ADMISSION POLICY FOR IMPACT ECHS

Who Should Apply?

8th grade students living within the Goose Creek CISD zone may apply to attend IMPACT Early College High School as a 9th grader. Open-enrollment program that combines high school and college level courses while participating in rigorous and accelerated instruction. IMPACT ECHS supports traditionally underrepresented students as defined by the Texas Education Agency including students who are:

- At-Risk students (as defined by PEIMS)
- First generation college students
- Students who are traditionally underrepresented in colleges/universities
- Economically disadvantaged students

Students who apply to IMPACT should be prepared to focus on academics and should be ready for the challenge of college level course work in order to successfully complete an associate's degree while earning their high school diploma.

Selection for IMPACT:

• Up to 20 students from each GCCISD Junior School zone will be selected using an open-access lottery system that encourages and considers applications from all students. Those selected are notified of acceptance and given the opportunity to accept or decline. Those not initially selected will be placed on a waiting list and may be contacted regarding enrollment if a selected student declines the offer. All students have an equal opportunity for acceptance regardless of background or academic performance.

Application Process:

- 1. Complete online application. Students must apply online to be a part of the High School Options lottery.
- 2. There is only **1** common application and students may apply for up to **3** options. Preference will go to their 1st choice unless there are more applications than can be accommodated.
- 3. Transportation is provided to all high school options.
- 4. Information Sessions will be held prior to and during the application window.
- 5. Contacts for each program are available on the GCCISD website

QUESTIONS??? Please call us at 281-420-4802. Use the IMPACT website to stay up to date on important information, dates, deadlines, and for additional contact information.