



Families' GUIDE

to

Customized Learning

What is Customized Learning?

Educators that use a Customized Learning approach know that everyone learns differently and at their own pace. With this approach, specific strengths, interests and needs of each learner are tied with a personalized pathway to success.

A unique learning path is created for the learner based on the whole child, not just their academic scores.



Why do educators use Customized Learning?

- Each learner is given unique, individualized learning experiences.
- Learners are able to take more ownership in their learning and have a voice in their education.
- Each learner has a tailored pathway to success. This approach focuses on the individual child.

Common Language

Customized Learning

Also called personalized learning & competency based learning

Whole Child

An educational approach that nurtures all areas of a child's development and growth, not just academics

Blended Learning

Combines face-to-face and online learning experiences

For more examples of common language used, see the Families' Guide on Common Language

What does Customized Learning look like?

Although it may vary by state, district, and school, here a few commonly found techniques and strategies:

Learners set goals for themselves with the help of their families and teachers.



Learners are given many opportunities outside of standardized testing to show their knowledge/understanding of a concept.

Educators use digital tools to enhance learning paths.

