

.Mountain High School Referral and Program Information 2019-2020

The purpose of Mountain High School is to provide students and high schools with meaningful alternative options.

1. The decision of whether or not a student will be accepted into Mountain High School will be based on the student's needs and goals in conjunction with attendance patterns, discipline needs and social emotional needs.

- The credit rubric will only be used as a piece of the student's overall information to determine the most appropriate program or schedule needs of each individual student.
- The ability of the student to graduate by the end of the SY or the Sept. 30th date will not prevent acceptance.

14	Aug. 20	Quick Start 1	19	Jan. 13	Quick Start 5
15.25	Sep. 24	Quick Start 2	20.25	Feb. 18	Quick Start 6
16.5	Oct. 28	Quick Start 3	21.5	Mar. 16	Quick Start 7
17.75	Dec. 2	Quick Start 4	22.75	Apr. 27	Summer School

- All students being referred to MHS must be accepted through the DSD Placement Committee.
- All students must have a parent/guardian attend a mandatory parent meeting prior to beginning Quick Start.

2. ALL students are expected to attend school and earn credit, regardless of the program in which they are enrolled. MHS Programs include day school, Independent Study, Satellite, a combination of the three, Independent Study by Appointment Only or Transition Program.

- Attendance and consistent credit earning is required to remain at Mountain High School.
- MHS uses a pyramid of interventions in working with all students.
- Non-attending or non-credit earning students may be referred back to their boundary school or Adult Ed if students are not responsive to MHS interventions.

3. Complete Quick Start

- All Students must attend each day of quick start to be eligible to begin day school.
- Students who fail to complete 2 quick starts in a row **WILL BE** referred back to their boundary school.

4. Students must have completed all safe-school mandates, as determined by the District Case Management Team and with their sending school, prior to registering at Mountain High School.

5. Transition Program- placement is determined in the Davis School District Placement Meeting.

- The purpose of transition is to provide a means for accelerated credit recovery for students as they transition into MHS Day School or Adult Ed.
- Students may be referred for Transition through the end of traditional schools the 3rd term.
- 10th Grade Students may be referred to the MHS Transition Program beginning 2nd Semester
- Students who are very deficient in core areas or chronically absent students will be placed in Transition
- A parent/guardian and student must meet with an administrator for a Transition mtg with an MHS admin prior to beginning the Transition Program
- Students will be required to demonstrate credit earning and/or attendance by meeting the contract requirements prior to being eligible to begin Quick Start for transition into day school

Transition to day school

- Must complete quick start prior to beginning MHS regular day school
 - Earn core credit to get into day school- specific credit/ attendance contract- overseen by administrator
 - Up to 2 mini term probationary period
 - Parent must attend mandatory MHS Parent Mtg.
- Transition FROM day school- Credit/ attendance contract overseen by administration
 - To adult ed- focus on core credits
 - 2 mini terms to meet credit goals

6. MHS Summer School

- Is open District Wide, at no cost, for current 10th-12th grade students.
- Referrals are made by school counselors, beginning in May.
- Credits will be entered by the MHS Counselor and communicated to the home school counselor.