

Distance Learning History for Montgomery County Schools

October 2010

2007-2008 Success 37%	80 students took 80 classes
2008 Summer Success 87%	54 students took 54 classes
2008-2009 Success 92%	266 students took 357 classes
2009 Summer Success 96%	54 students took 69 classes
2009-2010 Success 91%	355 students took 609 classes
2010 Summer Success 93%	49 students took 62 classes

- **Due to the cuts, by Legislators, in funding for Learn and Earn Online, MCS lost 225 classes through MCC and 17 classes through UNCG-iSchool, a loss of 75% of the distance learning classes for fall 2010.**
- **Due to the cuts in funding for North Carolina Virtual Public Schools, MCS lost \$197,940.00 of allotted funding for 2010-2011 school year.**

**The Distance Learning Program has been interviewed
and data has been shared with the following:**

- **The Montgomery Herald, Troy**
- **The Post, Montgomery County and Moore County**
- **Courier Tribune, Asheboro**
- **NCVPS Pilot 2008-present**
- **Harvard University**
- **Smithsonian**
- **Washington Post**
- **World Wide Web, Blackboard Institute**

The Distance Learning Program has been on the agenda to answer questions at the following:

- **Governor's Luncheon, 2008**
- **NC Joint Education Committee, 2009**

On the agenda as a presenter:

- **Distance Learning State Convention, New Bern 2010**
- **State Convention for Superintendents, Pinehurst 2009**

- **GoLive Conferences for NC (Alexander County and Montgomery County)**

Invited as a speaker for local groups:

- **Troy Rotary**
- **Troy Women's Club**
- **Star ESL Monthly Meeting**
- **MCS Kitchen Table Meeting 2008-2010**
- **All MCS PTO Meetings (once) 2008-2010**
- **Open House for Middle and High Schools 2008-2009**
- **Evening Chats with the Superintendent 2009-2010**

