

## **Alternative School Program**

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Santee School District offers an "Alternative School Program" for families who desire a home learning environment for their children. This program has been in existence for over 30 years.

However, given the distance learning format provided to families in the 2020-21 school year, we have learned how to support students and their families in a home learning environment. Please see the information below regarding our Alternative School Program for the 2021-22 school year.

## Alternative School Program Information

- There is no cost to enroll
- Alternative School Program serves grades kindergarten through grade 8
- Students with an IEP must be approved by the Special Education Department in order to enroll.

## Parent's Responsibilities:

- Using teacher and answer guides provided by the program, parents organize, manage, correct, and instruct students in English language arts, math, social studies, science, and physical education; parents serve as the primary instructor since they are in the home.
- Attend weekly "Student Work Check-In Conferences" with Alternative School Program teachers.
- Make sure all work is submitted on time; attendance credit is based on completed work.
- Must attend an initial orientation conference and sign the learning program contract along with the student.

## Student Responsibilities:

- Learn at home and complete daily and weekly assignments, assessments, etc.
- Attend weekly tutorial sessions offered by Alternative School Program teachers and "Student Work Check-in Conferences"
- Follow all Santee School District policies.
- Must attend an initial orientation conference and sign the learning program contract along with a parent.
- Use student curriculum and technology equivalent to those used in all District schools.
- Complete all required state testing and other district assessments.
- o Submit work on time; attendance credit is based on completed work.