

2018-19 GCCISD High School Options Application

PLEASE NOTE: THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING AND/OR UPDATING YOUR APPLICATION HAS BEEN EXTENDED THROUGH THE WEEKEND DUE TO THE DISTRICT CLOSURE DURING THE INCLEMENT WEATHER. APPLICATIONS MAY BE SUBMITTED AND/OR EDITED THROUGH THE END OF THE DAY, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4TH.

Thank you for your interest in the high school options that GCCISD offers to incoming 9th grade students! Every 8th grade student who is interested in attending one of the following High School Options in Goose Creek CISD is invited to complete this application. Students in 8th grade during the 2017-18 school year are eligible to apply for up to three of the following High School Options between January 8 and February 2nd:

IMPACT EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL***

STUART CAREER TECH EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL***, including the following Career Academies:

ADVANCED AUTOMOTIVE ACADEMY
 AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE ACADEMY
 CULINARY ARTS ACADEMY
 MANUFACTURING & INDUSTRIAL MAINTENANCE ACADEMY

GLOBAL BUSINESS ACADEMY at Goose Creek Memorial HS

HEALTH SCIENCE ACADEMY at Ross S. Sterling HS

STEM-ENGINEERING ACADEMY at Robert E. Lee HS

*** Students applying to either of the early college high schools must attend a "Writing Night" event on either January 18th or January 23rd at IMPACT ECHS or at Stuart Career Tech ECHS from 5-7 p.m.). Students applying to both schools only need to attend one event and your writing submission will be shared between the campuses.

In order to maintain the smaller learning community that makes students in each of these High School Options successful, the number of students accepted into each High School Option is limited. Therefore, applicants may apply for their first choice, second choice and third choice among these High School Options in this application. All efforts will be made to match students to their first choice, however final decisions will be determined by the number of applicants for each High School Option. When more students apply for a High School Option than can be accommodated, a lottery system will be used to select students.

Students and parents should very carefully review the information on each High School Option by attending information sessions at CAREER NIGHT on JANUARY 16th at Sterling HS at 6:30 p.m., by looking at the web page for each High School Option, and by seeking information from counselors and directly from the staff involved in each High School Option.

The application deadline is Friday, February 4, 2018, at 11:59 p.m. Once the application is submitted, it can be edited until this deadline. Please be sure all sections of the application have completed prior to submitting. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

BE CAREFUL TO AVOID ERRORS WHEN ENTERING YOUR INFORMATION BECAUSE THIS COULD CAUSE YOU NOT TO RECEIVE INFORMATION OR NOT TO BE INCLUDED IN THE SELECTION PROCESS. YOU WILL RECEIVE A CONFIRMATION ONCE YOU HAVE SUBMITTED THIS FORM AT THE EMAIL ADDRESS ENTERED BELOW. (If you do not receive the confirmation, be sure to check your junk or spam folders.) DO NOT USE YOUR GCCISD STUDENT EMAIL BECAUSE IT DOES NOT ALLOW EMAILS FROM THIS SITE.

* Required

1. **Email address ***

Student Information

2. **Student Last Name ***

3. **Student First Name ***

4. **School ID (if you are currently enrolled in a private school, please put 0) ***

5. **Birthdate (MM/DD/YYYY) ***

6. **Street Address ***

7. **City ***

8. **Zip Code ***

9. **Parents' or Guardian's Name ***

10. **Parents' or Guardian's Email ***

Student Information (con't)

11. Current School **Mark only one oval.*

- Baytown Junior School
- Cedar Bayou Junior School
- Gentry Junior School
- Highlands Junior School
- Horace Mann Junior School
- Other:

12. Which high school are you zoned to attend? **Mark only one oval.*

- Goose Creek Memorial High School
- Robert E. Lee High School
- Ross S. Sterling High School
- I am not sure

13. Have you taken a foreign language class? **Mark only one oval.*

- Yes
- No

14. Have you taken Algebra 1? **Mark only one oval.*

- Yes
- No

15. Parent/Guardian 1 Highest Level of Education **Mark only one oval.*

- Elementary School
- Middle School
- High School (Completed 12th grade)
- College Hours
- Associate's Degree
- Bachelor's Degree
- Master's Degree
- Doctoral/Professional Degree

16. Parent/Guardian 2 Highest Level of Education **Mark only one oval.*

- No 2nd Parent/Guardian
- Elementary School
- Middle School
- High School (Completed 12th grade)
- College Hours
- Associate's Degree
- Bachelor's Degree
- Master's Degree
- Doctoral/Professional Degree

High School Options Choice

You may choose to apply to up to 3 of the High School Options. You will enter your choices in order of preference below. If you only want to apply to 1 High School Option, enter that High School Option in the first section under 1st choice.

17.

Check the box next to your 1st Choice (Check only 1). **Mark only one oval.*

- Global Business Academy @ Goose Creek Memorial
- Health Science Academy @ Ross S. Sterling
- STEM-Engineering Academy @ Robert E. Lee
- IMPACT Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)
- Automotive Academy @ Stuart Career Tech Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)
- Agricultural Science Academy @ Stuart Career Tech Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)
- Culinary Arts Academy @ Stuart Career Tech Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)
- Manufacturing & Industrial Maintenance Academy @ Stuart Career Tech Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)

18. Check the box next to your 2nd Choice **Mark only one oval.*

- I do not have a 2nd choice.
- Global Business Academy @ Goose Creek Memorial
- Health Science Academy @ Ross S. Sterling
- STEM-Engineering Academy @ Robert E. Lee
- IMPACT Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)
- Automotive Academy @ Stuart Career Tech Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)
- Agricultural / Environmental Science Academy @ Stuart Career Tech Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)
- Culinary Arts Academy @ Stuart Career Tech Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)
- Manufacturing & Industrial Maintenance Academy @ Stuart Career Tech Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)

19.**Check the box next to your 3rd Choice ****Mark only one oval.*

- I do not have a 3rd choice.
- Global Business Academy @ Goose Creek Memorial
- Health Science Academy @ Ross S. Sterling
- STEM-Engineering Academy @ Robert E. Lee
- IMPACT Early College HS (Must attend "Writing Night" on either Jan. 18th or 23rd from 5-7 p.m.)
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Short Answer

Below are three short answer questions. The purpose of these questions is to find out a little more about you and your reason for applying. Take your time, and your responses should be detailed and specific.

