Online Education Providers

Name	URL	Free/ Pay	Ages Served	Level	Academic/ Creative	Home/ Public/ Charter/ Private	Special Needs	Subjects
AIM academy	https:// debrabell.com/ product-category/ online- homeschool- classes/	Pay		grades 4-12	Academic	Home	Both	All
Art of Problem Solving	https:// artofproblemsolvi ng.com/school/ about-classroom	Pay		grades 5-12	academic	Home	Both	math & science
Athena's Advanced Academy	https:// athenasacademy. com	Pay		elementary - 12	Academic	Home/ Charter	Gifted	All
Beast Academy	https:// beastacademy.co <u>m</u>	Pay		grades 2-5	Academic	Home	Both	Math
Bridgeway Academy	https:// www.homeschool academy.com	Pay		grades 1-12	Academic	Home	Both	All
Calvert Education	http:// www.calverteduc ation.com/should- i-homeschool/ gifted-advanced- learners-the- advantages-of- homeschooling	Pay		grades P-12	Academic	Home/ Private	Gifted	All
Coda Kid	https:// codakid.com	Pay	ages 7-15		Academic		Both	Coding
Coursera	https:// www.coursera.org	Both	?-adult		Both	Home/ Certificate/ Degree	Both	All
Creative Writing Clubs and Tutoring Services	http:// www.creative- writing- solutions.com/ colorado-writing- clubs.html	Pay	ages 7-15		Academic/ Creative	Home	Both	Writing
Davidson Academy Online High School	http:// www.davidsonac ademy.unr.edu/ Online	Pay	ages 12-18		Academic	Private	Gifted	All
Derek Owens	https:// www.derekowens.c om/	Pay	Based on ability level		Academic	Home	Both	Math/ Physics
Duke TiP	https:// tip.duke.edu	Pay		grades 4-12	Academic	Home	Gifted	All

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edX	https:// www.edx.org	Both	?-adult		Academic	Home/ Certificate	Both	All
Exploration Education	https:// explorationeducatio n.com/course.html	Pay	K-10		Academic	Home	Both	Science
Gifted Homeschoolers Forum	https:// giftedhomeschool ers.org/ghf- online/	Pay	7-18		Both	Home	Gifted	All
Gifted LearningLinks - Northwestern Center for Talent Development	https:// www.ctd.northwe stern.edu/ program type/ online-programs	Pay		grades 1-12	Academic	Home	Gifted	All
Institute for Excellence in Writing	https://iew.com/ events-classes/ online-classes	Pay		grades 4-12	Academic	Home	Both	Writing
Institute for Mathematics & Computer Science (IMACS)	https:// www.eimacs.com	Pay	Math - ages 10-14; Mathemati cal Logic & Computer Sciences - ages 14-18		Academic	Home	Both	Math/ Science
Iowa Online AP Academy	http:// www2.education. uiowa.edu/ belinblank/ Students/ioapa/ Catalog.aspx	Pay		grades 6-12	Academic	Home	Gifted	AP
JAM	https://jam.com	Pay	ages 7-16		Academic/ Creative			Creative
John Hopkins Center for Talented Youth	https:// cty.jhu.edu/ online/	Pay		grades 2-12	Academic	Home/ Public/ Charter/ Private	Gifted	All
Khan Academy	https:// www.khanacade my.org	Free		grades K-12	Academic	Home	Both	All
Laurel Springs School	https:// laurelsprings.com/	Pay		grades K-12	Academic	Private	Both	All
Mensa for kids	https:// www.us.mensa.org/ learn/gifted-youth/	Free	?-18		Academic	Home	Gifted	All (lesson plans and online games)

