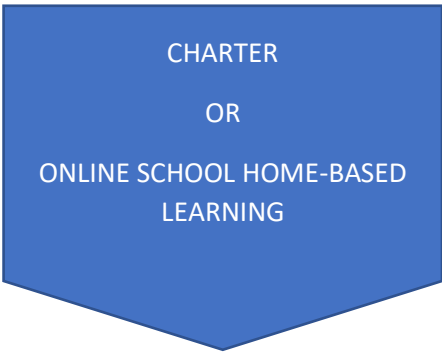


WHAT’S THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN HOMESCHOOLING IN OREGON
&
CHARTER/ONLINE SCHOOLS?



TWO LAWS

1)Register with your Educational Service District when child is 6 by September 1 or within 10 days of withdrawing child from school.

2)Test in Language Arts, Reading, & Math after grades 3, 5, 8, 10 with state-approved homeschool tester.

18-month grace period from homeschool testing after withdrawing child from school. No opt-out for homeschool testing.

NONE

Oregon homeschoolers do not receive any funding from the government. All curriculum, materials, & other educational expenses are paid out of pocket by homeschooling families

PARENTS

Parents are 100% in charge of all aspects of teaching their children. Homeschool parents determine style of teaching, choose curriculum/ classes/tutors, pace & schedule of learning.

PARENTS-ISSUED

Parents determine when homeschool content has been completed through 12th grade. Parents can issue homeschool high school diploma. Taking the GED is also an option.

legal

funding

instructor

diploma

PUBLIC SCHOOL

When enrolled in a charter school, child is public school student therefore homeschool laws do not apply.

Charter schools likely require attendance & state testing- from which on may opt out- But additional testing may Be required.

MAYBE

Depends on the charter school. Some charters may offer stipends to pay for curriculum and/or classes. Some charters provide all curriculum & materials and may not provide stipends

TEACHER/PARENT

Parents work with the charter school teacher who helps set goals & offers support. Work is done at home with parent assistance (between 0%-100%). Requirements vary depending on the charter school chosen.

SCHOOL-ISSUED

Charter school issues Oregon accredited high school diploma upon satisfactory program completion & accrual of state credits required for high school graduation.