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TO: Division Superintendents  
FROM: James F. Lane, Ed.D., Superintendent of Public Instruction  
SUBJECT: **Virtual Education in Virginia: A Collection of Supports and Resources**

The Virginia Department of Education (VDOE) has released a new document, titled *Virtual Education in Virginia: A Collection of Supports and Resources*, to support school divisions in implementing successful virtual learning programs. In developing the document, VDOE staff collaborated with education stakeholders to create this collection. In addition to information provided by VDOE and from state regulations, resources from Virtual Virginia, the Virginia L.E.A.R.N.S. workgroup, the Return to School Recovery Task Force, and the Continuity of Learning (C4L) Task Force were reviewed and adapted for this document. The collection reflects the most current information available at the start of the 2021-2022 school year. The document shares helpful information on topics including policy development, administration, technology requirements, virtual instruction, professional learning, and resources. The document is located on the [Virtual Learning Hub of the Virginia Department of Education website](#).

**For more information**

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