

VIRTUAL ARKANSAS ANNUAL REPORT 2024-2025



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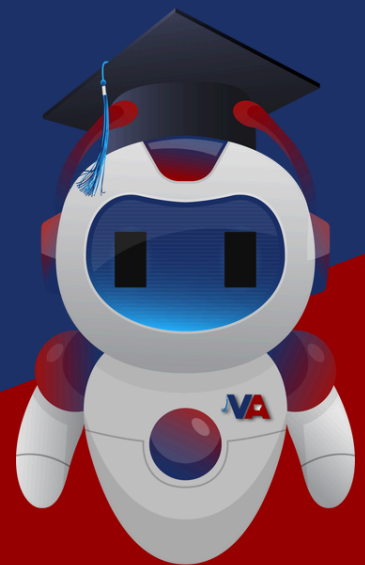
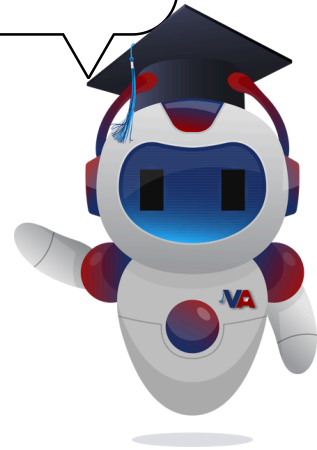


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QUALITY + AFFORDABILITY

ARKANSAS'S
ONLY ARKANSAS-
BASED DIGITAL
LEARNING
PROVIDER
VIRTUAL ARKANSAS

When compared to the fees assessed by other approved virtual learning providers, Virtual Arkansas ranks #1 in value and affordability.

A cost analysis among digital learning providers shows that Virtual Arkansas saved Arkansas schools a total of **\$72,509,013** in enrollment fees since 2013 when compared to the average fees assessed by outside providers.

\$72,509,013

KEEPING ARKANSAS MONEY IN ARKANSAS



Providing **Affordable, Equitable Access,** and **Educational Opportunity** to Arkansas Students through **Arkansas** Courses Taught by **Arkansas** Teachers.

MEET VA DIRECTORS



John Ashworth
Executive Director
& Superintendent

John Ashworth is the Executive Director and Superintendent of Virtual Arkansas, a leading online learning organization. With advanced school and district leadership degrees, he has driven initiatives to expand high-quality virtual education since 2015. Ashworth also serves as Board President of the Virtual Learning Leadership Alliance, contributing to national advancements in online education.



Dr. Brandie Benton
Deputy Superintendent of
Curriculum & Instruction

Dr. Brandie Benton leads Virtual Arkansas's curriculum, instruction, and assessment initiatives. Her twenty-five year career in education includes working as a classroom teacher, a college professor, and higher education leader in teacher preparation at both the state and national levels. Benton has served in a number of support and advisory roles for advancing technology literacy in Arkansas and is actively engaged in several workgroups and committees challenged with promoting online learning.



Candice McPherson
Director of Design &
Development

Candice McPherson has been an educator for 18 years, spending her first decade as a Junior High English teacher. After earning her master's in Instructional Technology, she joined Virtual Arkansas in 2016 and continues to passionately pursue bringing teachers and students the best in digital course content and resources while being a contributing leader in establishing VA as a valuable and trusted program.



Amy Kirkpatrick
Director of Technology

Amy Kirkpatrick has been an integral member of the Virtual Arkansas team since 2013. Over the years, she has taken on multiple roles, including teacher and Implementation Specialist, and now serves as the Director of Technology. She holds master's degrees in both Information Technology and Education as well as certifications from both Apple and Microsoft. Amy is dedicated to ensuring the technical needs of Virtual Arkansas staff and students are met, fostering an efficient and innovative learning environment.



Mindy Looney
Director of Operations

Mindy Looney has combined her expertise in accounting with a passion for education since earning her degree from Mississippi College in 1995. She has held key management roles with the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, Clinton School District, and Virtual Arkansas. Mindy is dedicated to partnering with schools statewide to support student success and educational achievement.



INTRODUCTION

Online learning has had a profound impact on education throughout the United States and the world, both in mainstream and non-traditional learning environments. According to the Brookings Institute, "Online courses offer the promise of access regardless of where students live or what time they can participate, potentially redefining educational opportunities for those least well-served in traditional classrooms."

As you will see from this update, Virtual Arkansas, the State Virtual School (SVS), has had a profound impact on Arkansas. We are proud to be the standard for supplemental online learning in Arkansas, faithfully serving over 94% of all public school districts and 97% of all public school rural districts during the 2023-2024 school year. Prior to the establishment of Virtual Arkansas in 2013, students around the State had limited access to a variety of course offerings. Now, local schools can provide access to 165 courses with a certified teacher through Virtual Arkansas!

WHAT IS A STATE VIRTUAL SCHOOL (SVS)?


State Virtual Schools provide online courses and support services to schools across the many states in which they operate. State virtual schools are entities created by legislation or by state-level agencies, usually funded partially or entirely by a state appropriation, course fees, and/or grants. Most state virtual schools are not "schools" as defined by the National Center for Education Statistics, as they do not grant diplomas and are not responsible for many of the functions performed by schools. Instead, they supply online courses and related services to schools. Students are usually enrolled with district approval, with the exception of states with course access policies. Even then, the school or district plays an integral role in counseling, mentoring, and enrolling students in the state virtual school. State virtual schools may be administered by a state education agency, or they may be separate nonprofit organizations, charter schools, higher education institutions, or regional service agencies contracted by the state education agency.

Bibliography Digital Learning Collaborative. "State Virtual Schools." Digital Learning Collaborative, 25 September 2018.

2023-2024 VIRTUAL ARKANSAS BY THE NUMBERS

CONTENT+TEACHER
ENROLLMENTS
SERVED SINCE
2013-2014
311,329

12,726
CONTENT + TEACHER
UNIQUE
STUDENTS
ENROLLED




PASS
RATE
92%



16.4
AVG. YEARS
TEACHER
EXPERIENCE

29,121
CONTENT + TEACHER
TOTAL ENROLLMENTS



78% 
OF TEACHERS
WITH MASTER'S
DEGREE OR ABOVE

9,284
COLLEGE CREDIT
HOURS EARNED

CONCURRENT CREDIT
3,060
ENROLLMENTS


\$2,935,156
CONCURRENT CREDIT
ENROLLMENTS SAVINGS

RURAL % OF
COLLEGE CREDIT
ENROLLMENTS 80% 


0.5 CREDITS
EARNED
26,730

165 
CONTENT + TEACHER
COURSES AVAILABLE

60%
RURAL
% OF ALL VA
TEACHER
ENROLLMENTS


1,952
 COMPUTER
SCIENCE
ENROLLMENTS

ADVANCED
PLACEMENT 
ENROLLMENTS
2,007

5,884 
CTE
ENROLLMENTS

\$5,291,013 
CUMULATIVE AMOUNT SAVED
VA ENROLLMENT FEES VS
AVG OUTSIDE PROVIDER FEES
2023-
2024

94%
OF ARKANSAS
DISTRICTS
SERVED

97% 
OF RURAL
DISTRICTS SERVED

CORE VALUES

RELATIONSHIPS

We are committed to developing and maintaining caring and trusting relationships with all stakeholders and providing excellence in service.

INTEGRITY

We are committed to conducting our program with an ethical and sincere approach in all we do.

TEAMWORK

We are committed to establishing processes that facilitate and model a collaborative approach to learning, improvement, and growth.

INNOVATION

We are committed to implementing cutting edge resources, technology, methodology, and practices that lead to student-directed academic achievement and growth.

QUALITY

We are committed to providing excellence in quality in all that we do, with a particular focus on the quality of courses, teaching, and service.

MISSION

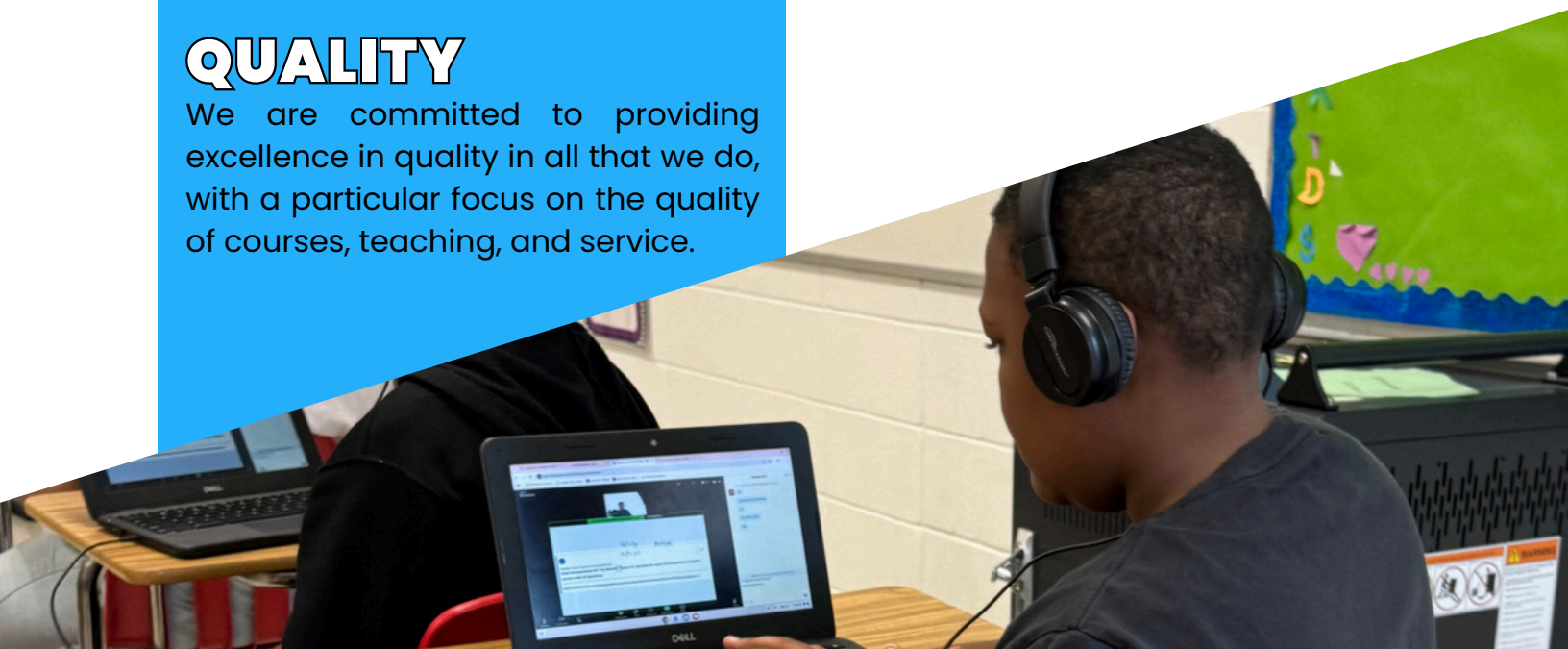
Our mission is to equip, engage, and empower Arkansas schools, students, and teachers by providing equitable access to superior online education.

