



VIP

VIRTUAL INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM

The Ouachita Parish School Board is offering a virtual instructional program for the 2021-2022 upcoming school year. We want children to experience all aspects of the school setting. A global pandemic brought the option for remote distant learning. Although virtual programs exist at the college level, college students had already completed elementary and secondary courses in person and on a school campus. Most K – 12 students have not had that advantage and have struggled with the measures it takes to be successful during online learning, especially at the elementary level. These struggles have created more learning gaps and for these reasons, and many more, we must make changes to our current VIP Program to address the needs of our students.

We have established new criteria for participating in the VIP program for the upcoming 2021-2022 school year. Qualifications to participate in the VIP program are:

1) **Medical Condition**

- a) A student may be admitted into the VIP program if he/she has a documented underlying medical condition(s). All documentation must be signed by a licensed medical provider.

2) **OR** meet the criteria listed in the right column. (See side panel for criteria links and medical link)

If you are interested in participating in our VIP Program, and meet the district criteria, please **call your zoned school to schedule an appointment to discuss the application process.**

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Middle School
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High
School
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Medical
Form
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Applications for VIP participation are due by June 10th, 2021!