

## Correspondence Courses Approved for Home Instruction

Academic courses offered by the schools listed below have been approved effective July 1, 2003, for use by parents who choose Option (iii) of Section 22.1-254.1 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, pertaining to home education as an alternative to compulsory attendance. This list will remain in effect until replaced by an updated version.

**A BEKA ACADEMY**

P. O. Box 18000  
Pensacola, FL 32523

<http://www.abekaacademy.org/>

Grade Levels: K-12

(Parents using the Video Program must choose Option 1-Credit.)

**1-800-874-3592**

1-800-874-3593 (Fax)

**ALPHA OMEGA ACADEMY**

300 N. McKemy Avenue  
Chandler, AZ 85226

<http://www.WelcomeToClass.com>

Grade Levels: K-12

**1-800-682-7396**

480-893-6112 (Fax)

**ALPHA OMEGA ACADEMY ONLINE**

300 N. McKemy Avenue  
Chandler, AZ 85226

<http://www.WelcomeToClass.com>

Grade Levels: K-12

**1-800-682-7396**

480-893-6112 (Fax)

**AMERICAN SCHOOL<sup>1,2</sup>**

2200 East 170<sup>th</sup> Street  
Lansing, IL 60438

<http://www.americanschoolofcorr.com>

Grade Levels: 9-12

**708-418-2800**

**BYU INDEPENDENT STUDY<sup>3</sup>**

206 HCEB  
P. O. Box 21514  
Provo, UT 84602

<http://elearn.byu.edu>

Grade Levels: 9-12

**801-378-6050**

801-378-5817 (Fax)

**CALVERT SCHOOL\*<sup>4</sup>**

10713 Gilroy Road, Suite B  
Hunt Valley, MD 21031

<http://www.calvertschool.org/>

Grade Levels: K-8

(\*Parents must subscribe to the Advisory Teaching Service)

**410-785-3400**

410-785-3418 (Fax)

**CAMBRIDGE ACADEMY<sup>5</sup>**  
3855 SE Lake Weir Avenue  
Ocala, FL 34480  
<http://www.cambridgeacademy.com>  
Grade Levels: 6-12

**352-401-3688**  
352-401-9013 (Fax)

**CITIZEN'S HIGH SCHOOL<sup>1</sup>**  
188 College Drive  
P. O. Box 66089  
Orange Park, FL 32065-6089  
<http://www.citizenschool.com/>  
Grade Levels: High School

**904-276-1700**  
904-272-6702 (Fax)

**DRIVER ED IN A BOX**  
800 Wilcrest, Suite 165  
Houston, TX 77042  
<http://www.driveredinabox.com>  
(Driver Education course only)

**1-800-562-6405**  
713-780-9265

**HOME STUDY INTERNATIONAL<sup>\*1,5</sup>**  
12501 Old Columbia Pike  
Silver Spring, MD 20904-6600  
<http://www.hsi.edu>  
Grade Levels: K-12  
(\*Parents must subscribe to the Accredited Plan)

**301-680-6570**  
301-680-6577 (Fax)

**INDIANA UNIVERSITY<sup>2</sup>**  
Independent Study Program  
709 E. Kirkwood Avenue, Owen Hall 002  
Bloomington, IN 47405-7101  
<http://scs.indiana.edu>  
Grade Levels: 9-12

**800-334-1011**  
812-855-8680 (Fax)

**KEYSTONE NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL<sup>1,3</sup>**  
420 W. 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
Bloomsburg, PA 17815  
<http://www.keystonehighschool.com>  
Grade Levels: 9-12  
(Includes approval of a Driver Education course)

**570-784-5220**  
570-784-2129 (Fax)

**LAUREL SPRINGS SCHOOL<sup>6</sup>**  
302 West El Paseo Street  
Ojai, CA 93023  
[www.laurelsprings.com](http://www.laurelsprings.com)  
Grade Levels: K-12  
(parents must enroll in Teacher-Assisted or Teachers Directed Program)

**805-646-2473**  
805-646-0186 (Fax)

**MCGUFFEY ACADEMY INTERNATIONAL**  
275 Hawk Hill Lane, P. O. Box 155  
Lakemont, GA 30552  
[www.mcguffeyacademy.com](http://www.mcguffeyacademy.com)  
Grade Levels: K-12

**706-782-7709**  
706-782-7713 (Fax)

**NORTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INDEPENDENT  
STUDY**  
Box 5036 – State University Station  
Fargo, ND 58105-5036  
<http://www.NDISonline.org>  
Grade Levels: 6-12

