students who are independent will log in to Edgenuity and begin their course orientation (all students must complete this first).

### **Further Q & A**

On Wednesday evening at 5:30 pm we will hold a general Zoom meeting at the link below for secondary parents to drop in for any questions and troubleshooting. We will try to record this meeting and place a link on the Options website for any parents who cannot make it.

Important Links:

#### [Tuesday Morning 9:00 Kickoff Student Zoom](#)

Phone in Number: +1 253 215 8782, Meeting ID: 964 9972 3533, Passcode: 113911

#### [Options Zoom Q & A Invite Wednesday September 23rd at 5:30](#)

Phone in Number: +1 253 215 8782, Meeting ID: 964 9972 3533, Passcode: 113911

#### [Options Website](#)

Options Phone Number: (541)-952-7025

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