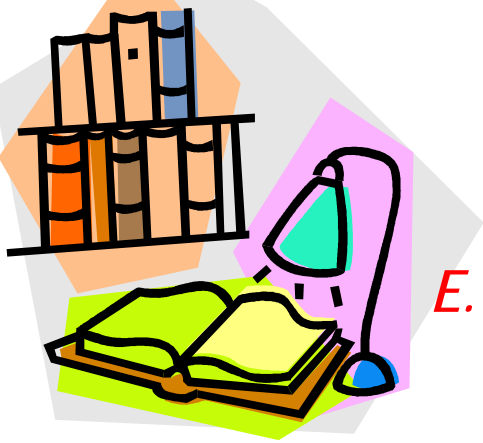


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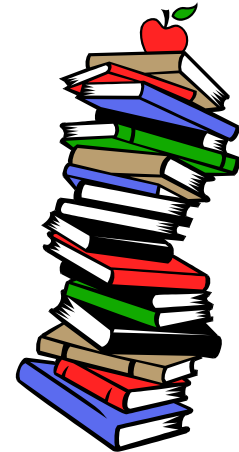
## *E. V. CAIN INDEPENDENT/HOME STUDY* *6th-8<sup>th</sup> Grade*

### **What is Independent/Home Study?**

Independent/Home study is an alternative means for students to complete the prescribed course of study (Ed Code 51225). Independent/Home study allows students and parents to become active participants in the learning process under the general supervision of a certificated teacher representative.

Independent/Home study provides the student with the opportunity to:

- **study at his or her own pace,**
- **accept the challenge to excel in areas of special interest,**
- **receive special education services as outlined in the current IEP,**
- **participate in activities of their choice with like peers, and**
- **achieve competency in basic skills in an alternative learning environment**



### **Clubs and Activities**

Independent/Home study participants are also able to participate in the many activities offered at E. V. Cain Middle School such as:

- ***Band,***
- ***Rocketry,***
- ***Art,***
- ***Dances,***
- ***Sports,***
- ***Cycling,***
- ***Chess,***
- ***Choir,***
- ***Drama,***
- ***Foreign Language, and***
- ***Travel Adventure***

### **Extended Learning Experiences**

Extended learning experiences such as workshops, classes, and field trips will be scheduled to provide opportunities for socialization as well as unique educational experiences.

### **Testing**

All students in the independent/home study program will be administered standardized state testing.

### **Days of Attendance and Time Schedule**

Students in the independent/home study program will follow the district calendar. 180 days of instruction will be required of each student. The minimum number of minutes per day for grades 6-8 is 240 minutes. Date and time of home instruction can be determined by parent/guardian and the certificated teacher.

**For Further Information on the E. V. Cain Independent/Home Study 6th-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Program please contact: Donna Mulsow at (530) 745-8813**