**701-231-6000**  
701-231-6050 (Fax)

**OAK MEADOW SCHOOL<sup>7</sup>**

P. O. Box 740  
Putney, VT 05346  
[www.oakmeadow.com](http://www.oakmeadow.com)  
Grade Levels: K-12

**802-387-2021**  
802-387-5108 (Fax)

(Parents must subscribe to the full teacher support option)

**PEARBLOSSOM PRIVATE SCHOOL, INC.**

P. O. Box 847  
13134 E. Avenue V-13  
Pearblossom, CA 93553  
<http://www.pearblossomschool.com>

**661-944-0914**  
661-944-4483 (Fax)

**PHOENIX SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND ACADEMIES<sup>2</sup>**

1717 W. Northern Avenue, Suite 104  
Phoenix, AZ 85021  
<http://www.phoenixacademies.org>  
Grade Levels: 7-12

**602-674-5555**  
602-943-9700 (Fax)

**SETON HOME STUDY SCHOOL<sup>3</sup>**

1350 Progress Drive  
Front Royal, VA 22630  
<http://www.setonhome.org>  
Grade Levels: K-12

**540-636-9990**  
540-636-1602 (Fax)

**SOUTHEAST ACADEMY**

137 Palmer Avenue - P. O. Box MM  
Saltville, VA 24370  
<http://go4sea.com>  
Grade Levels: 1-12

**276-496-7777**  
276-496-7979 (Fax)

**SYCAMORE ACADEMY**

2179 Meyer Place  
Costa Mesa, CA 92627-2518  
<http://www.sycamoretree.com/>  
Grade Level: 4-12 (online program only)

**714-668-1343**  
714-668-1344 (Fax)

**THOMSON HIGH SCHOOL<sup>1</sup>**  
(Formerly Harcourt High School)  
925 Oak Street  
Scranton, PA 18515  
<http://www.EducationDirect.com>  
Grade Levels: 9-12

**570-342-7701**  
570-343-0560 (Fax)

**UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS<sup>2</sup>**  
Division of Continuing Education  
2 East Center Street  
Fayetteville, AR 72701  
<http://www.uacted.edu>  
Grade Levels: 9-12

**479-575-6483**  
479-575-7232 (Fax)

**UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI  
COLUMBIA HIGH SCHOOL**  
136 Clark Hall  
Columbia, MO 65211  
<http://cdis.missouri.edu/>  
Grade Levels: High School

**1-800-609-3727**  
573-882-6808 (Fax)

**UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA - LINCOLN<sup>\*2</sup>**  
Independent Study High School  
33<sup>rd</sup> & Holdrege Streets  
269 Extended Education Building  
Lincoln, NE 68583-9400  
<http://www.nebraskahs.unl.edu>  
Grade Levels: High School  
(\*Student must be enrolled for credit toward a UN-L diploma)

**402-472-2175**  
402-472-1901 (Fax)

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA<sup>2</sup>**  
Independent Learning High School  
Center for Independent & Distance Learning  
1600 Jenkins  
Norman, OK 73072-6507  
<http://ouilhs.ou.edu>  
Grade Levels: High School

**405-325-1921**  
405-325-7687 (Fax)

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<sup>1</sup>Accredited Member, Distance Education and Training Council (formerly the National Home Study Council)

<sup>2</sup>Accredited Member, North Central Association of Colleges and Schools

<sup>3</sup>Accredited Member, Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges

<sup>4</sup>Accredited Member, Middle States Association of Schools and Colleges

<sup>5</sup>Accredited Member, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools

<sup>6</sup>Accredited Member, Western States Association of Schools and Colleges

<sup>7</sup>Accredited Member, Commission on International and Trans-Regional Accreditation

## **Disclaimer**

Approval of correspondence courses by the Superintendent of Public Instruction is not an endorsement of the program as a substitute for public school programs nor is it an endorsement of the educational or operational philosophy of the school. Additionally, the approval of courses is not intended as an endorsement of the quality of the courses nor is it a conclusion that they are appropriate to meet the educational needs of the student or the assessment required by Section 22.1-254.1 of the *Code of Virginia*.

It is manifest that parents who choose to educate their children at home through a correspondence course are directly responsible for the educational progress of their children and the adequacy of instruction. The Virginia General Assembly has provided a mechanism to ensure that a child is receiving adequate instruction at home by requiring annual competency testing evaluation. This testing program or evaluation is a measure of educational adequacy and the determining factor in the decision regarding the continuation of home study.

The approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction does not guarantee that a school has a refund policy for uncompleted courses. The superintendent assumes no liability for damages or financial loss to parents using any course listed to meet Option (iii) of the home study legislation.

## **Approval**

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Superintendent of Public Instruction

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Date