

July 2022

Elementary School Program Options (K-5)  
 Choose Option A or Option B

Program Aspect	Elementary Option A In-Person		Elementary Option B Wissahickon Virtual Academy
School Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular school-day hours</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexible day schedule (semester-based program)</li> </ul>
Days Attending	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Every day of the week (M-F)</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Every day of the week (M-F) is recommended to maintain instructional pacing</li> </ul>
Class Size	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consistent with district guidelines</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not applicable in the Wissahickon Virtual Academy</li> </ul>
Teacher	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wissahickon teacher</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Montgomery Virtual Program (MVP) teachers</li> </ul>
Instructional Format	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wissahickon teachers plan and deliver instruction in the classroom</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MVP teachers plan and deliver lessons through an asynchronous format</li> </ul>
Programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>English-Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, PIE Time, Encore Classes</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PA Standards Aligned Program: English-Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, HPE, and Encore</li> </ul>
Lunch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>30-minute lunch</li> </ul>	OR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexibly scheduled</li> </ul>
Breaks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mid-morning or mid-afternoon</li> <li>Periodic brain breaks</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexibly scheduled</li> <li>Students may participate in MVP's synchronous recess periods focused on social-emotional learning</li> </ul>
Computer Access & Tech Platforms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Using district-issued computer devices &amp; tech platforms designated by WSD</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Using district-issued computer devices &amp; tech platforms designated by WVA</li> </ul>
Student Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General education support and interventions provided throughout the school day</li> <li>IEP / GIEP support &amp; services and related services provided during the school day</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Synchronous support                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Weekly synchronous office hours</li> <li>Built-in synchronous chat support 7-day per week</li> <li>1:1 teacher meetings by appointment</li> </ul> </li> <li>Special Education (IEP &amp; GIEP goals/Supports &amp; related services provided as required)</li> </ul>

Middle School Program Options (6-8)

Choose Option A or Option B

Program Aspect	Middle School Option A In-Person		Middle School Option B Wissahickon Virtual Academy
School Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular school-day hours</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexible day schedule (semester-based program)</li> </ul>
Days Attending	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Every day of the week (M-F)</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Every day of the week (M-F) is recommended to maintain instructional pacing</li> </ul>
Class Size	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consistent with district guidelines</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not applicable in the Wissahickon Virtual Academy</li> </ul>
Teacher	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wissahickon teacher</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Montgomery Virtual Program (MVP) teachers</li> </ul>
Instructional Format	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wissahickon teachers plan and deliver instruction in the classroom</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MVP teachers plan and deliver lessons through an asynchronous format</li> </ul>
Programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>English-Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, World Language, Unified Arts, HPE, Academic, Advisory</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PA Standards Aligned Program: English-Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, World Language, HPE, and Electives</li> </ul>
Lunch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>30-minute lunch</li> </ul>	OR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexibly scheduled</li> </ul>
Breaks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Periodic breaks</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexibly scheduled</li> </ul>
Computer Access & Tech Platforms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Using district-issued computer devices &amp; tech platforms designated by WSD</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Using district-issued computer devices &amp; tech platforms designated by WVA</li> </ul>
Student Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>IEP / GIEP support &amp; services and related services during the school day</li> <li>General education support and interventions provided throughout the school day</li> <li>WMS counselors available to support students</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Synchronous support                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Weekly synchronous office hours</li> <li>Built-in synchronous chat support 7-day per week</li> <li>1:1 teacher meetings by appointment</li> </ul> </li> <li>Special Education (IEP &amp; GIEP goals/supports &amp; related services provided as required)</li> <li>WMS Math and Reading Specialists available to support students</li> </ul>

Wissahickon High School (Grades 9-12)

Choose Option A or Option B

Program Aspect	High School Option A In-Person		High School Option B Wissahickon Virtual Academy
School Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular school-day hours</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexible day schedule (semester-based program)</li> </ul>
Days Attending	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Every day of the week (M-F)</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Every day of the week (M-F) is recommended to maintain instructional pacing</li> </ul>
Class Size	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consistent with district guidelines</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not applicable in the Wissahickon Virtual Academy</li> </ul>
Teacher	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wissahickon teachers</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Montgomery Virtual Program (MVP) teachers</li> </ul>
Instructional Format	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wissahickon teachers plan and deliver instruction in the classroom</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MVP teachers plan and deliver lessons through an asynchronous format</li> </ul>
Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Core Academic Classes</li> <li>Elective Classes</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PA Standards Aligned Program: English-Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, World Language, HPE, and Electives</li> </ul>
Lunch/Breaks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>30-minute lunch</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexibly scheduled</li> </ul>
Computer Access & Tech Platforms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Using district-issued computer devices &amp; tech platforms designated by WSD</li> </ul>	OR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Using district-issued computer devices &amp; tech platforms designated by WVA</li> </ul>
Student Supports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Math Lab / Writing Lab / Extended Learning Time</li> <li>IEP / GIEP support &amp; services and related services during the school day</li> <li>School counselors available to support students' goals for career and college readiness</li> <li>Office hours</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Synchronous Support                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Weekly synchronous office hours</li> <li>Built-in synchronous chat support 7-day per week</li> <li>1:1 teacher meetings by appointment</li> </ul> </li> <li>Wissahickon teacher support available during Math Lab / Writing Lab / Extended Learning Time</li> <li>School counselors available to support students' goals for career and college readiness</li> <li>Special Education (IEP &amp; GIEP goals/supports &amp; related services provided as required)</li> </ul>
North Montco Technical Career Center	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Part-time NMTCC students will take core academic classes at WHS</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Part-time NMTCC students may take core academic classes with WVA. In-person attendance is required by NMTCC.</li> </ul>