



# GROVE CITY AREA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear GCHS Online Academy and Blended Learning Students and Parents,

This letter is to remind you about two critical topics as you continue your online learning through Grove City High School and the Edgenuity platform.

## Attendance

- Remaining “On Target” with ALL of your Edgenuity classes is a must.
- Each day you should work for at least 0.5 hours in each class and complete the assigned lessons and activities for the day.
- Please work in every class each day.
- For eligibility purposes, you must stay current and “On Target” with every class. If you fall behind in a class it will be reflected in your Actual Grade and it could cause you to become ineligible.
- Every Friday, your online teachers will report your attendance for the week. If you are NOT “On Target” for the class, you might accrue an unlawful absence or absences for the week.
- Communicate with your guidance counselor, your teacher, the principal, and assistant principal if you have a circumstance that prevents you from working in Edgenuity on any given day.

## Cheating and Plagiarism

- Students who take items/text directly from clearinghouse resources are deemed as receiving answers and are cheating.
  - Students will receive a zero for the assignment.
  - The teacher will call the parent and notify the student’s school counselor and principal.
- Students using direct text and/or ideas from a valid source and do not properly cite the source are deemed as plagiarizing.
  - Students will receive a zero and be permitted to resubmit the assignment for half the value.
  - Students who do not resubmit the assignment will receive a zero for the nine weeks.
  - The teacher will call the parent and notify the student’s school counselor and principal.
- You must properly cite your sources when you use information from research. Please reach out to your teacher if you need more information about the proper way to cite sources.

Sincerely,

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