VISION

Leveraging local, national, and global partnerships to advance student and educator success through innovative technologies and services.

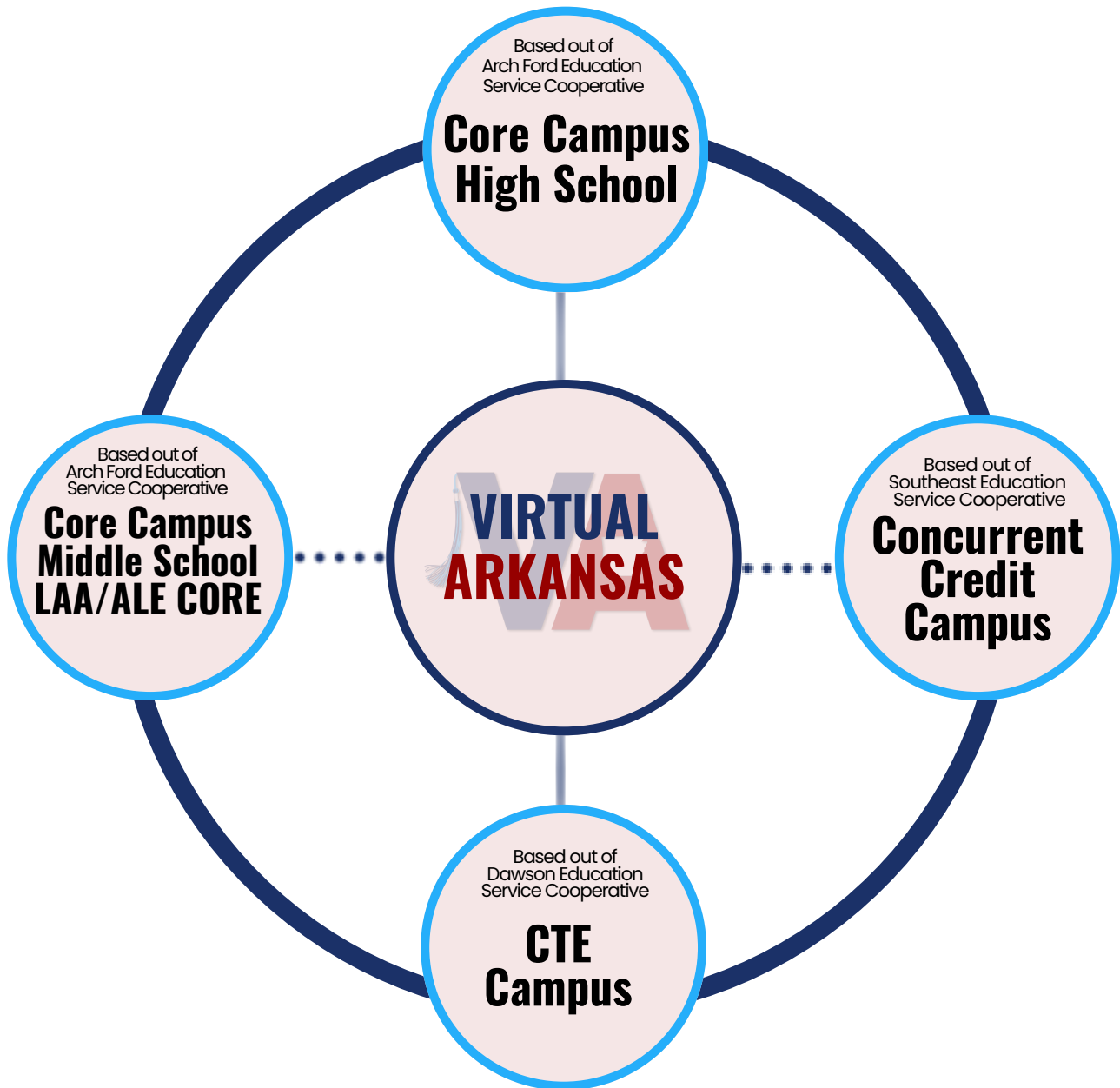
STRATEGIC ANCHORS

- ▣ EVERY STUDENT
- ▣ TRUSTED LEADERSHIP
- ▣ INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS



WHO IS VIRTUAL ARKANSAS

Virtual Arkansas is a supplemental State Virtual School (SVS) that partners with local Arkansas schools, the Arkansas Department of Education, and the local Education Service Cooperatives to provide 6th-12th grade online courses, resources, and services to Arkansas schools, teachers, and students who might not otherwise have access to these resources and educational opportunities. We are not an online high school or a diploma-granting institution, but a resource for supplementing education for students through their local school or homeschool.



WHAT SERVICES DOES VIRTUAL AR PROVIDE?

➔ CONTENT + TEACHER (6-12 GRADE)

- Local schools utilize the Virtual Arkansas teacher AND the content
- Content + Teacher course options include 165 courses

➔ CONTENT PARTNERSHIP

- Local schools utilize the Virtual Arkansas online course and content but use their own local teacher
- Content Only course options include 205 course options

➔ LEARN ANYWHERE ACADEMY

- Dedicated to providing course and teacher access for students engaging in their education from a physical location other than their local school
- Integrates a variety of wrap-around services to support off-campus students

➔ DYS - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES

- A dedicated program serving adjudicated youth in DYS facilities throughout Arkansas

➔ ALE CORE

- Provides online core course access for ALE programs and their students while meeting the synchronous instruction requirements

➔ DEDICATED TEACHER PROGRAM

- If a local school is having difficulty hiring a highly qualified teacher, Virtual Arkansas can work with that district to provide an online teacher dedicated to their students

➔ SUMMER SCHOOL

- Provides summer educational learning opportunities for students wanting an initial credit or needing credit recovery

➔ ONLINE & BLENDED COURSE & CURRICULUM DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

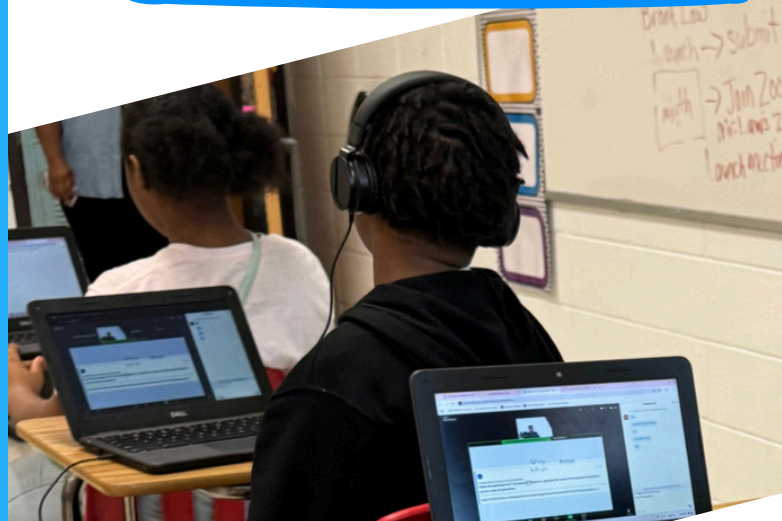
- Virtual Arkansas maintains a staff of online and blended course design and development specialists fully trained on and credentialed in the National Standards of Quality for Online Courses and available to provide online or blended course design and development training and/or lead and manage course design and development projects

WHAT COURSES DO WE OFFER?

Virtual Arkansas offers statewide access to a total of **225** 6th-12th grade courses, **165** of those courses with a Virtual Arkansas teacher, to help local districts address their specific needs. These needs may include assisting with a teacher shortage, providing additional course electives, offering career and technical education courses, or integrating advanced courses such as concurrent credit or Advanced Placement courses.



Elijah Redmon, from Eureka Springs, has achieved a major milestone by passing his FAA Private Pilot's Written Exam soaring one step closer to his dream of flight!



VIRTUAL ARKANSAS COURSE CATALOG



VIEW ALL COURSES

Note: This course list is subject to change. Not all courses are available every term.
◇ **NCAA-approved course** ◇ **Teacher Led** ◇ **Teacher-Facilitated (Adjunct) Course**

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

AP Art History ◇
AP Biology ◇ ◇
AP Calculus AB ◇ ◇
AP Calculus BC ◇ ◇
AP Chemistry ◇
AP Computer Science A ◇
AP Computer Science Principles ◇
AP English Language & Composition ◇ ◇
AP English Literature & Composition ◇ ◇
AP Environmental Science ◇ ◇
AP European History ◇ ◇
AP Human Geography ◇ ◇
AP Music Theory ◇
AP Physics I ◇
AP Psychology ◇ ◇
AP Spanish Language & Culture ◇ ◇
AP Statistics ◇ ◇
AP US Government & Politics ◇ ◇
AP United States History ◇ ◇
AP World History: Modern ◇ ◇

COMPUTER SCIENCE (CTE)

Cybersecurity Year 1 ◇
Cybersecurity Year 2 ◇
Cybersecurity Advanced Year 3 ◇
Data Science Year 1 ◇
Data Science Year 2 ◇
Data Science Advanced Year 3 ◇
Game Design & Development Year 1 ◇
Game Design & Development Year 2 ◇
Game Design & Development Advanced Year 3 ◇
Programming Year 1 ◇
Programming Year 2 ◇
Programming Year 2 with Python
Programming Advanced Year 3 ◇
Robotics Year 1 ◇

CONCURRENT CREDIT

Beginning Spanish I ◇ ◇
Beginning Spanish II ◇ ◇
Child Growth & Development ◇
College Algebra ◇ ◇
College Math ◇ ◇
Comp I ◇ ◇
Comp II ◇ ◇
Education Technology ◇
Experiencing Art ◇
Introduction to Biological Science ◇
Introduction to Education ◇
Personal Health & Wellness ◇
Public Speaking ◇ ◇
US History Since 1877 ◇ ◇
US History To 1877 ◇ ◇
World History Since 1500 ◇ ◇
World History To 1500 ◇ ◇

