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MEMORANDUM FOR AREA DIRECTORS

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SUBJECT: DoDEA Virtual High School Early Course Registration Announcement for SY 2012-2013

The DoDEA Virtual School (DVHS) continues to support the supplemental educational needs of DoDEA secondary students. DVHS will offer 61 courses for SY2012-2013 to include 12 new courses in science, fine arts, CTE, social studies and foreign language content areas. The attached 2012-2013 DoDEA Virtual High School Course Offerings provides the list of courses for next year.

Beginning March 19, 2012, DVHS will begin to collect early registration requests for online high school courses for the SY 2012-2013. Course registration will remain open through September 7, 2012. The early registration option is intended to coincide with local school development of a master schedule. Schools are encouraged to provide their students and counselors with the list of DVHS course offerings in order to compliment course offerings available at the local level.

All student requests must be submitted via email to <u>vs.principal@hq.dodea.edu</u> using the attached *Virtual High School Course Request Form*. More specific information on how to submit course requests is located in <u>Blackboard Virtual School Forum</u> (Classroom-Registration Material folder). Please review these instructions carefully to ensure timely and accurate registration.

Course requests are processed according to the DoDEA eligibility requirements. After August 1, 2012, confirmation of student enrollment and student login information is accessible in the Blackboard Virtual School Forum under the section, DVHS Roster.

If you have any questions, please contact Terri Marshall, Virtual High School Principal, by e-mail terri.marshall@hq.dodea.edu or by telephone at (703) 588-3118 or the DoDEA Virtual High School Counselors, Korry Mial at (703) 588-3107 or Dr. Willie Stroble at (703) 588-3613.

Terri Marshall Principal, DVHS

Attachments: As stated