

Michigan Online School Eligibility Requirements

A Michigan Online School (MOS) student must meet state eligibility requirements to attend the academy. Eligibility requirements are determined by the Michigan Board of Education and Legislature. Please review the eligibility requirements to determine whether the student is eligible to enroll and participate in grades 6–12. Michigan Online School (MOS) is authorized by Gobles School District.

Age Requirement

Maximum Age: A general education student will not be eligible to enroll if that turns twenty (20) years of age on or before September 1. A special education student will not be eligible to enroll that turns twenty-six (26) years of age on or before September 1.

Birth Certificate

The state of Michigan requires MOS to review the official birth certificate for each student to verify age. Please provide a birth certificate with the enrollment form if possible.

Proof of Residence

The student must be a resident in the state of Michigan. Please provide proof of residence with the enrollment form if possible.

The following are accepted as proof for Residency

Submit one of the following that is not older than 60 days showing the service address

Electric, water, or gas bill

Cable bill

Internet bill

Home telephone bill

Notarized letter

A signed lease agreement

A mortgage statement from the last 60 days

Property tax statement

Rent receipt from the last 60 days

Settlement statement from home purchase from the last 60 days

Property deed

Immunizations

All Michigan Online School (MOS) students must provide a certificate of immunization that is signed by health care provider. Please provide proof of immunizations with the enrollment form if possible.

All students must provide evidence of their immunizations on one of the following:

- Official Michigan state immunization form
- Immunization booklet
- Official school records

Immunization Exemptions

A student may be exempt from immunizations for the following: medical exemption, religious beliefs, or personal beliefs. Parents seeking waivers must have the immunization waiver certified by their local health department.

Other Documentation for Special Circumstances

Other additional information and documentation may need to be provided if the following circumstances apply:

Custody Order: If the legal guardianship of the student is determined by a court order.

Special Education: If the student has an Individualized Education Program (IEP) within the past three years submit special education documentation will be needed.

The special education documents are needed to assist the school with providing the student free appropriate public education and all the services necessary.

IEP documentation: Please submit a copy of the most recent IEP within the last 12 months.

Supporting Evaluation Documentation: Please submit a copy of the most recent evaluation report (Multidisciplinary Evaluation Team Report,

Psychological Evaluation and/or Existing Evaluation Data within the last three (3) years.

IEP Exit Documentation: Please submit documentation if the student has been formally exited from special education services.

504 Plan: Please submit a copy of the 504 Plan with the last three years if applicable.

If you have any questions about student verification, please call 269-216-6972.