ENGLISH

Critical Reading I
English 9 ◇ ◇
English 10 ◇ ◇
English 11 ◇ ◇
English 12 ◇ ◇
Journalism ◇
Professional Communication ◇ ◇

FINE ARTS

Exploring Personal & National Identity Through Art ◇
Music Appreciation ◇
Today's American Art: Exploring the Fundamentals of Art ◇
Visual Art Appreciation ◇
Visual Art Exploration ◇
Visual Art Foundations I ◇

HEALTH & PE

Health & Wellness ◇
Personal Fitness for Life ◇

MATHEMATICS

Advanced Topics & Modeling in Mathematics ◇ ◇
Algebra I ◇ ◇
Algebra II ◇ ◇
Geometry ◇ ◇
Pre-Calculus ◇ ◇
Quantitative Reasoning ◇

SCIENCE

Biology Integrated ◇ ◇
Chemistry Integrated ◇ ◇
Environmental Science ◇ ◇
Human Anatomy & Physiology ◇ ◇
Physical Science Integrated ◇ ◇

SOCIAL STUDIES

HS Arkansas History ◇
Civics ◇ ◇
Economics with Personal Finance ◇ ◇
Psychology ◇ ◇
Sociology ◇ ◇
United States History Since 1890 ◇ ◇
World History Since 1450 ◇ ◇

WORLD LANGUAGES

American Sign Language I ◇ ◇
American Sign Language II ◇ ◇
American Sign Language III ◇
French I ◇ ◇
French II ◇ ◇
German I ◇ ◇
German II ◇ ◇
Latin I ◇
Spanish I ◇ ◇
Spanish II ◇ ◇
Spanish III ◇ ◇
Spanish IV ◇ ◇

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CAREER & TECHNICAL (CTE)

A/V Productions I	Aviation I: Fundamentals of Flight ◆	Engineering CAD I ◆	Marketing Business Enterprise
A/V Productions II	Aviation II: Airports, Airspace, & Weather ◆	Engineering CAD II	Markets & Analytics ◆
A/V Productions III	Aviation III: Private Pilot Operations ◆	Engineering I	Media Communications ◆
Abnormal Psychology ◆	Brakes/Manual Drive Train	Exercise Science ◆	Medical Office Management ◆
Advanced Ag Leadership & Communications	Career Readiness ◆	Family & Consumer Science	Medical Procedures
Advanced Agriculture Mechanics	Chemistry of Food	Fashion & Interior Design ◆	Medical Terminology ◆
Advanced Animal Science	Child Care, Management, & Services	Financial Planning ◆	National Military Service & Security ◆
Advanced Consumer Services	Child Growth & Development ◆	Firefighting: Emergency Services I	Natural Resources Management ◆
Advanced Fashion & Interior Design	College and Career Readiness ◆	Firefighting: Emergency Services II	Pathology ◆
Advanced Plant Science	Computerized Accounting I ◆	Firefighting: Emergency Services III	Personal Finance ◆
Advanced Shielded Metal Arc Welding	Computerized Accounting II ◆	First Responder	Plant Science
Advertising & Graphic Design I ◆	Consumer Services	Food Production, Management & Services	Poultry Science
Advertising & Graphic Design II	Criminal Law ◆	Food Safety & Nutrition	Principles of Sports Medicine ◆
Advertising & Graphic Design III	Culinary I	Forestry & Wildlife Ecosystems	Radio Broadcasting I
Agribusiness Management ◆	Digital Cinema Productions I	Foundations of Health Care ◆	Radio Broadcasting II
Agricultural Mechanics	Digital Cinema Productions II	Foundations of Law Enforcement	Radio Broadcasting III
Agricultural Metals	Digital Cinema Productions III	Greenhouse Management	Retail Business
Animal Science	Digital Marketing ◆	Hospitality Administration	Securities, Investment, Risk & Insurance
Architectural/CAD I ◆	Digital Photography II ◆	Human Behavior & Disorders ◆	Shielded Metal Arc Welding
Architectural/CAD II	Drafting & Design ◆	Introduction to Criminal Justice ◆	Skilled Trades Manufacturing
Arkansas Hospitality & Tourism ◆	Drones: Unmanned Aerial Systems ◆	Introduction to Education ◆	Sports Medicine Injury Assessment
Automotive Electrical Systems/HVAC	Dynamics of Human Relationships	JAG Multi-Year	Survey of Ag Systems
	Education Technology ◆	Life & Fitness Nutrition	Survey of Business ◆
	Engine Performance/Engine Repair	Life Readiness: Skills for Career & Life ◆	Tourism Industry Management ◆
		Management	Transportation & Distribution
			Veterinary Science

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Career Development ◆	Intro to Engineering & Technology Education ◆	Mathematics Grade 6 ◆	Science Grade 8 ◆
Coding Block Grade 7/8 ◆	Keyboarding Grade 7 ◆	Mathematics Grade 7 ◆	Social Studies Grade 6 ◆
Career Awareness ◆	Language Arts Grade 6 ◆	Mathematics Grade 8 ◆	Social Studies Grade 7 Arkansas History ◆
Fundamentals of Technology & Engineering II ◆	Language Arts Grade 7 ◆	MS Arkansas History ◆	Social Studies Grade 7 Geography ◆
Geography Grade 5 ◆	Language Arts Grade 8 ◆	Office Technology Skills ◆	Social Studies Grade 8 ◆
Health & Safety Grade 6 ◆	Life Readiness: Skills for Career & Life Grades 7/8 ◆	Physical Education Grade 6 ◆	Strategic Reading Grade 7/8
Health & Safety Grade 7/8 ◆	Life Readiness: Skills for Career & Life Grade 6 ◆	Physical Education Grade 7/8 ◆	Visual Art Grade 7/8 ◆
		Science Grade 6 ◆	
		Science Grade 7 ◆	



An update on former student Sydney Massey: she's thriving at Harvard! At just 19, Sydney has become the Director of Harvard Women in Business and was recently appointed as Chief of Staff for Asa Hutchinson. Her intelligence and maturity are widely recognized. Our heartfelt gratitude goes out to you and your team for the role you played in helping Sydney reach this point. Thank you for all that you do!
 —Mr. Howard L. Massey (Sydney's father)

WHY IS VIRTUAL ARKANSAS HERE

If we had to summarize why Virtual Arkansas is in existence it would be this: to provide affordable and equitable educational access and opportunities for Arkansas students, teachers, and schools. According to Act 2325 of 2005, distance learning opportunities were employed:

- o To help alleviate the teacher shortage
- o To provide additional course-scheduling opportunities for students
- o To provide an opportunity to access an enriched curriculum
- o To develop and make available online professional development

Virtual Arkansas has specific goals that drive its operations. These goals are outlined in the chart below, along with the most recent results:

GOALS	2023-2024 RESULTS
Help Address the Arkansas Teacher Shortage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VA made courses and teachers available in 100% of critical academic licensure shortage areas • VA provided access to over 100 Full-time Arkansas certified teachers for local schools
Provide a Wide Range of Courses for Arkansas Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VA provided access to 225 total courses; 165 courses with a VA teacher • These courses provided opportunities to 29,121 Content+Teacher enrollments and 6,482 Content Partnership enrollments
Ensure Educational Options for Economically Disadvantaged Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VA courses were made available to all high-poverty districts and were utilized by 91% of all Arkansas public school districts with a 70% or higher FRL (free and reduced lunch) population • VA offered preferred automatic concurrent credit registration for high-poverty districts. 100% of high-poverty schools that submitted the necessary paperwork for enrollment during the early registration period were granted seats in the classes for which they registered
Ensure Educational Options for Rural Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 60% of all Virtual Arkansas Content + Teacher enrollments were from districts designated as rural • VA provided educational options and opportunities to all rural districts and was utilized by 97% of all districts designated as rural • 80% of all Concurrent Credit enrollments were from districts designated as rural
To Provide Educational Options for Students with Scheduling Conflicts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All VA courses can be taken at any time during the day which provides flexibility in scheduling local course options to avoid scheduling conflicts • This is particularly important for smaller districts, as they have many courses only available during certain periods of the day
Increase the Number of Students Completing Career Focus Programs of Study and Participating in Work-based Learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 49 CTE Content + Teacher courses were provided to 5,916 CTE enrollments • VA provided opportunities to students throughout the state in 6 full completer programs and 12 partial completer program



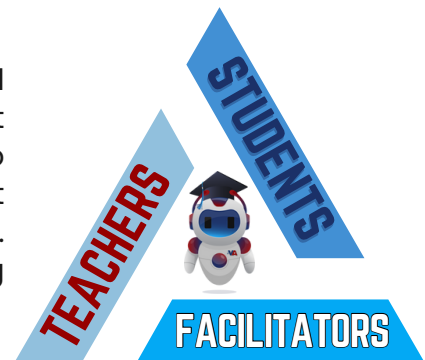
HOW ARE OUR COURSES DELIVERED?

Virtual Arkansas understands the value of student-teacher relationships! This is one reason why Virtual Arkansas invests in full-time teachers while many other online programs rely predominantly on part-time or adjunct teachers. This allows Virtual Arkansas students to have access to their teachers during the school day and to participate in live teaching and learning sessions which in turn allows students to develop a closer relationship and connection with their teacher. This approach lets students have access to their online course content (asynchronous learning) 24/7 through the Learning Management System (LMS) along with direct live access (synchronous learning) to their teacher through videoconferencing that provides a safe and secure method to communicate, interact, and enhance learning. Each week, full-time Virtual Arkansas teachers schedule regular, live sessions available to all students. Individual or group sessions can be requested by the student(s) or the teacher if or when the need arises.

WHAT DOES THE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT LOOK LIKE AT THE SCHOOL LEVEL?

The typical learning environment at the school level has students access their courses in a digital learning lab that is managed by a local on-site facilitator. The local facilitator is an extremely important component of the triad relationship, which includes the student, the teacher, and the local facilitator. Student success rates are greatly enhanced when this team works together with the student as their focus. Each facilitator is trained annually on Virtual Arkansas systems and best practices by the Virtual Arkansas Facilitator Coordinator.

