

# Policies Addressing At-Home Learning Where No In-Person Learning Option Is Provided

#### **PURPOSE**

Tanbridge Academy is committed to ensuring that all students have access to a high-quality education, whether learning occurs in person or at home. This procedure outlines the framework for providing at-home learning for students when an in-person learning option is not available for **Campus Students**.

### **DETERMINING LEARNING MODE**

The decision to offer at-home learning will be made based on careful consideration of various factors, including but not limited to:

- The safety and accessibility of school facilities.
- The ability to provide equitable access to learning for all students.
- The availability of technology and connectivity for students.
- The nature of the programs offered (synchronous or asynchronous).
- Compliance with provincial requirements for instructional hours.

### **ALTERNATIVE IN-PERSON LEARNING OPTIONS**

If a specific school building is unavailable for in-person learning, Tanbridge Academy will explore the following alternatives:

- Utilizing other school facilities within our school network.
- Arranging learning spaces in community facilities (e.g., community halls).
- Coordinating with nearby educational institutions for shared access.

## **ENSURING QUALITY AT-HOME LEARNING**

Tanbridge Academy will provide a robust at-home learning experience by:

- Establishing clear attendance expectations and monitoring student participation.
- Providing access to necessary technology and digital resources.
- Offering support for students requiring specialized learning accommodations.
- Ensuring students have access to any provincial resources.
- Regularly assessing and supporting student progress and engagement.
- Tanbridge Academy will ensure compliance with the Education Act by maintaining minimum instructional hours, appropriate teacher supervision and evaluation, and access to provincial assessments.

#### SUPPORTING DIVERSE STUDENT NEEDS

To ensure all students can successfully participate in at-home learning, Tanbridge Academy will:

- Provide devices and internet access support for students without home technology.
- Offer tailored support for students with English as an Additional Language (EAL), if applicable.
- Implement accommodations for students with specialized learning needs.

#### COMMUNICATION AND TRANSPARENCY

Timely updates on policy changes, notifications, and information will be delivered to students, staff, and families through e-mail and the school website.