



PSEA Education Services Division

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## Tools and Resources for K-12 Online Learning during the COVID-19 Pandemic

As the COVID-19 pandemic continues to cause school closures and many education systems transition to distance, online, and digital instruction, the Pennsylvania State Education Association (PSEA) and National Education Association (NEA) recognize that the work of many educators is rapidly and fundamentally changing in numerous ways. Consequently, NEA's Education Policy and Practice division developed a document on [Digital Learning and COVID-19](#) that can assist educators in maintaining the quality of public education for all of our students.

PSEA has reviewed the suggested resources in the NEA document and would like to highlight a few instructional resources that may be particularly useful to members who are being asked to use online tools to provide enrichment of instruction to students:

### Selected Tools & Resources for K-12 Online Learning

- [Free Tools for Schools](#)  
This is a list of companies that provide enhanced or free services to schools as they deal with COVID-19-related closures.
- [COVID-19 Resource List](#)  
The National Network of State Teachers of the Year created this list, which encompasses online resources, relevant strategies and articles, considerations for educators, and a list of what conversations are looking like in schools and districts across the country.
- [Common Sense Education EdTech Tools](#)  
This robust library of more than 3,500 tools encompasses all grade levels and a variety of subject areas.
- [105 Tools for Distance Learning & Strategies for Student Engagement](#)  
The Albert team provides a comprehensive list of helpful learning tools, information on common benefits and drawbacks of remote learning, and a few strategies for keeping students engaged while remote.
- [Navigating Uncertain Times: How Schools Can Cope with Coronavirus](#)  
ISTE and EdSurge published this set of tools – including articles, podcasts, webinars, and community resources – for helping schools navigate the difficulty of dealing with coronavirus.

PSEA and NEA will continue to share resources and information to help members cope with the rapidly changing requirements related to COVID-19:

- Check [psea.org](http://psea.org) for updates.
- For additional information related to online learning and your contract, please reach out to your UniServ Representative.
- If you have questions about online learning practices, please reach out to PSEA's Education Services Division, [professionallearning@psea.org](mailto:professionallearning@psea.org).