St. John the Baptist Middle School is pleased to offer its students the ability to access blended learning pedagogy with both in-person and online learning components this year in several courses. We are able to provide the online course components through our work with Arizona State University's Prep Digital program, whose SOEP (Statewide Online Education Program) courses are facilitated by Canyons School District as LEA. Because our teachers and administrators have undergone additional professional development in blended learning through ASU Prep Digital, we're able to ensure that our students will have only St. John the Baptist Middle School teachers for their blended online courses.

Since the SOEP is available to all of Utah's learners—public, private, and home educated—St. John the Baptist Middle School is able to take advantage of this innovative way to learn and offer blended online learning to our students.

SOEP is an educational choice program designed by Utah's legislature on behalf of students and parents. If you have any questions at all about our school's participation in SOEP this year, please reach out to St. John the Baptist Middle School, Patrick Reeder (patrickreeder@skagqscatholiccenter.org)

More Information:

What is the SOEP? This program allows students to participate in Online Blended Learning through St. John the Baptist Middle School. St. John the Baptist Middle School uses the SOEP to advance its commitment to blended online learning. Blended online learning combines classroom instruction with online content and technology to provide students with the best of both learning experiences.

During the school year, you may receive auto-generated emails from the SEATS system. **Please do not reply to SEATS emails directly–please send any questions to** St. John the Baptist Middle School, Patrick Reeder (<u>patrickreeder@skaggscatholiccenter.org</u>)

What is SEATS? SEATS stands for "Student Enrollment and Tracking System". This is the system that the Utah State Board of Education uses when enrolling your student in the Statewide Online Education Program (SOEP) your student participates in at St. John the Baptist Middle School. You may be receive emails from SEATS for the following reasons:

- Your student's enrollment application was received and is pending.
- Your student's status has changed from pending to accepted.
- Your student's enrollment was denied due to a duplicate request. Meaning they have already taken this course and do not qualify for the SOEP.
- Your student has passed their class and they are sending you verification of their completion. This could pertain to current courses or courses they took in the past.
- Your student has received an Incomplete or Failing grade for a course they took last semester or past school years. This could pertain to current courses or courses they took in the past.

- Your student received an Incomplete or Failing grade and did not remediate the course their enrollment is closed. This could pertain to current courses or courses they took in the past.
- Your student has withdrawn from a course. In this instance, you would also receive a
 letter from St. John the Baptist Middle School outlining the process of completing the
 course should you choose to do so.

How do these SEATS emails affect my student?

- In most instances, this email is purely informational.
- Any email regarding a denied enrollment will be handled by your school administrator.
 Most of the time these enrollments are denied because it was a duplicate request.
- If you receive an email notification about "receiving an Incomplete for Failing grade" then your student will be contacted by their classroom teacher about what they need to do to make up the credit for a passing grade.
- Questions regarding an email about an incomplete grade or an enrollment being closed should be directed to your child's school administrator.
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