

***Dear Parents & Guardians of Cohort O Students,***

We've had a few inquiries about whether students in Cohort O can transfer back to Cohort A/B so that they can attend school in-person even if it's just for a particular course. We recognize that fully online can be very challenging, and the opportunity to attend school a few days a week could make a significant difference in your child's success at school this year. Of course this is a family decision and we understand that sometimes the 'fully online' option is what is best, but we encourage you to review the details below so that you are aware of the options, as it might be something to consider in the weeks ahead.

Here are some 'need to knows':

**Can you transfer your child from being 'fully online' to the 'in-person' model?**

Yes! Families can decide to have students attend school as part of the In-Person Adaptive Model. Simply call the school and we will transfer your student from Cohort O to Cohort A or B.

**Do we have to wait until the second semester?**

No! This change can happen now.

**Is it still possible to get bus transportation set up for my child?**

Yes! If you qualify for bussing, transportation can be arranged BUT it could take several days depending on when we are notified.

**Which Cohort would my child be assigned?**

Cohorts were assigned by DSBN prior to the start of the school year. We would need to review your student's timetable and determine the most appropriate cohort.

***If you would like to discuss the option of changing into the adaptive model or a blended form of learning (part online and part in person) please contact our 2 Vice Principals who can support you with answering any questions you may have at this time or in the future.***

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