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MIT Open Courseware	https:// ocw.mit.edu/ index.htm	Free	?-adult		Academic	Home	Both	All
NextLevel Homeschool	http:// nextlevelhomescho ol.com/	Pay	?-high school		Academic/ Creative	Home	Both	All
Online G3	https:// www.onlineg3.co m	Pay	?-18		Academic	Home	Gifted	All
Open Learning Initiative	http://oli.cmu.edu	Both	?-adult		Academic	Home	Both	All
Open Universities Australia	https:// www.open.edu.au	Pay	?-adult		Academic	Home/ Certificate/ Degree	Both	All
Outschool	https:// outschool.com	Pay	ages 3-18		Academic/ Creative	Home	Both	All
Pennsylvania Homeschoolers AP Online Classes	http:// www.aphomesch oolers.com	Pay		grades 8-12	Academic	Home	Both	AP
Sparketh	https:// sparketh.com	Pay	ages 8-18		Creative	Home	Both	Art
Stanford Online High School	https:// ohs.stanford.edu	Pay		grades 7-12	Academic	Private		All
Summer Institute for the Gifted (SIG)	https:// www.giftedstudy. org/beyond/ online/			ages 5-17			Gifted	
The Open University	http:// www.open.ac.uk	Pay	?-adult		Academic	Certificate/ Degree	Both	All
Time4Learning	https:// www.time4learning. com	Pay		grades K-12	Academic	Home	Both	All
Udemy	https:// www.udemy.com	Both	?-adult		Academic/ Creative	Home	Both	All
WIIoStar3D	https:// wilostar3d.com	Pay		grades 6-12	Academic	Home	Both	All

Online Education Articles

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10 reasons students say they prefer learning online	https://www.huffingtonpost.com/lisa- nielsen/10-reasons-students-say- t_b_812785.html	
3 great options for online homeschooling support	https://blog.prepscholar.com/online-homeschool-curriculum-classes	
7 tips for effective online homeschooling	https://sparketh.com/blog/7-simple-tips-effective-online-homeschooling	
Distance education: Where it started and where it stands for gifted children and their educators	https://www.ctd.northwestern.edu/sites/default/files/Distance%20Education.pdf	gifted
Eight Roles of an Effective Online Teacher	https://www.facultyfocus.com/articles/ online-education/eight-roles-of-an- effective-online-teacher/	
Fast facts about online learning	https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ ED561297.pdf	
For frustrated kids, A world of online opportunities	https://www.kqed.org/mindshift/35786/for-frustrated-gifted-kids-a-world-of-online-opportunities	gifted
Homeschool curriculum options	https://www.globalstudentnetwork.com	
Homeschooling: Which model is right for your?	https://thebestschools.org/magazine/ homeschool-style-right/	
How effective is online learning?	https://www.parentmap.com/article/how-effective-online-learning-schools	
How the Online Environment Impacts the Instructor Role	https://onlineteaching.kent.edu/library/ teach/ How_the_Online_Environment_Impacts_th e_Instructor_Role.pdf	
K-12 Online Distance Education: Issues and Frameworks	http://digitalcommons.sacredheart.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1146&context=ced_fac	
Online classes for K-12 schools: What you need to know	https://www.edweek.org/ew/articles/ 2017/06/14/online-classes-for-k-12-schools- what-you.html	
Online classes for kids gaining in popularity	http://www.chinadaily.com.cn/business/ 2017-10/30/content_33881043.htm	