Responses are limited to 250 words or less, and the questions are to be completed by the student only.

20. What career path(s) are you considering to follow when you finish school (high school and college)? *

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21. What is your favorite subject in school and why? *

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22. How do you learn? (How do you study? What teaching techniques do you prefer?) *

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GCCISD High School Options Expectations

Below are expectation statements. By checking "I agree", you understand the rigorous academic and personal responsibilities required to be a student in one of the High School Options.

23. I will make education a high priority in my life, including positive participation in class and school activities. *

Mark only one oval.

I agree.

24. I will work to achieve and exceed my potential. *

Mark only one oval.

I agree.

25. I will take responsibility for my own learning, behavior, and success. I will be punctual and maintain good attendance in all courses. *

Mark only one oval.

I agree.

26. **I will devote time each night to homework, studying, and reading. ***

Mark only one oval.

I agree.

27. **I will show respect for everyone in the school community and respect the rights of others to learn and succeed. ***

Mark only one oval.

I agree.

28. **I will adhere to the GCCISD Student Code of Conduct. ***

Mark only one oval.

I agree.

29. **I understand that I will be required to compete several classroom projects to help me apply classroom concepts to real world situations. ***

Mark only one oval.

I agree.

30. **I understand that I must remain enrolled in the High School Option at least through the end of the first semester. ***

Mark only one oval.

I agree.

Extracurricular Opportunities

Below are statements concerning the availability of fine arts and athletic opportunities at each High School Option. By checking "I understand", you are agreeing that you understand the extracurricular opportunities available to students in each High School Option. Although you may not be applying to one of the High School Options, you must click "I understand" for all programs.

31. **I understand that participation in extracurricular activities for IMPACT Early College HS (IECHS) students is allowed ONLY at the student's zoned high school campus, and removal from those activities may occur if academics are negatively affected by the student's participation. Transportation between IECHS and the home campus must be provided by the parent. ***

Mark only one oval.

I understand

32. **I understand that participation in extracurricular activities for Stuart Career Tech Early College HS (SCTHS) students is limited to clubs and Career & Technical Student Organizations. UIL Athletic teams and Fine Arts programs are not available at SCTHS. ***

Check all that apply.

I understand

33. I understand that participation in extracurricular activities for Global Business @ GCM, Health Science @ RSS, and STEM-Engineering @ REL Academy students depends upon those available on the campus where the Career Academy is offered. *

Check all that apply.

I understand

Application Process

The application deadline is Friday, February 2, 2018 at 5 p.m. Applications submitted after this deadline will not be considered.

Information Sessions will be held at CAREER NIGHT on January 16th 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Ross Sterling HS.

Applicants will receive a letter on February 16th at their junior school to inform them if they were selected for one of the High School Options to which they applied.

If you have questions about the application process, feel free to contact the Career & Technical Education office at 281-420-3082 or you may call the High School Option you are interested in directly:

IMPACT EARLY COLLEGE HS
PRINCIPAL, MRS. REYES
281-420-4802
laura.reyes@gccisd.net

GLOBAL BUSINESS ACADEMY
BUSINESS SPECIALIST, KELLEY START
281-421-4400
kelley.start@gccisd.net

HEALTH SCIENCE ACADEMY
HEALTH SCIENCE SPECIALIST, BRANDY ARTERBURN
281-420-4500
brandy.arterburn@gccisd.net

STEM--ENGINEERING ACADEMY
STEM SPECIALIST, LINDSEY MAREK
281-420-4535
lindsey.marek@gccisd.net

STUART CAREER TECH EARLY COLLEGE HS-
ADVANCED AUTOMOTIVE ACADEMY,
AGRICULTURE SCIENCE ACADEMY,
CULINARY ARTS ACADEMY,
MANUFACTURING & INDUSTRIAL MAINTENANCE ACADEMY)
PRINCIPAL, DR. RODER
281-420-4550
ernest.roder@gccisd.net

Statement of Non-Discrimination

Public Notification of Nondiscrimination in Career and Technical Education Programs

GCCISD offers career and technical education (CTE) programs in Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources; Architecture & Construction; Arts, AV Technology & Communications; Business Administration; Career Development; Education & Training; Finance; Health Science; Hospitality & Tourism; Human Services; Information Technology; Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security; Manufacturing; Marketing, Sales & Service; Science, Technology, Engineering & Math; and Transportation, Distribution & Logistics. Admission to these programs is based on enrollment in GCCISD secondary schools.

It is the policy of GCCISD not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex or handicap in

its CTE programs, services or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

It is the policy of GCCISD not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, handicap, or age in its employment practices as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

GCCISD will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and CTE programs.

For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Eloy Chapa, Assistant Superintendent, and/or the Section 504 Coordinator, Karen Coffey, at 4544 I-10 East, Baytown, TX 281-420-4800.

34. **Please type your name below. ***

35. **Please enter today's date below. ***

Example: December 15, 2012

A copy of your responses will be emailed to the address you provided

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