



CROSSROADS
FLEX

Wake County Public School System's
Newest High School Program
Offering On-site and Online Learning

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Why Crossroads FLEX?

By virtue of its name, Crossroads FLEX will offer flexibility in scheduling, along with a reasonable mixture of facilitated and online learning opportunities. It will be open at hours that allow students to take early morning as well as early evening classes. This will also be the first WCPSS high school program that provides one-to-one student to computer/device access.

Why Crossroads FLEX

- ❑ Offers a Flexible Learning Experience (FLEX) in both an online and an onsite environment
- ❑ Provides personalized learning
- ❑ Meets unique needs of students
- ❑ Offers early morning and early evening learning opportunities
- ❑ Ensures courses required for graduation, college or career readiness
- ❑ Offers broad variety of electives

Who should apply?

- Crossroads FLEX will serve students in grades 9-12 who are involved in outside activities that require considerable amounts of time during regular school hours
- It is designed to allow students to meet those obligations while meeting all requirements for high school graduation, as well as college and career readiness
- This could include students who are involved in visual or performing arts endeavors or training for highly competitive athletic events.
- It could also include students with other obligations, such as work schedules or family commitments

What's Expected?

- A Crossroads FLEX student should:
 - Be self-motivated
 - Be self-directed
 - Be independent
 - Be able to manage their time well
 - Be digitally literate
 - Desire a non-traditional pathway to graduation
 - Possess strong communication skills
 - Be organized



Image from iPrep Academy,
Miami, FL

How Crossroads FLEX?

- ☐ Onsite location –
 - 5651 Dillard Drive, Cary, NC

- ☐ Transportation
 - Crossroads Flex students will be responsible for their own transportation.
 - Student parking will be available on campus.

How Crossroads FLEX?

- ☐ Online Learning
 - Digital Resources
 - 1:1 Device
- ☐ Courseware
- ☐ Flexible Learning Spaces



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How Crossroads FLEX?

- Staff
 - Principal,
 - 3 teachers
 - School counselor

- Environment
 - Technology learning lab
 - Conference and collaborative rooms
 - Prepares students for college and career

- Flexible scheduling
 - Online classes through North Carolina Virtual Public School
 - Core and electives offered
 - Access to early morning and late evening classes
 - Reasonable mixture of face-to-face and online learning

How to apply

- ☐ Visit www.wcpss.net/crossroadsflex
- ☐ Link to application – see box on right
- ☐ Create account then, link to early college application
- ☐ Click on the word “here” in blue
- ☐ Enter demographic information
- ☐ Enter email of recommenders
- ☐ Complete essay

FAQs

- How will attendance be counted if students come and go at different times?
 - There will be a minimum number of hours students will be required to spend in class, as well as a minimum number of hours students must be logged in to online
- What types of classes will be offered?
 - In addition to the 22 core classes required for graduation, there will be a variety of electives offered.
- What grades will the school serve? How many students?
 - The school will be open to ninth- through 12th-graders and will serve up to 100 students the first year. This number will eventually grow to approximately 150 students, which is the school's current capacity.
- Will students acquire enough credits to qualify for college?
 - School counselors will ensure that Crossroads FLEX students will have access to the most rigorous coursework students so that they will be College and Career Ready.
- Will there be extracurricular opportunities?
 - Due to the flexible scheduling at Crossroads FLEX, students will not have access to WCPSS extracurricular activities.

Q & A



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