

## Seguin Early College High School Application Lottery Procedures

As a TEA (Texas Education Agency) designated campus, the Seguin Early College High School recruitment and enrollment processes shall identify, recruit, and enroll the subpopulations of at-risk students, first-generation college goers, and students of low socioeconomic status. ECHS campuses are required to recruit students of underrepresented backgrounds in an effort to increase opportunities for post-secondary success; however, we encourage students of all backgrounds to apply.

Once the Seguin ECHS campus has met the state-mandated access-based criteria for enrollment of at-risk and economically disadvantaged students, other students who do not meet the criteria for at-risk or economically disadvantaged criteria will be allowed to apply/enroll, however. If the Seguin ECHS reaches capacity beyond the state's proportionate criteria, the district will utilize a performance-blind, open-access lottery system that considers applications from all students, regardless of background or academic performance.

- To be considered for the Performance Blind Lottery, the Student Application MUST be completed by March 3, 2023.
- After the application submission deadline, Early College personnel verifies that the ECSH application is fully completed and signed by both the student and parents/guardians.
- All students who are eligible for the lottery will be informed of their application status and will be provided with the date of the performance blindlottery process.
- The Seguin ISD ECHS will accept a cohort of 150 incoming 9th grade students yearly, based on the state-mandated access-based enrollment criteria.
- Students will be chosen using an electronic performance-blind, open-access lottery system on March 10, 2023.
- After the lottery has been finalized by the electronic portal system, selected students will receive a congratulatory email including the documents and next steps in order to finalize acceptance into the program.