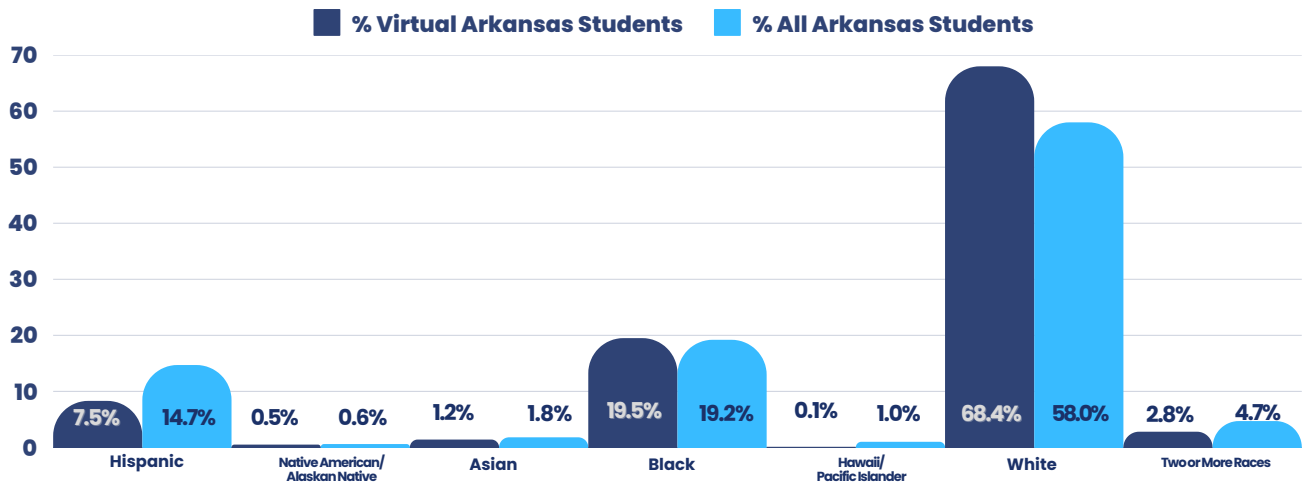
Students are required to have access to a device and connectivity to the Internet, through which they will connect with their teachers and courses. Each student is also required to have access to a web camera and a headset so they can interact with their teacher and other students. It is not uncommon to have several different classes being taken by students in the same classroom at the same time.



VIRTUAL AR STUDENTS

WHO ARE THE VIRTUAL ARKANSAS STUDENTS?

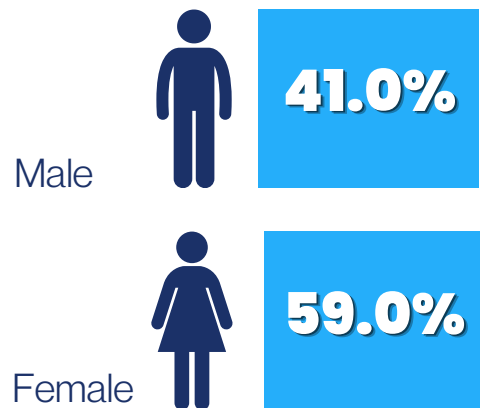
2023-2024 Virtual Arkansas Enrollment % by Race



Virtual Arkansas students are reflective of the schools and communities we serve. Enrollments include English Language Learners, gifted and talented students, credit recovery students, alternative education students, special education students, and general education students.

Ninety percent (90%) of Virtual Arkansas enrollments are taken by students during a designated class period at the school of record and monitored by a local facilitator.

% of VA Student Enrollments by Gender



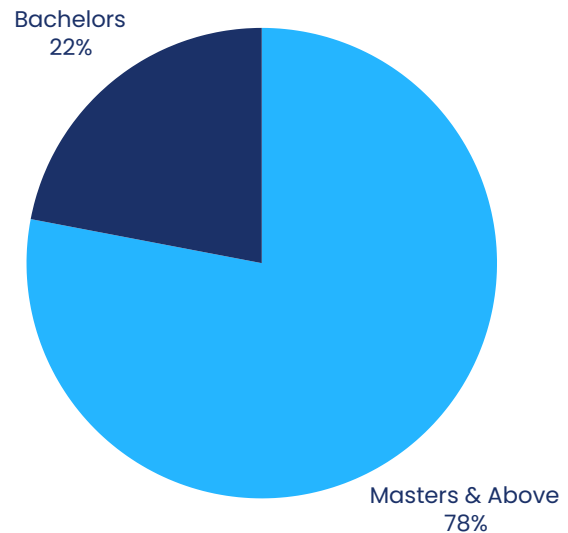
Although they are a small portion of Virtual Arkansas enrollments, homeschool and private school students may also be enrolled in Virtual Arkansas courses. In addition, about 10% of student enrollments are through the Learn Anywhere Academy (LAA). This allows students to participate in their courses and engage with their Virtual Arkansas teachers from a location other than their local school.

VIRTUAL AR TEACHERS

WHO ARE THE VIRTUAL ARKANSAS TEACHERS?

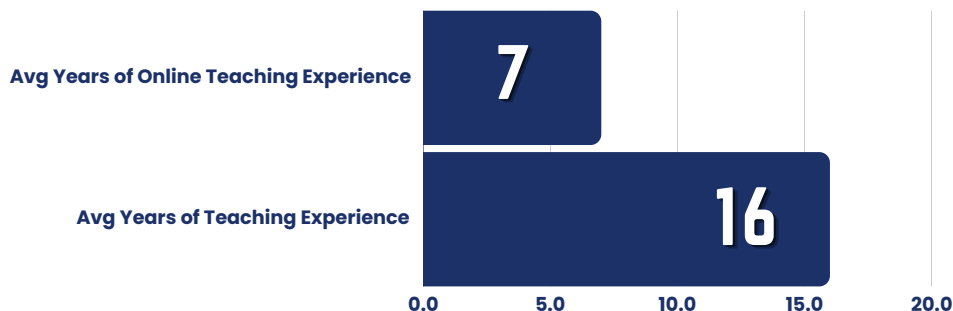
During the 2023-2024 school year, students throughout the State were served by 100 Full-time Equivalent (FTE) highly qualified and Arkansas-certified teachers. Most of these teachers have significant online teaching experience in addition to brick-and-mortar experience. Virtual Arkansas teachers also hold the Effective Online Teaching credential. These teachers live across the State in the communities and amongst the students they serve.

Virtual Arkansas Teacher Degree Attainment



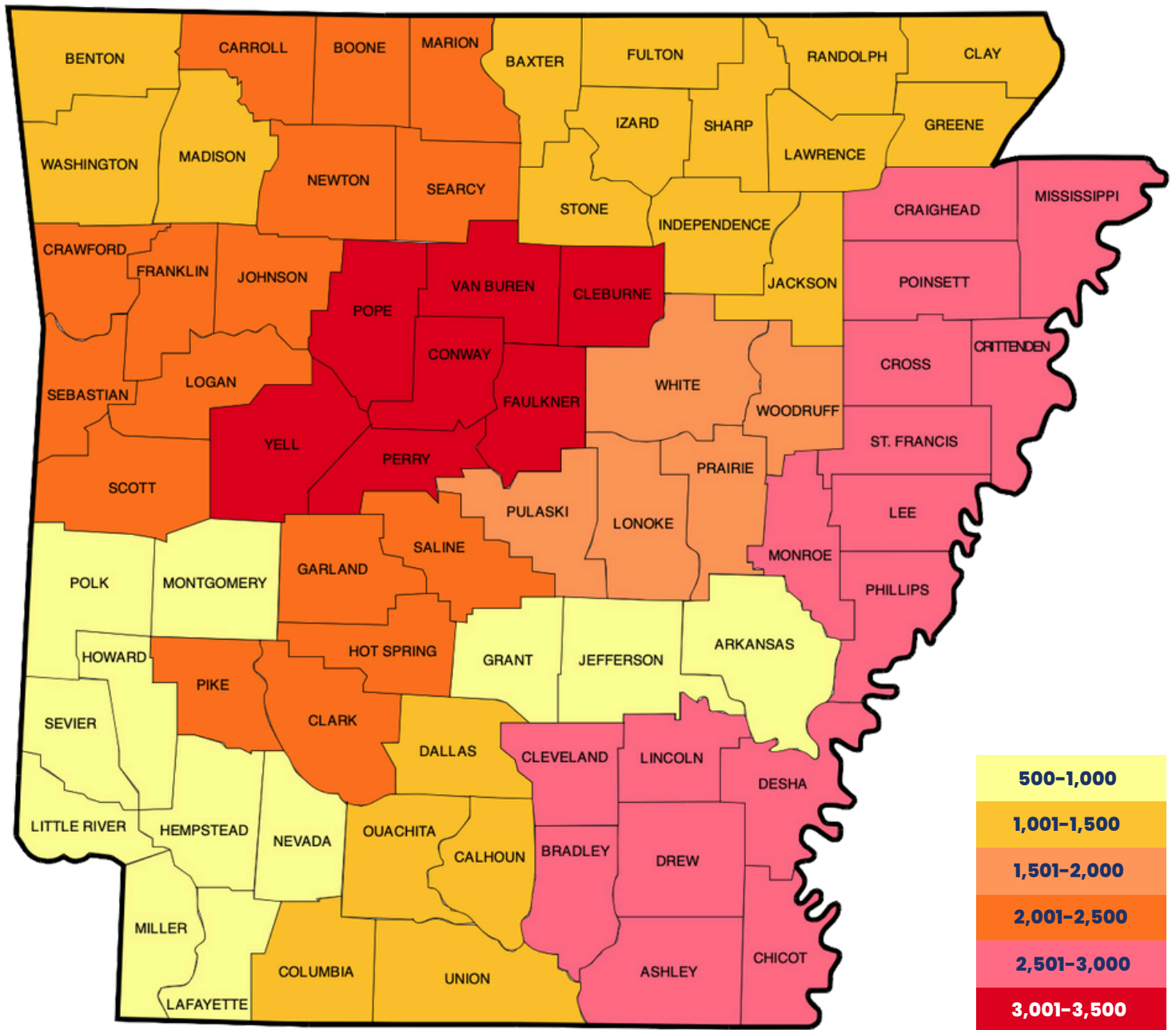
Virtual Arkansas teachers are commonly engaged in Arkansas educational advancements and initiatives, serving on various educational committees and leading professional development activities. All Virtual Arkansas teachers meet or exceed the Arkansas teacher professional development requirements and are required to earn their Arkansas Effective Online Teacher (EOT) within 2 years of being employed with Virtual Arkansas.

