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I am a Mother and Grandmother of Oregon students. Four of my five grandchildren are currently attending Oregon schools. My partner's two children also attend Oregon schools. We find it invaluable to be able to access school curriculum online. During the pandemic as a family we supported the children's education and I took an active roll in educational oversight while the children were learning from home as my work schedule allowed me to also work from home. I continue to assist with homework and projects. As a family, we find it helpful to review the curriculum together and discuss support for each child. Having the curriculum online allows us to collaborate together without being in the same place at the same time. I have 'gifted' grandchildren with an advanced curriculum and special needs grandchildren who have an IEP that requires additional support.

My partners children live in Beaverton and we live in Eugene. Having the curriculum online allows my partner and I to be able to review what is in the lesson plan for the year and be participative and helpful in supporting his children when they are with us. Because we live over 100 miles away, going to the school to obtain the curriculum isn't easy although my partner has done so in support of his children. Having online curriculum would be very helpful to our family.