

MSOC LEA Member Profile
Part II: Synopsis of MSOC Participation

Background:

- Began offering online courses the year before the grant began
- Procedures defined before courses offered

Benefits and Impact:

- Targeted AP courses where there was a scheduling conflict or course was not offered
- Allowed expansion of AP offerings such as AP Computer Science
- Support from MVLO, especially with the review of courses

Implementation Issues:

- No significant issues with enrollment or courses themselves
- Grading policies, due dates, and vacation schedules must be coordinated
- Time-management is challenging for some students

Lessons Learned:

- Discuss grading policies and scheduling with online teachers prior to student enrollment
- Emphasize with students and parents the time demands of an online course

Next Steps:

- Continue to offer online AP courses as needed