

Two Roads Charter School – Partnering with Homeschool Families for nearly 20 years

Two Roads Charter School is a tuition-free, charter public school authorized by Jefferson County School District. We pride ourselves on having the longest running homeschool program in the district. Unlike many other homeschool programs we offer both core and elective classes in grades K-12. Identifying and meeting the needs of our homeschoolers is a priority that is fully integrated into the whole of the school. The way we partner with homeschool families changes over the course of a student’s educational journey. Click on any program below to find out more about your options. All homeschool students are required to meet the minimum contact hours to obtain funding, this is how we pay for the teachers, curriculum, and other supplies that support our partnership. As long as you remain enrolled in the homeschool option, you, the parent remain the primary educator of your student(s). You decide how you want to partner with Two Roads within the minimum contact time requirements. Time spent at Two Roads does count toward your daily/weekly/annual required schooling time outlined in the Colorado Home School Law. All homeschool families have access to our curriculum library for your use *at home*. Two Roads does not require that you use any particular curriculum in your home school, but our library is available to you as a resource.

Elementary Years
Kindergarten - 5th*

Middle School
6th-8th Grade

High School
9th-12th Grade

Elementary Home School Support

Overview

Elementary homeschool classes are supplemental in nature. Classes at this level are meant to give students exposure to a subject, the classroom setting, other adults, and socialization with their peer group. Two Roads provides the structure of a formal school setting with the environment of a homeschool co-op.

Attendance

Elementary students attend classes one (1) full day/week. The day of week varies between the two campuses, but students will be in classes from 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. one day/week. Regular attendance is necessary to meet the minimum contact hours required to obtain funding for each student.

Homework

There is minimal homework in our elementary program. Homework assignments given will generally fall into the category of projects. Again, courses are meant to give exposure to a subject and in NO WAY should they be considered to deliver complete subject content. We encourage each family to work with and communicate with individual teachers if there is any question about class expectations.

Course Offerings

Kindergarten and 1st graders are the exception. These students will remain in a single teacher classroom for their school day. Within that day, the teacher will provide a broad overview of appropriate grade-level topics.

Families may select from a variety of courses each year to enrich their schooling 2nd-5th grade*. Two Roads will provide a course catalog with course descriptions to assist families in making the right decision for their student(s). Typically course offerings will include music, P.E., art, robotics, technology, science, geography, book club, math games, Ameritowne, and Colorado History.

*6th grade students at the Littleton campus have the option of remaining in the elementary program/schedule, or moving to the secondary schedule. 6th grade Arvada students must move to the secondary schedule.

Middle School Home School Support

Overview

Middle school homeschool partners begin a transition toward handing over partial responsibility for content. Middle school courses could be seen as an *EXTENSION* of your homeschool. While parents remain the primary educator, they may choose to partner with Two Roads for core content as early as 6th grade. Individual teachers will quantify what they are NOT covering in class, so that you can be sure to supplement with appropriate content at home. Middle school is a great time to begin transferring ownership and accountability to your student. Families will also want to begin documentation in middle school as preparation for the documentation required to write a transcript in high school.

Attendance

Middle School students attend classes two (2) days/week. The days of week varies between the two campuses. During those two days, students must take a minimum of four courses out of the possible six classes offered in a day. Regular attendance is necessary to meet the minimum contact hours required to obtain funding for each student.

Homework

There is more homework for middle school students taking core classes. Since Two Roads is partially responsible for core content, our teachers must make sure that students achieve mastery for what they are teaching.

Course Offerings

Two Roads offers the traditional classes that are taken by middle school students and required in middle school. These courses include: English, science, social studies, International Town, math, art, p.e., technology, and music. Courses may be offered in rotation (not every year). These courses are intended to prepare students to enter high school.

High School Home School Support

Overview

High school homeschool partners hand over complete responsibility for content in their chosen courses. As such, Two Roads provides an official transcript of all courses taken at Two Roads. Parents must determine their homeschool's graduation requirements and transcript all courses taught at home. The combination of the two transcripts make a complete high school transcript and should reflect the home school's graduation requirements. Record keeping in high school is imperative.

Attendance

High School students attend classes two (2) days/week. The days of week vary between the two campuses. During those two days, students must take a minimum of three (3) courses out of the possible six (6) classes offered in a day at the Littleton campus, and four (4) out of a possible six (6) in Arvada. Regular attendance is necessary to meet the minimum contact hours required to obtain funding for each student.

Additionally, high school students have the ability to participate in the Concurrent Enrollment program. There are very specific criteria to meet for participation. These are outlined in detail on our website: https://tworoads.jeffcopublicschools.org/enrollment/concurrent_enrollment

Homework

Homework is a requirement for high school classes since Two Roads is solely responsible for course content. Families should take this into account when choosing which courses to teach at home and what to take at Two Roads. Students are expected to use Schoology to keep track of assignments and to communicate with teachers.

Course Offerings

Two Roads offers the traditional classes that are taught in high school students and that meet general high school graduation requirements. These courses include: English, science, social studies, math, foreign language, art, p.e., technology, and music. Courses may be offered in rotation (not every year). These courses are intended to prepare students to enter college.