

Is online-blended learning a good fit?

Do you feel like the traditional classroom isn't working for you?

Are you motivated to work independently and be responsible for your own work?

Can you commit to working a minimum of 6 hours per day on course work?

Do you have reliable access to a computer and internet service?

If you answered "Yes" to all of these questions, then The EDGE may just be the right program for you!



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Welcome to The EDGE!



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MISSION

We are committed to creating a personalized learning environment where all students are motivated to find their purpose, to clearly see their worth and to realize their full potential.

VISION

The EDGE—

Empowering students to Dream, Grow and Excel

What is The EDGE?

The EDGE is a unique blended learning experience that allows students in grades 9-12 to take responsibility for their own learning and to complete graduation requirements through a rigorous online curriculum and face-to-face time with a highly qualified teacher.

While students will direct the time and place for the majority of their learning, they are required to attend one 3-hour session each day Tuesday through Friday. Students work with a mentor-teacher who provides assistance and feedback, monitors progress and teaches/supervises blended learning courses and activities.

The EDGE offers the RE-1 Valley Core Diploma. Students will earn 18 credits with a focus on the required core credits of English, math, science and social studies as well as Health, Financial Literacy and ICAP.

Students attending The EDGE may take elective courses at Sterling High School and other courses through concurrent enrollment at NJC. They may participate in extra-curricular activities (sports, clubs, etc.) as long as all CHSAA eligibility requirements are met.

During the enrollment process, students may choose to earn the traditional 27 credits required for a Sterling High School diploma. Once a diploma path is chosen, any decision to change it will have to be approved by a graduation committee.

RE-1 Valley Core Diploma Requirements*

English	4.0 (1.0 proficiency)
Math	4.0 (1.0 proficiency)
Science	3.0
Social Studies	3.0
Financial Literacy	0.5
Health	0.5
Electives	2.0
<u>ICAP</u>	<u>1.0 (includes Work Keys tests**)</u>
TOTAL CREDITS	18.0

* The RE-1 Valley Core Diploma will NOT meet the Higher Education Admission Requirements for highly selective schools or the NCAA Clearinghouse Requirements for athletics. Please see the Intervention Coordinator for more information.

**All students earning the core diploma will take the Work Keys tests of Applied Mathematics, Reading for Information and Locating Information as part of the ICAP requirements. Students must earn a minimum of a level three on each test. Upon successful completion, students will earn the ACT National Career Readiness Certificate.

Admittance Requirements

Factors to be considered for enrollment:

- 1) Is the student motivated to work independently and be responsible for his/her own work?
- 2) Can the student commit to a minimum of 6 hours of course work 4 days per week (24 hours per week)?
- 3) Can the student commit to classroom attendance 3 hours per day, 4 days per week?
- 4) Are the parents/guardians supportive of the student in the pursuit of online education?
- 5) Does the student have reliable daily access to appropriate computer technology and internet outside of the program?
- 6) Does the student live within the boundaries of RE-1 Valley?

EVERY STUDENT MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING FOR ENROLLMENT IN THE EDGE:

- ◇ Student Application
- ◇ Personal Interview (if necessary)
- ◇ Orientation Session (parents MUST attend)
- ◇ Graduation Planning Conference
- ◇ EDGE Enrollment Packet
- ◇ Academic Success Course