

SCHOOL TYPE COMPARISON






What makes one school model different from another?

- Traditional (Brick-and-mortar campus)
- Virtual (Fully online model)
- Intragrated (Human-led, tech-enhanced)

Intragrated School: A school model that combines the human guidance of traditional learning, the flexibility and quality of technology, and personalized planning developed in collaboration with students, families, and qualified educators. Intragrated learning provides structure, independence, and customized preparation for the future—all in one unified experience.

AT A GLANCE

	 Traditional	 Intragrated	 Virtual-Online
Certified Teachers	✓	✓	—
Small Class Sizes	—	✓	—
1:1 Mentoring & Support	—	✓	✗
Custom Instructional Path	✗	✓	✓
Engagement & Ownership	—	✓	✗
Adaptive Schedule & Location	✗	✓	✓
Clear Grading & Feedback	—	✓	—
Parent & Family Networks	✓	✓	✗
Career & Industry Training	—	✓	—
College Preparatory	✓	✓	—
Social & Emotional Support	✓	✓	✗
Standardized Assessments	✓	✓	—

✓ Provided

— Partially Provided

✗ Not Provided

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High School Model Selection Page: Circle the features in each column that are best for your student, total each column and then make the best choice for you and your family.			
Feature	Traditional School	Online School	Intragrated School
Teacher Certification	Certified teachers	Varies by platform; not always certified	Certified teachers and industry-aligned mentors
Class Size	Often 25:1 or larger	Large or anonymous; pay per use interaction	Small cohorts with direct pre-planned supports
Mentoring Availability	Occasional academic advising	Rare or missing entirely	Bi-weekly mentoring sessions
Instructional Plan	Grade-level curriculum with little flexibility	Some personalization via pacing	Tailored learning plan built with students & family
Engagement & Ownership	Mostly teacher-directed	Some choice via electives or modules	High level of voice, ownership, and engagement
Schedule & Location	Fixed Schedule, tied to location	Learn from anywhere, self-paced	Learn from anywhere with guidance and connection
Grading & Feedback	Report cards, periodic assessments	Auto-graded or hard to track	Transparent teacher grading with real-time access
Parental Involvement	PTA or limited access to teachers	Limited updates via platforms	Active family and schoolwide communication networks
College Preparation	Focus on 4-year college tracks	Some academic prep or dual credit	Coaching, advising, and planning toward college
Career Training	Limited or extracurricular CTE	Some certifications or workforce content	Career certifications, and skills-based experiences
Social Supports	Counselors, if available	Often missing or passive	Integrated Supports and a culture of care
Standardized Tests	State-based exams	Varies; often low accountability	Nationally recognized assessments
Your Total: Out of 12			