VIRTUAL ARKANSAS TEACHER EXPERIENCE



2023-2024 ENROLLMENTS HEAT MAP

BY EDUCATIONAL COOPERATIVE



2023-2024 ENROLLMENTS HEAT MAP BY EDUCATIONAL COOPERATIVE

EDUCATION SERVICE COOPERATIVE	NUMBER OF MEMBER DISTRICTS	NUMBER OF MEMBER DISTRICTS UTILIZING VA	% OF MEMBER DISTRICTS UTILIZING VA	CONTENT + TEACHER ENROLLMENTS
Arch Ford	27	27	100%	3,042
Arkansas River	6	6	100%	758
Crowley's Ridge	22	20	91%	2,715
Dawson	22	22	100%	2,287
DeQueen Mena	12	10	83%	952
Great Rivers	10	7	70%	2,520
Guy Fenter	22	20	91%	2,302
North Central Arkansas	16	14	88%	1,361
Northeast Arkansas	14	12	86%	1,090
Northwest Arkansas	17	14	82%	1,107
Ozark Unlimited Resources	16	16	100%	2,153
South Central Service	11	10	91%	1,478
Southeast Arkansas	15	15	100%	2,935
Southwest Arkansas	10	9	90%	741
Wilbur D. Mills	17	17	100%	1,790
Unaffiliated	na	na	na	1,890

PARTNER SCHOOLS

During the 2023-2024 school year, Virtual Arkansas served **311** school affiliations and **234** Arkansas districts, charter programs, and other local education agencies, providing services to **94.1%** of all Arkansas public school districts.



- **Districts in red were not served by VA in 2023-2024**

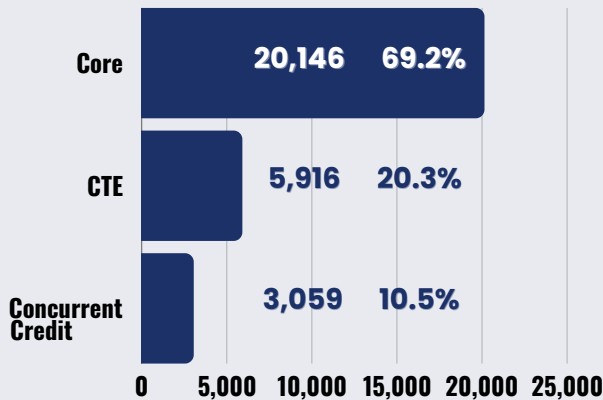
WHAT COURSES ARE STUDENTS TAKING?

The charts below show Content + Teacher enrollment breakdowns for 2023-2024.

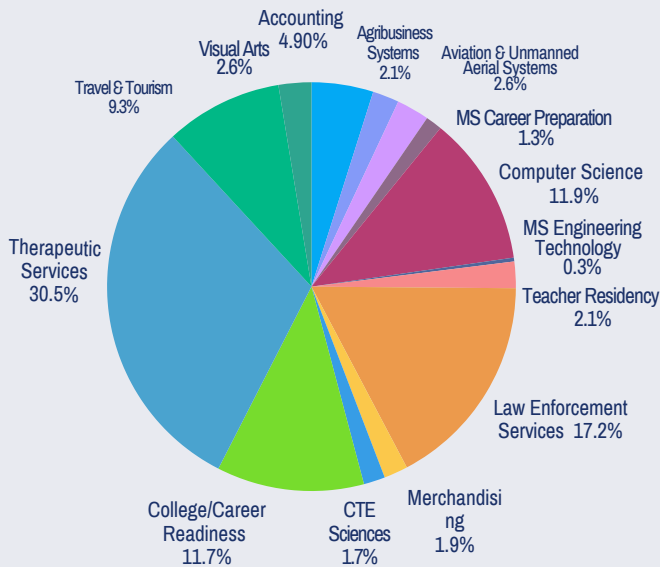
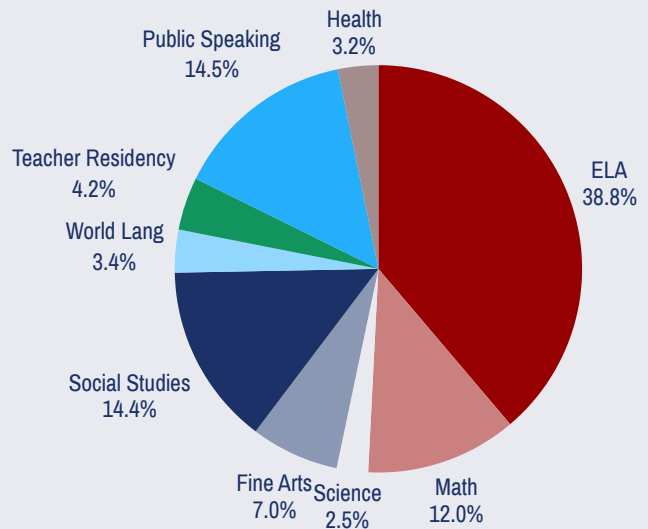


ENROLLMENTS BY CAMPUS

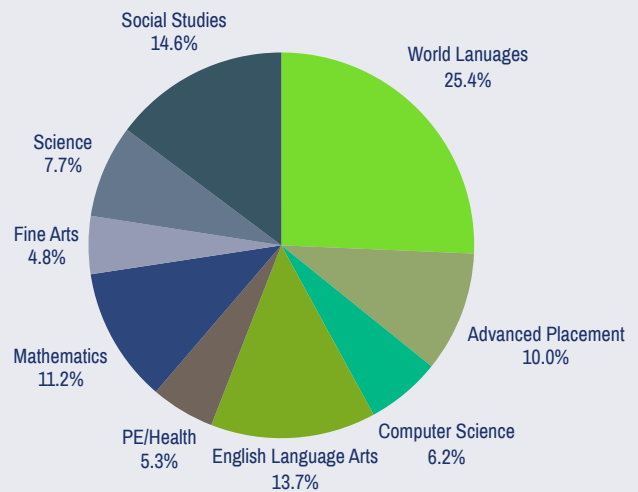
CONTENT + TEACHER ENROLLMENTS (FALL & SPRING)



