

Online learning increases in Dietrich

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Dietrich school trustees on Jan. 14 discussed a spike in local participation in the Idaho Digital Learning Academy.

IDLA allows students to take online courses within their own school and is intended to allow students in small districts to take courses not otherwise available to them and provide credit recovery for students not passing required classes.

Superintendent Neil Hollingshead said 12 juniors and seniors currently enrolled in the statewide online program is a significant number for the school and represents a sharp increase from last year.

In other business, the board decided to apply for the federal Race to the Top competitive grant program for part of \$4.35 billion in stimulus funding.