



## Program Elements

### About Venture Online:

We are an independent study program and although we do not currently offer live teacher instruction for students, our teachers do invite groups of students to attend live sessions to review learning concepts.

### Expectations:

A successful Venture Online student/family is familiar with, or will make themselves familiar with, the following:

- \* Google Hangouts
- \* The Internet
- \* Email and attaching a pdf to an Email
- \* Google Docs
- \* Microsoft Office

It is also highly recommended that the family have a computer for their child to complete orientation while waiting for the provided Chromebook and books to be shipped to their home via UPS. Student can use the library, or other available resource, if necessary.

### Parent responsibilities:

- a. Assure that student is logging into Canvas and completing work on time
- b. Assure that student is reaching out to the teacher if they need help
- c. Log student attendance in Oasis - instructions will be provided

### Enrollment Meeting:

- This meeting will take place in a live virtual environment using Google Hangouts. The student agreement is a contract and must be signed 'live'.
- Family **will need to have** access to a quality scanner in order to scan and upload color documents immediately after the enrollment meeting.

### Please Note:

- Per signed student agreement, students meet with the Teacher of Record a **minimum of** once every 20 school days (1x per learning period).
- Teachers are available to students (during school hours) via Email, Google Chat, or Google Hangout.

### Benefits:

- Vendor Course Instruction Funds - \$600 per year in VCI funds are available for students to take lessons or receive tutoring from Springs Charter Schools approved Vendors.
- Field Trips - Venture students may participate in 2 Field Trips per semester.
- Learning Center Enrichment Classes/Workshops - Venture students may participate in 2 Classes per year.