CONCURRENT CREDIT CAMPUS % OF CONTENT + TEACHER

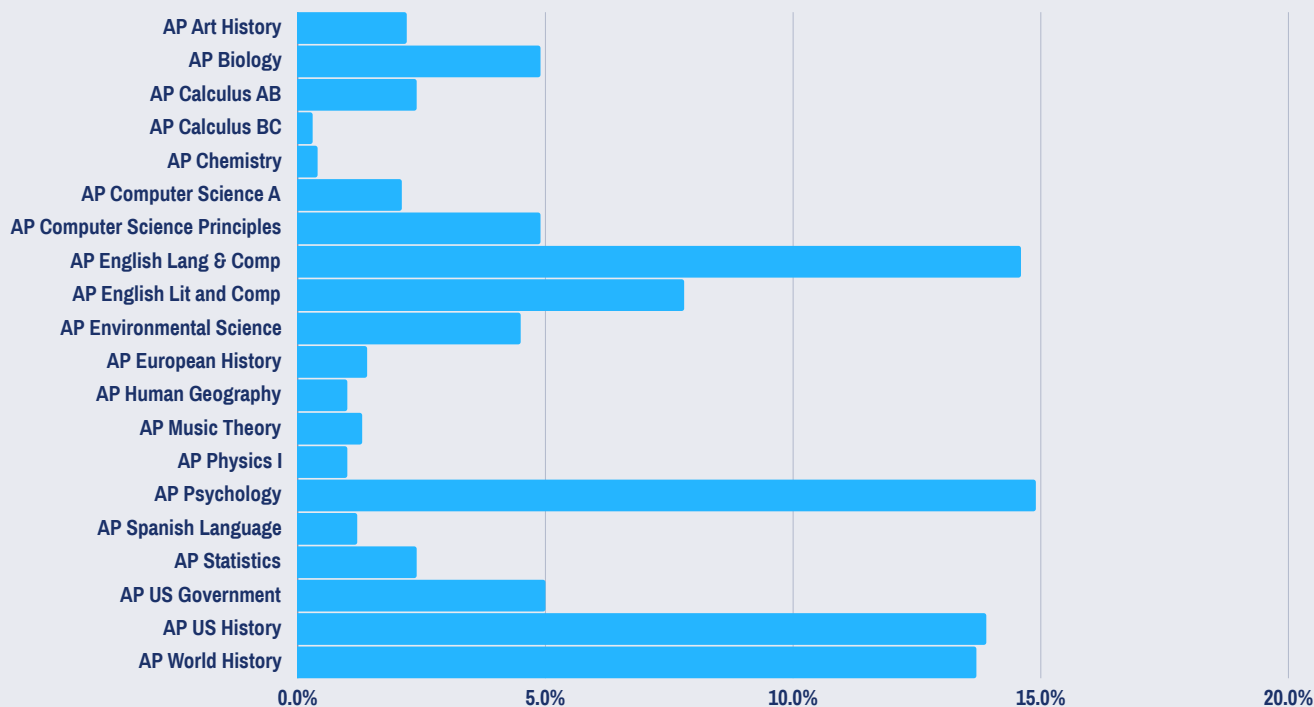


CTE CAMPUS: % OF CONTENT + TEACHER



CORE CAMPUS: % OF CONTENT + TEACHER

2023-2024 % OF ADVANCED PLACEMENT ENROLLMENTS BY AP COURSE



FALL 2023-2024



ENROLLED COURSES

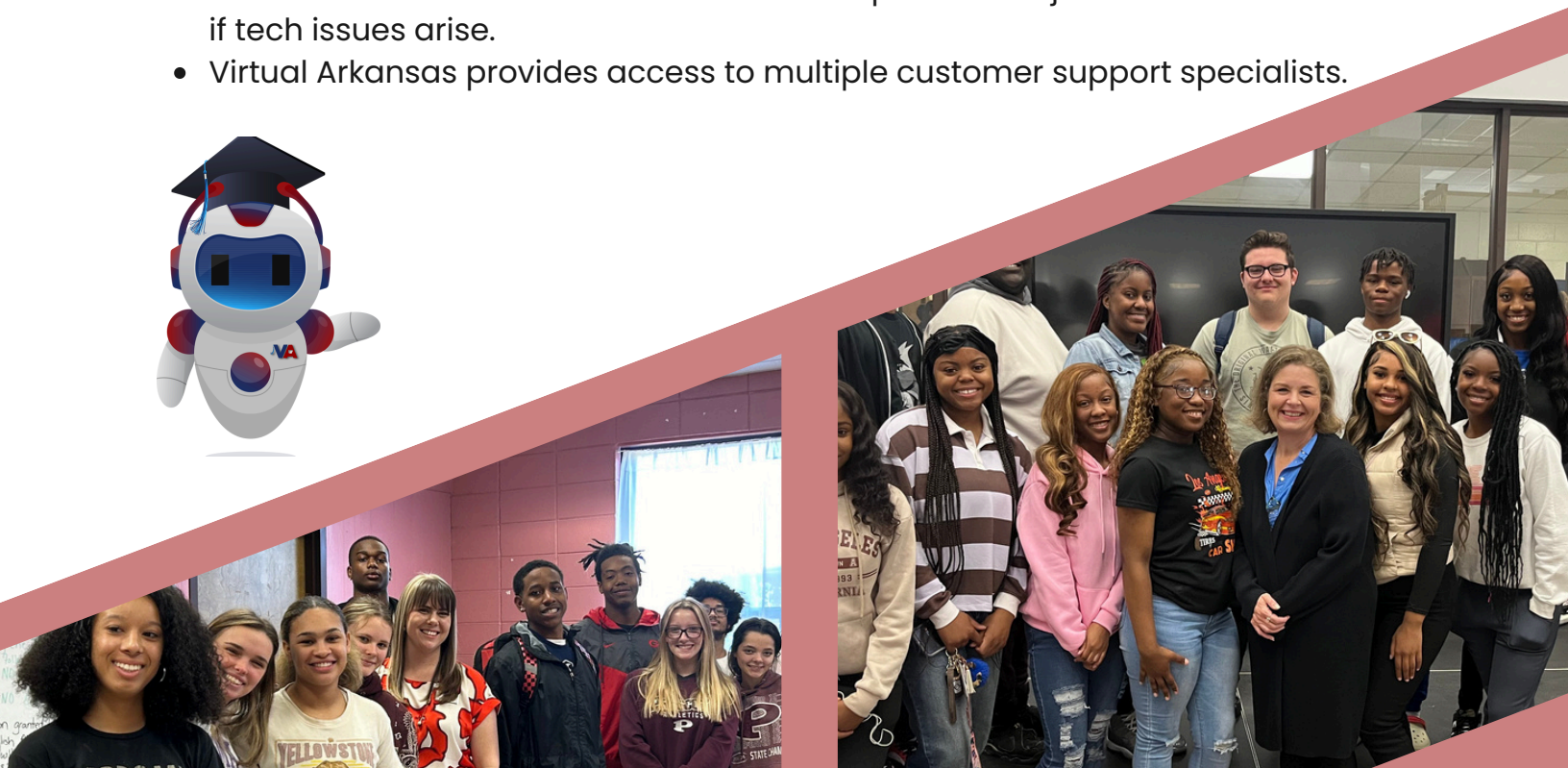
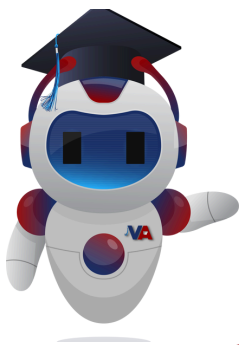
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ALGEBRA II	7
COMPOSITION I	8
GEOMETRY	9
INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE	10

SUPPORT FOR SCHOOLS

HOW DOES VIRTUAL ARKANSAS PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS?

VIRTUAL ARKANSAS PROVIDES UNPARALLELED SERVICE AND SUPPORT FOR OUR LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND STUDENTS

- Virtual Arkansas utilizes a bichronous (synchronous and asynchronous) model of online learning. This approach allows Virtual Arkansas to provide much-needed structure and support for our students through their ability to join live learning sessions and receive live assistance from their teachers to develop positive relationships.
- Virtual Arkansas has a dedicated Facilitator Coordinator to provide local facilitators annual training, periodic upgrade training, just-in-time immediate support, and regular communication.
- Teachers and administrators conduct frequent site visits to meet and provide support for students, counselors, and administrators.
- The Virtual Arkansas tech team offers a help desk and just-in-time assistance if tech issues arise.
- Virtual Arkansas provides access to multiple customer support specialists.



Providing **Affordable, Equitable Access**, and **Educational Opportunity** to Arkansas Students through **Arkansas** Courses Taught by **Arkansas** Teachers.



HOW VIRTUAL ARKANSAS ENSURES QUALITY IN ITS PROGRAM & COURSES

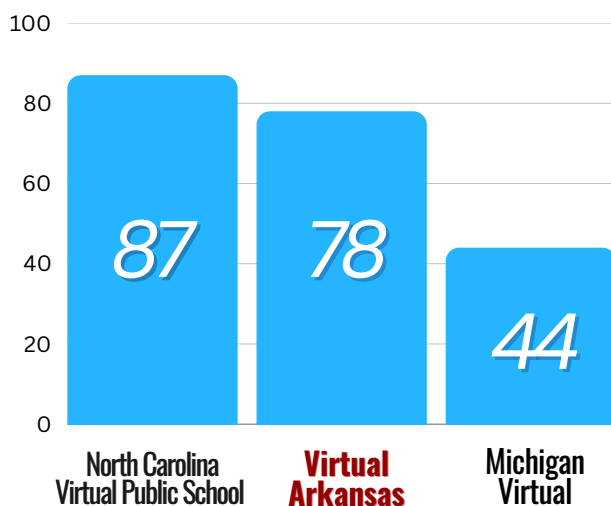
Since its inception, quality assurance has been a major focus of Virtual Arkansas's strategic plan, and ensuring quality in all we do is a critical VA core value. This core value permeates every facet of Virtual Arkansas: instruction, support, course design and development, program operations, and technology. Virtual Arkansas is an active member of Quality Matters (QM), the premier online course quality assurance organization. Our staff members are regular presenters at state and national conferences, often providing insights and expert analysis on course quality assurance best practices. All VA teachers and staff members are trained on the QM Applying the K-12 and Higher Ed Rubrics for Online Courses and teachers are required to obtain the Effective Online Teacher (EOT) credential, helping ensure that everyone within the organization has training, knowledge, and understanding of the National Standards of Quality for Online Courses. Further, Virtual Arkansas has:

- 7 certified Quality Matters Peer Reviewers
- 3 Quality Matters Master Reviewers
- 1 Quality Matters K-12 Applying the Rubric Training Facilitator who is part of the VA Design & Development Department, and regularly featured as a presenter at Quality Matters national conferences.

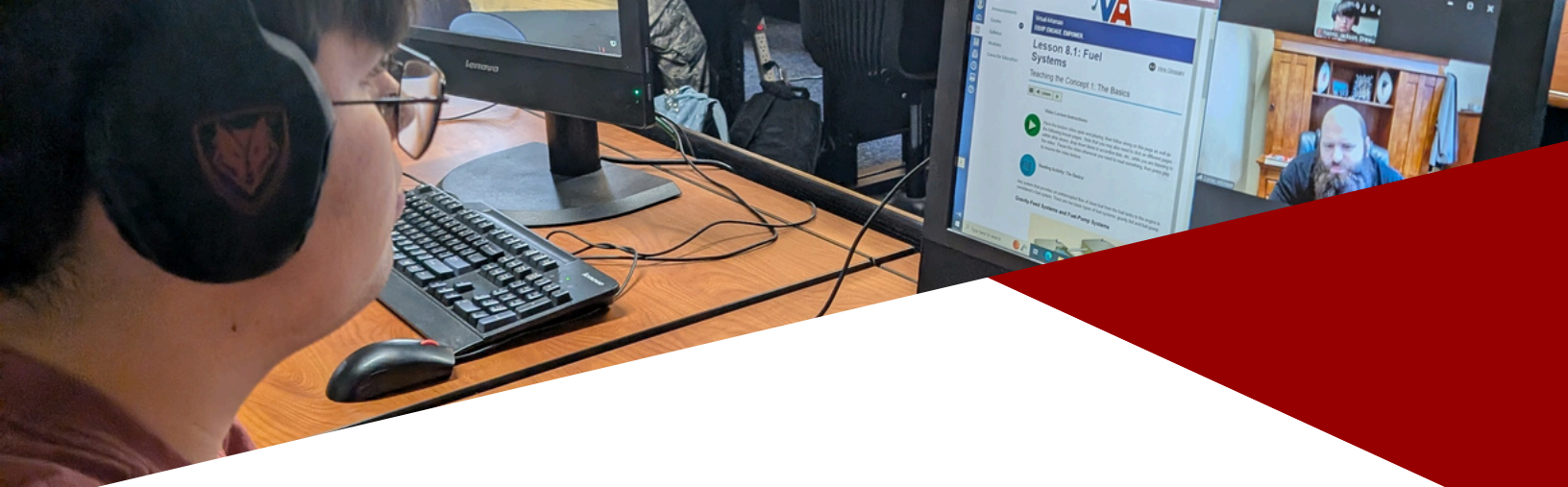
Virtual Arkansas is the only entity in Arkansas with these extensive course design and development credentials and training.

To further develop a culture of quality throughout the organization, Virtual Arkansas has a dedicated focus on curriculum and instruction. The foundation for the work began many years ago with the adoption of the Professional Learning Community (PLC) model.

NATIONAL K-12 LEADERS WITH THE MOST QUALITY MATTERS CERTIFIED ONLINE COURSES



The implementation of collaborative teams has helped Virtual Arkansas place an emphasis on student-centered learning and academic success. Through our continuous improvement model and the growth of PLCs within Virtual Arkansas, we have instituted a standard of quality that has been instrumental in establishing instructional best practices guided by the Charlotte Danielson Framework found in the Teacher Excellence and Support System (TESS) and the National Standards of Quality (NSQ) for Online Teaching. This deliberate, system-wide collaborative approach has helped drive Virtual Arkansas forward with a focus on relationships, integrity, innovation, and quality.



VIRTUAL ARKANSAS INSTRUCTIONAL MODEL

Virtual Arkansas’s instructional model is designed to ensure that the students we serve receive a “guaranteed and viable” curriculum reflective of what is essential for their future success. The model serves as a mechanism through which all students have an equal opportunity (time and access) to learn rigorous content.

In our Instructional Model, we’ve aligned our curriculum, instructional priorities, and assessments to the Arkansas State Curriculum Standards and placed a focus on those standards that are essential for future learning.

