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STATEWIDE  
PROGRAMS

### **Recovering Bright Futures**

The Department of Education, in partnership with participating NH public school districts, communities and Prenda, has developed Learning Pods to address learning loss due to the pandemic. Learning Pods are small, in-person, multi-age groupings of students in an anxiety-sensitive environment that allows children to stability, rekindle curiosity, and accelerate learning so that they may catch up with their peers. If you know a student who could benefit from small-group learning or your district is interested, please visit this site for more information: [Recovering Bright Futures Learning Pods from the NH Department of Education and Prenda.](#)

### **KaiPod Learning**

At KaiPod Learning Centers, 8-10 online learners or homeschoolers come together in-person to work on their coursework and collaborate with their peers. Currently centers are available in Manchester and Dover, serving students grades 3-12. At a KaiPod Learning Center, students are able to get academic support, participate in enrichment activities, and socialize with their peers. To learn more please visit this site: [Connecting Bright Futures and KaiPods from the NH Department of Education.](#)

### **Leaning Into Literacy**

The Leaning Into Literacy initiative aims to create literacy champions and advance reading skills among New Hampshire (NH) youth. Although NH ranks high among student in the United States for reading proficiency on the Nation's Report Card, there are still about 51% of fourth-grade students in the state who are not reading proficiently. LETRS programs are available to NH residents engaged with young and emerging readers, including parents, caregivers, and others working with children enrolled in an approved NH education program. Registration for the program is open now through January 6, 2023, find out more here: [New Hampshire Leaning Into Literacy with LETRS \(lexialearning.com\).](#)

### **Tutor.com**

NHED is providing 24/7, unlimited, 1-on-1 tutoring for every NH student grade 6-12 at no cost to schools or students. Tutor.com is able to integrate into your districts LMS systems to give students on-click, on-demand access to tutoring and homework help- anytime, anywhere, from any internet-connected device. To sign your district up visit the site here: [NHED and Tutor.com for School Leaders.](#) If your district doesn't wish to sign-up but you have students that would like to utilize the service, they can sign up here: [NHED on Tutor.com.](#)

### **Graduation Alliance**

Graduation Alliance has implemented an attendance recovery program called ENGAGE New Hampshire, which is designed to stabilize and improve student attendance and academic performance. The program includes outreach to and ongoing academic and individualized coaching support for district-referred students who are disengages, chronically absent or academically at risk. Participation is being offered to 2,000 secondary and middle school students. If you are interested in referring a student, please reach out to Christian Shiverdecker with Graduation Alliance at: [christian.shiverdecker@graduationalliance.com](mailto:christian.shiverdecker@graduationalliance.com) or 603-758-3259.

## **ReKINDling Curiosity**

NHED is pleased to announce that ReKINDling Curiosity will run in the summer of 2023! NHED has partnered with NH camps and school-age summer programs across the state to offer students the unique opportunity to move beyond COVID-19 and be a kid again. Eligible students are awarded up to \$650 to cover camp fees. More information about camp 2023 is forthcoming this winter. For more information, please visit the site here: [ReKindling Curiosity Summer 2022 | Up to \\$650 in camp fees covered | from the NH Department of Education](#).

## **NextStep Good Life**

NextStep Good Life is a mobile platform available for free through [Google Play](#) and the [Apple App Store](#). The app was designed to build and strengthen student social and emotional resilience. The app also allows students to join communities, set physical and emotional development goals, and send and receive positive feedback, all while preserving their anonymity online. For more information, go to: <https://nextstepgoodlife.com/>.

## **iLearn**

In 2020 amidst the pandemic, NHED launched iLearnNH, a statewide Learning Management System (LMS) that is open at no cost to NH schools. iLearnNH is built on Canvas, an LMS that gives teachers the ability to build and manage courses based on their local curriculum, manage and grade assignments, and communicate with students. Through the Kaltura software tool offered as part of the platform, teachers are able to create video lessons, and students are able to create video reports. For more information about iLearnNH, please contact Kenneth Darsney with NHED at [Kenneth.R.Darsney@doe.nh.gov](mailto:Kenneth.R.Darsney@doe.nh.gov).

## **Discovery Education**

The Discovery Education platform is available through the state's Canvas Learning Management System to students and teachers across the state. Discover Education connects educators to a vast collection of high-quality, standards-aligned content, ready-to-use digital lessons, intuitive quiz and activity creation tools, and professional learning resources. New Hampshire's educators also receive ongoing professional learning designed to help them realize the return on the state's edtech investment. NH schools and learners can learn more about accessing the platform here: <https://www.discoveryeducation.com/learn/new-hampshire-district-communication-kit/>.