

Curriculum

Conforms to state and national educational standards:

The Pennsylvania Cyber Charter School (PA Cyber) is the premier online K-12 educational provider for students and their families. PA Cyber combines cutting-edge technology, personal instruction, and the most rigorous curriculum with highly qualified, dedicated, and enthusiastic teachers. All PA Cyber curricula are designed to meet state and national standards.

Customized educational plan:

After a student is enrolled in PA Cyber, a personalized education plan is created in close consultation with the student and family. An Instructional Supervisor (IS), who is a certified teacher, is assigned to each student and plays a crucial role in the student's success by helping the family choose a curriculum for their student, closely monitoring the student's progress, maintaining academic records, and maintaining regular contact with the student and family.

Real-time or self-paced classes:

Students choose from either asynchronous learning (self-paced) and synchronous (real time) learning. An asynchronous curriculum is best for a student who needs greater flexibility in his or her schedule (i.e. motivated learners, students who are ill, students who have children, students who travel regularly). Synchronous curriculum, also known as a virtual classroom, is best for students who benefit from more structure and teacher interaction. For these students, PA Cyber conducts real-time classes with live instructors utilizing audio headsets and a software program, AT&T Connect. (No webcams.) The teacher can speak with students individually or the class as a whole. Classes are conducted at regular times during the school week. Students have homework, completing independent assignments, tests, and quizzes on their own time.