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Online classes highlight the importance of student-teacher interactions	http://www.statepress.com/article/2017/03/spopinion-teachers-will-always-beimportant-online-classes	
Online classes vs traditional classes	http://mycollegeguide.org/blog/2017/05/online-classes-vs-traditional-classes/	
Online classes: A choice for your middle or high schooler?	https://www.greatschools.org/gk/articles/online-classes-middle-and-high-school/	
Online homeschooling and curriculum	https://www.homeschool.com/ onlinecourses/	
Online homeschooling: An alternative to traditional high school	https://www.pennfoster.edu/~/media/Files/ PDF/HighSchooleBook/ HighSchool_eBook.ashx? pdf=Homeschooling-eBook	
Online homeschooling: An introduction	https://www.accreditedschoolsonline.org/ k-12/online-home-schooling/	
Online Learning and Students with Disabilities: Parent Perspectives	http://www.ncolr.org/jiol/issues/pdf/ 13.2.4.pdf	
Online learning for gifted students: An idea whose time has come	https://educationaladvancement.org/online-learning-for-gifted-students/	gifted
Online learning for K-12 students is not a trend or a fad. So how does it affect gifted students?	https://edexcellence.net/articles/online- learning-for-k-12-students-is-not-a-trend- or-a-fad-so-how-does-it-affect-gifted	gifted
Online Learning: Student Role and Readiness	https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ EJ1101894.pdf	
Online Learning: Student Role and Readiness	https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ EJ1101894.pdf	
Problem with online classes: If child isn't motivated, parent must be	https://www.myajc.com/blog/get-schooled/ problem-with-online-classes-child-isn- motivated-parent-must/ CNmt3KBAAVvA9KV9YiFaTN/	
Redefining Teaching: The Five Roles of the Online Instructor	http://blog.online.colostate.edu/blog/online-teaching/redefining-teaching-the-five-roles-of-the-online-instructor/	
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Review of K-12 Online and Blended Education Research Literature	https://www.qualitymatters.org/sites/default/files/research-docs-pdfs/K-12-Research-Review-summary-12-31-2015.pdf	
Study finds that online education beats the classroom	https://bits.blogs.nytimes.com/2009/08/19/study-finds-that-online-education-beats-the-classroom/	
Study: Students say they prefer real classes over virtual	https://www.usatoday.com/story/news/nation/2013/06/11/real-classrooms-better-than-virtual/2412401/	
The best online homeschooling options	https://encouragingmomsathome.com/the- best-online-homeschool-options/	
The critical benefits of online community colleges	https://www.accreditedschoolsonline.org/ resources/online-community-colleges/	
The pros and cons of online classes	https://www.communitycollegereview.com/blog/the-pros-and-cons-of-online-courses	
The reality of virtual schools	https://www.greatschools.org/gk/articles/virtual-schools/	
The rise of homeschooling gifted students	https://www.nsgt.org/rise-homeschool-gifted-students/	
The role of faculty on the online teaching environment.	http://blog.online.colostate.edu/blog/online- teaching/redefining-teaching-the-five-roles- of-the-online-instructor/me	
The writing can wait	https://www.onlineg3.com/writing-can- wait/	
Time4writing	https://www.time4writing.com/writing- teachers-bios/	
Virgual Schools in the U.S. 2015: Politics, Performance, Policy, and Research Evidence	http://nepc.colorado.edu/files/rb-virt-2015-all.pdf	
Virtual Schools are booming. Who's Paying Attention?	https://www.politico.com/agenda/story/ 2015/09/virtual-schools-education-000227	
WillStar3D Special Needs Program	https://wilostar3d.com/special-needs-homeschooling/	

Online Education Studies

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A Critical Study of Effectiveness of Online Learning on Students' Achievement	https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ EJ1102153.pdf	
Building Better Courses: Examining the Content Validity of the iNACOL National Standards for Quality Online Courses	https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ EJ1148378.pdf	
Distance Learning for Gifted Students: Outcomes for Elementary, Middle, and High School Aged Students	https://pdfs.semanticscholar.org/bc30/a0db1816de1abdb06c6d24d2d350e1cd0b3c.pdf	gifted
Fast Facts About Online Learning	https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ ED561297.pdf	
Fostering Student Success and Engagement in a K-12 Online School	https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ EJ1148836.pdf	
Gifted Adolescents' Talent Development Through Distance Learning	http://journals.sagepub.com/doi/ pdf/ 10.1177/016235320402800102	gifted
How Online Learning is Revolutionizing K-12 Education and Benefiting Students	http://s3.amazonaws.com/ thf_media/2010/pdf/ bg_2356.pdf	
Integrating Data Mining in Program Evaluation of K-12 Online Education	http://blogs.edweek.org/edweek/ DigitalEducation/ Integrating_Data_Mining_in_Pr ogram_Evalu.pdf	
Keeping Pace with K-12 Online Learning	https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ ED576762.pdf	

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Meeting the needs of gifted and talented students through technology support distance learning	https://ajet.org.au/index.php/ AJET/article/view/1898/945	gifted
Online Learning and Students with Disabilities: Parent Perspectives	http://www.ncolr.org/jiol/issues/pdf/13.2.4.pdf	
Standards Based Design: Teaching K-12 Educators to Build Quality Online Courses	https://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ EJ1148606.pdf	
The Preparation of Teacher Candidates for K-12 Online Learning Environments: A Case Study	http://www.mwera.org/MWER/volumes/v27/issue2/v27n2-Williams-FEATURE-ARTICLE.pdf	