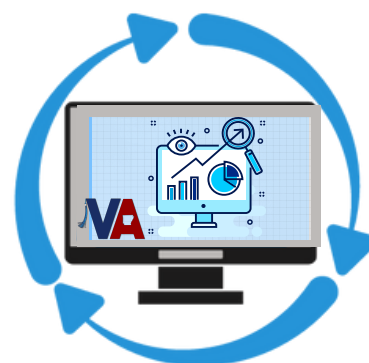
Data from these processes are used to inform instructional decisions and to plan interventions that are targeted to individual student learning needs. Data also inform curriculum revisions and enhancements to ensure that the rigor of our content is aligned to the rigor of our assessments to promote student mastery.

Virtual Arkansas maintains a strong commitment to continuous improvement of our curriculum and of the assessments that underpin our instructional model by investing in high quality professional learning opportunities for our teachers, PLC work that serves to strengthen and improve current instructional practice, and to evolve our processes to provide the highest digital learning experience available to Arkansas students.

Virtual Arkansas’s instructional model was deliberately designed to meet the unique needs of Arkansas schools and students, and at its foundation provides a responsive, local curriculum, instruction, and assessment system founded on State priorities and Arkansas values.

Virtual Arkansas also has a vast design and development department and program, with over 98% of Virtual Arkansas courses being designed by Arkansas-trained and certified subject matter experts and developed by trained Arkansas practitioners.

Virtual Arkansas is currently ranked second in the nation on the number of Quality Matters certified courses.



WHY SCHOOLS UTILIZE VIRTUAL ARKANSAS

The primary reasons Arkansas public schools utilize Virtual Arkansas include:

④ 1/TO SUPPLEMENT

current offerings with additional electives

④ 2/TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE

in meeting the Arkansas Standards of Accreditation course offering requirements

④ 3/TO PROVIDE

- additional course-scheduling opportunities, alleviating course scheduling conflicts
- additional Career & Technical Education (CTE) offerings
- Concurrent Credit offerings
- Credit Recovery options

HOW DOES VIRTUAL ARKANSAS MEET THE NEEDS OF ARKANSAS SCHOOLS AND STUDENTS?

Although Virtual Arkansas has a focus on rural and high-poverty schools and students, Virtual Arkansas is available to serve any Arkansas district, private school, or homeschool in need of services.



MORE SPECIFIC DETAILS

ON HOW VIRTUAL ARKANSAS MEETS THE NEEDS OF ARKANSAS SCHOOLS AND STUDENTS:

- Local districts are able to retain the State Foundation Funding for students enrolled in Virtual Arkansas through that district.
- Virtual Arkansas operates with a focus on efficiency, effectiveness, and wise use of taxpayer funds which maximizes the ability of local schools to retain State Foundation Funding.



"Educational Equity has two very important components: access and affordability. Students must be able to physically access the course for educational opportunity, and those courses must be affordable for that educational opportunity to present itself."

– John Ashworth, Virtual Arkansas Executive Director & Superintendent

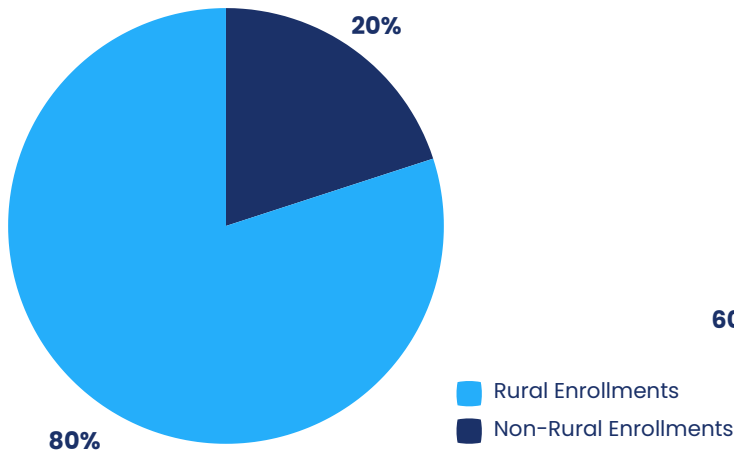
- Virtual Arkansas provides affordable course access and educational opportunities for rural schools and students.
- According to research on rural education, the typical rural student attends a school that likely faces several challenges, including:
 - Higher socioeconomic disadvantaged population
 - Higher transportation costs
 - Lower teacher pay
 - Higher teacher turnover
 - Offering fewer courses and electives than their less rural counterparts
 - Offering fewer advanced courses (including AP and Concurrent Credit courses), challenging electives, and world language courses
 - More likely to experience teacher shortages
- Virtual Arkansas helps alleviate the above challenges of rural schools by offering affordable, high-quality courses and highly qualified teachers, thus narrowing the educational access and opportunity equity gap in our rural schools.

SUCCESS STORIES

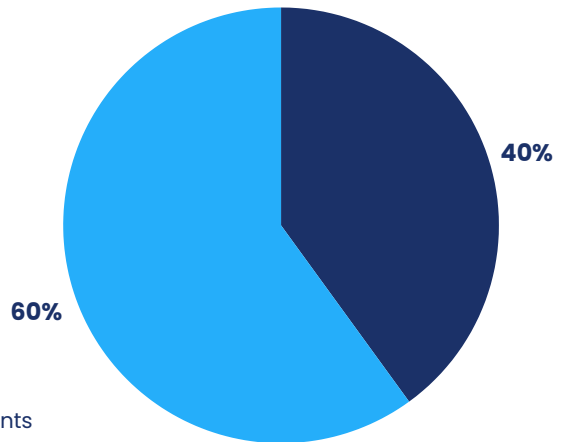
Former Lamar student Gavyn Edwards has joined the Guard and is currently pursuing his EMT certification. Reflecting on his studies, Gavyn shared, 'All that medical terminology and human anatomy training is really paying off—what most people find the hardest, I already have a solid understanding of!'"



**2023-2024
Virtual Arkansas Concurrent Credit
Enrollments: Rural vs. Non-Rural**



**2023-2024
Virtual Arkansas Total Content + Teacher
Enrollments: Rural vs. Non-Rural**



The above graphs demonstrate that in 2023-2024, a high percentage of Virtual Arkansas’s overall content + teacher enrollments, 60%, and Concurrent Credit enrollments, 80%, came from districts designated as rural. This data is even more impactful considering that 30% of all Arkansas students are enrolled in a rural district. Perhaps this data measure is more impressive when expressed this way: 60% of Virtual Arkansas enrollments come from 30% of the student population!

Research demonstrates that one of the biggest challenges for rural and smaller schools is the ability to offer advanced courses. Virtual Arkansas is addressing the need for Concurrent Credit and Advanced Placement offerings in Arkansas rural schools.

- Virtual Arkansas Provides Affordable Course Access and Educational Opportunities for Students in High Poverty Districts.
 - Arkansas school districts with high Free and Reduced Lunch populations have many of the same struggles as rural districts
 - One of the goals of Virtual Arkansas is to serve this population to help offer equitable access and opportunities to these districts and students
- Virtual Arkansas Assists Arkansas School Districts by Alleviating Critical Academic Licensure Shortage Areas and Teaching Shortages
 - Virtual Arkansas provides highly qualified and Arkansas-certified teachers in all critical academic shortage areas
 - Virtual Arkansas is able to immediately respond to school districts throughout Arkansas that need support due to a teacher shortage or an emergency need caused by a teacher leaving the district

QUICK FACT

SEMESTER AVERAGE ENROLLMENTS PER DISTRICT

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WHY DOES VIRTUAL ARKANSAS DESIGN & DEVELOP COURSES?

Virtual Arkansas is home to leading experts in online course design and development, recognized both statewide and nationally. Educational institutions across Arkansas can collaborate with our Design and Development team to create comprehensive online or digital courses, complete with the full content and curricula tailored to their specific organizational needs.

- Virtual Arkansas has the ability to quickly mobilize and create courses that are priorities for the Arkansas Department of Education and local schools. Examples of curriculum course design and development projects include, but are not limited to:

2023-2025
Arkansas Military Service and Security CTE Pathway - three (3) year-long military courses created in partnership with DCTE and the AR National Guard.

2020-2022
Design and development of 76 digital CTE courses in response to the needs of the state amid the COVID pandemic

2023-2024
Free Microcourses to support and address needs around new legislation ACT 723 - Breastfeeding; ACT 101 - Water Safety

2019-2025
Created an evolving learning object repository for AR teachers to find free digital resources aligned to state standards.

2022-2023
Arkansas Pre-Educator Pathway - three (3) year-long courses created in partnership with DESE, DCTE, and ADHE.

2015-2024
Design and development of over a dozen Computer Science courses to support former Governor Asa Hutchinson's Computer Science initiative.

- Virtual Arkansas designs and develops courses with the Arkansas curriculum standards as their foundation. VA courses offer a fully aligned Arkansas curriculum, and most are textbook-independent to support former Governor Asa Hutchinson's Computer Science initiative.

PRE-EDUCATOR PATHWAY:
CHANGES, STANDARDS, AND CURRICULUM

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ACCEPT ANY AGREEMENTS

Overview of Branches
Concept 1: The United States Army

United States Coast Guard, Space Force, and other Department of Defense / Department of Homeland Security Components

The Army

Introduction to the U.S. Army

The United States Army stands as the largest branch of the U.S. Armed Forces based military force. Its origins date back to the Continental Army formed in 1776 during the American Revolutionary War. Today, the Army is tasked with defense operations, securing territories, and engaging in major combat operations as part of multinational coalition efforts. Watch the video below:



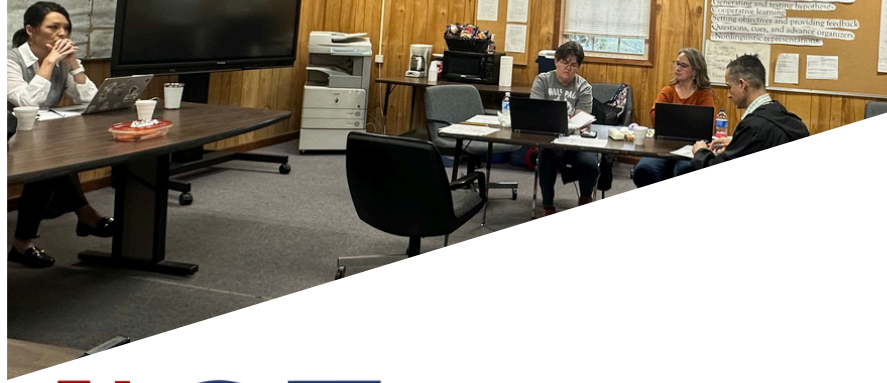
COURSE DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT COST SAVINGS:

- Virtual Arkansas offers a local, cost-effective solution to districts that need online course content and curriculum.
- By leveraging our in-house expertise to design and develop high-quality courses, Virtual Arkansas has saved the state approximately **\$1,273,635** annually—totaling **\$14,009,985** over the past 11 years with our Content + Teacher service. This strategic approach not only conserves financial resources but also ensures that Arkansas taxpayer funds remain within our state, fostering local economic growth and educational excellence.

