

Santa Fe Trail High School  
Virtual School Request  
2021-2022

I would like to request permission for Santa Fe Trail High School to begin the steps needed to start a Virtual School for USD 434. It would be for students grades 9-12. I have bulleted some of the details:

- The Virtual School would be for students in grades 9-12 only.
- This would start for the 2021-2022 school year.
- An additional certified staff member would be needed to run the program. The ideal teaching candidate will have an endorsement in either math, English, science, or social studies.
- USD 434 students in grades 9-12 would no longer be enrolled in the Greenbush Virtual School run by Paul Schmidt.
- “This year SFT had 7 FTE full count students and 1 partial. I looked over your history and your average while I have been teacher/coordinator since 2013 has been 8.5 students,” reported Paul Schmidt.
- The application process to KSDE begins in February 2021.
- Students would apply for admittance.
- In order for students to remain in the program, attention and work completion towards graduation would be required.
- Students in our Virtual School would not be eligible to participate in activities/athletics for SFT.