Compared to for-profit vendors, the Content Partnership service alone has **SAVED TAXPAYERS and SCHOOLS an estimated **\$1,659,774** since 2015–2016!**

WHAT ARE SOME OTHER BENEFITS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS?

Virtual Arkansas facilitates an economically efficient, affordable, and effective means of providing equity in educational access and opportunity to all school districts throughout the State of Arkansas. Through its partnership with the Arkansas Department of Education and the Arkansas Education Service Cooperatives, Virtual Arkansas provides educational access to 225 courses that local students and teachers may not otherwise have access. Virtual Arkansas has designed and developed **98%** of VA courses locally with Arkansas curriculum, content, and subject matter experts. This means these courses will forever belong to Arkansas and can be adjusted, enhanced, and made more perfect over time. As standards and educational practices change, so will Virtual Arkansas courses.



A⁺CE *by* VA

assessment and competency engine

Virtual Arkansas prioritized assessment quality as our most important priority for the 2023-24 academic year. This involved the complete migration of our assessment assets to a new assessment engine in the Canvas learning management system for 24 of our core courses. This new assessment engine, New Quizzes, features new Arkansas teacher-designed assessment items that mirror the structure and rigor levels presented in the ATLAS exam for the following tested courses, as well as our newly designed social studies courses. This new assessment and competency engine, known as A+CE, is utilized within our content + teacher supplemental service, and is available to schools for use through content partnership.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Grades 6-10

MATHEMATICS

Grades 6-8 +
Algebra I & Geometry

SCIENCE

Grades 6-8 + Biology

NEW SOCIAL STUDIES COURSES

G5 World Geography

G6 World History to 1500

G7 US History to 1850

G8 US History 1850-1930

G8 Arkansas History

HS World History Since 1450s

HS US History Since 1929

HS Arkansas History


Civics

Economics with
Personal Finance

Virtual Arkansas's quiz engine, A+CE, utilizes standards-aligned Canvas Outcomes. These tools enable teachers and administrators to track students' progress as measured by standards mastery. Each time a student is assessed, data is automatically collected and compiled on student progress toward achieving mastery. Teachers are empowered by the resulting high-quality, standards-aligned assessment data to inform instruction and provide targeted interventions and remediation to support student learning.

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- Exceeds Mastery (All questions answered 100% correctly.)
- Mastery
- Near Mastery
- Below Mastery
- Well Below Mastery
- Hide outcomes with no results
- [Export report](#)



VIRTUAL ARKANSAS PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

Virtual Arkansas partners with educational programs, institutions, entities, and experts within the State on various projects. Due to the many years of online teaching and learning experience, the vast training and credentials of the Virtual Arkansas staff, and being home to the foremost experts in online learning, course quality, and course design and development, Virtual Arkansas is frequently approached to lead or collaborate on projects related to online learning.



VA PARTNERSHIP PROJECTS OVER THE YEARS

➔ CTE DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

- Partnered with the Division of Career and Technical Education to design and develop 74 CTE courses over a two-year period.
- Involved over 50 Arkansas CTE teachers from around the state to make standards-aligned curriculum for these courses available to all Arkansas CTE teachers.
- One of the largest course design and development projects in the nation

➔ ARKANSAS MILITARY SERVICE AND SECURITY PATHWAY PROJECT

- Partnering with the Division of Career and Technical Education and the Arkansas National Guard to provide a new 3-course CTE pathway opportunity to educate students on military history, civic involvement, and service and career opportunities available through the Arkansas National Guard.
Launch date: Fall 2024

➔ CONCURRENT CREDIT PRE-EDUCATOR COURSES

- Partnered with multiple divisions of ADE and Educators Rising to design and develop three Pre-Educator Courses: Child Growth and Development, Introduction to Education, and Educational Technology.
- Added a full-time pre-educator course teacher to provide options for students who did not have this option at their local school.
- Schools may offer the courses as CTE courses in addition to, or in lieu of, concurrent credit.

➔ COMPUTER SCIENCE COURSE DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT

- Partnered with ADE since 2015 to provide Computer Science course options for Arkansas students, including
 - In partnership with ADE, VA has designed and developed the complete content and curriculum of over 15 Computer Science courses
 - Since 2015, 10,000+ Arkansas students have been enrolled in Computer Science courses through Virtual Arkansas.

VIRTUAL ARKANSAS NATIONAL AWARDS

Virtual Arkansas is proud to have been recognized with three prestigious national awards for our outstanding contributions to online education. These accolades serve not only as a testament to the dedicated teachers and staff members who work tirelessly each day to serve Arkansas schools and students with excellence but also to our unwavering commitment to providing equitable access to superior online education.

➔ QUALITY MATTERS / 2020

Making a Difference for Students Award for Outstanding Impact by a K-12 Organization for Virtual Arkansas's quality assurance efforts. In describing this prestigious award, Quality Matters announced, "Virtual Arkansas is recognized for identifying a statewide need for a stronger online course quality assurance process. Implementation of the QM process through extensive staff development and official course reviews has fostered a common focus on quality assurance throughout the organization."

➔ SETDA / 2021

SETDA (State Educational Technology Directors Association) State Achievement Award, Digital Learning in recognition for outstanding initiatives that address meaningful challenges in teaching and learning

➔ DIGITAL LEARNING COLLABORATIVE / 2023

Digital Learning Collaborative (DLC) Unsung Super Star Award to the Virtual Arkansas DYS Campus for excellent educational service to Arkansas's adjudicated youth.



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 BUFFALO IS. CENTRAL HS
 CABOT HIGH SCHOOL
 CABOT PANTHER ACADEMY
 CADDO ACADEMY
 CALICO ROCK HIGH SCHOOL
 CAMDEN FAIRVIEW HIGH SCHOOL
 CAMDEN FAIRVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL
 CARLISLE HIGH SCHOOL
 CAVE CITY HIGH CAREER & COLLEGIATE PREPARATORY SCHOOL
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 HOXIE HIGH SCHOOL
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 JACKSONVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL
 JASPER HIGH SCHOOL
 JESSIEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL
 JUNCTION CITY HIGH SCHOOL
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 MAGNET COVE HIGH SCHOOL
 MAGNOLIA MIDDLE SCHOOL
 MALVERN HIGH SCHOOL
 MANILA HIGH SCHOOL
 MANSFIELD HIGH SCHOOL
 MARION HIGH SCHOOL
 MARION JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
 MARKED TREE HIGH SCHOOL
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 MARSHALL HIGH SCHOOL
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 MAYNARD HIGH SCHOOL
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 MENA HIGH SCHOOL
 MIDLAND HIGH SCHOOL
 MONTICELLO HIGH SCHOOL
 MORRILTON SR. HIGH SCHOOL
 MOUNT IDA HIGH SCHOOL
 MOUNTAIN HOME CAREER ACADEMIES
 MOUNTAIN PINE HIGH SCHOOL
 MOUNTAIN VIEW HIGH SCHOOL
 MOUNTAINBURG HIGH SCHOOL
 MT. JUDEA K-12 SCHOOL
 MT. VERNON/ENOLA HIGH SCHOOL
 MULBERRY HIGH SCHOOL
 MURFREESBORO HIGH SCHOOL
 NEMO VISTA HIGH SCHOOL
 NETTLETON HIGH SCHOOL
 NETTLETON JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
 NEVADA HIGH SCHOOL
 NORFORK HIGH SCHOOL
 NORTHSIDE HIGH SCHOOL
 OARK HIGH SCHOOL
 ODEN SCHOOLS
 OMAHA HIGH SCHOOL
 OSCEOLA HIGH SCHOOL
 OUACHITA HIGH SCHOOL
 OZARK JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL
 OZARK MOUNTAIN HIGH SCHOOL
 PALESTINE-WHEATLEY SENIOR HIGH
 PANGBURN HIGH SCHOOL
 PARAGOULD HIGH SCHOOL
 PARAGOULD JUNIOR HIGH
 PARIS HIGH SCHOOL
 PARIS MIDDLE SCHOOL
 PARKERS CHAPEL HIGH SCHOOL

PARKVIEW MAGNET HIGH SCHOOL
 PERRYVILLE HIGH SCHOOL
 PIGGOTT HIGH SCHOOL
 PINE BLUFF ACADEMY
 PINE BLUFF HIGH SCHOOL
 PINKSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL
 POTTSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL
 POYEN HIGH SCHOOL
 PRAIRIE GROVE HIGH SCHOOL
 PREMIER HIGH SCHOOL OF FORT SMITH
 QUITMAN HIGH SCHOOL
 RAMSEY MIDDLE SCHOOL
 RECTOR HIGH SCHOOL
 RISON HIGH SCHOOL
 RIVER VALLEY VIRTUAL ACADEMY
 RIVERSIDE HIGH SCHOOL
 RIVERVIEW HIGH SCHOOL
 ROGERS HERITAGE HIGH SCHOOL
 ROGERS VIRTUAL LEARNING
 ROSE BUD HIGH SCHOOL
 RURAL SPECIAL HIGH SCHOOL
 RUSSELLVILLE HIGH SCHOOL
 RUSSELLVILLE JR. HIGH SCHOOL
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 SIATECH HIGH CHARTER
 SILOAM SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL CONVERSION CHARTER
 SILOAM SPRINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL
 SLOAN-HENDRIX HIGH SCHOOL
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 WESTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL (CRAIGHEAD)
 WESTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL (JOHNSON)
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 WHITE HALL HIGH SCHOOL
 WHITE HALL MIDDLE SCHOOL
 WONDERVIEW HIGH SCHOOL
 WOODLAWN HIGH SCHOOL
 WYNNE HIGH SCHOOL
 WYNNE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
 YELLVILLE-SUMMIT HIGH SCHOOL

THANK YOU!

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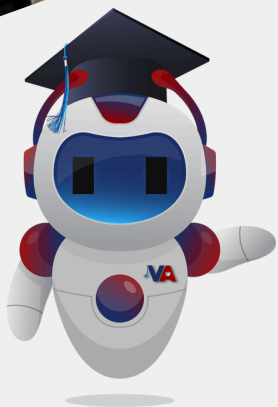
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