

<b>DATE:</b>	<b>August 12, 2021</b>
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	<b>Purple Star Campus Designation Awardees SY 2021-2022</b>
<b>CATEGORY:</b>	<b>Notice</b>
<b>NEXT STEPS:</b>	<b>Share with appropriate staff</b>

The Purple Star Campus Designation recognizes Texas school district and open-enrollment charter school campuses that show their support and commitment to meeting the unique needs of military-connected students and their families. The Texas Education Agency (TEA) accepted applications for the 2021-2022 school year from April 5, 2021, through June 1, 2021, for campuses to apply for the designation and demonstrate they have met the following established criteria:

1. Designating a campus-based military liaison;
2. Creating and maintaining an easily accessible web page that includes information for military-connected students and their families;
3. Implementing a campus transition program; and
4. Offering at least one of the following initiatives:
  - A resolution showing support for military-connected students and families;
  - Participation in Month of the Military Child or Military Family Month; or
  - Partnership with a school liaison officer to encourage and provide opportunities for active duty military members.

Any Texas school can become a Purple Star Campus, regardless of the size of its military-connected student population. Districts and charter schools are encouraged to support campuses and help them meet the criteria for Purple Star Campus Designation status. Applications are accepted on an annual basis, and the designation lasts for two years. After the two-year period, campuses that were previously awarded the designation must re-apply. For a full list of the Purple Star Campus Designation criteria, visit [Purple Star Campus Designation](#).

To see the rule that supports this designation, visit: [19 TAC Chapter 61, Subchapter FF, Commissioner's Rules Concerning Veterans and Military Dependents](#).

**Forty-five** campuses across Texas have met the established criteria and earned Purple Star Campus Designations for the 2021-2022 school year. (See below.)

For the list of previously awarded campuses that received the designation in the 2020-2021 school year, see [Purple Star Campus Designation Awardees| Texas Education Agency](#).

If you have any questions concerning the Purple Star Application process and supporting military-connected students, please contact [MilitaryConnectedStudents@tea.texas.gov](mailto:MilitaryConnectedStudents@tea.texas.gov).

Below is a list of recipient campuses by region:

**ESC Region 1**

Rio Grande City CISD	Ringgold Middle
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**ESC Region 2**

Corpus Christi ISD	Veterans Memorial H S
Flour Bluff ISD	Flour Bluff J H
Riviera ISD	Kaufer H S

**ESC Region 4**

Houston ISD	Texas Connections Academy at Houston
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**ESC Region 11**

Lake Worth ISD	Effie Morris Early Learning Academy
Lake Worth ISD	Lake Worth H S
Lake Worth ISD	Lucyle Collins Middle
Lake Worth ISD	Marilyn Miller Language Academy
Lake Worth ISD	Marine Creek Leadership Academy
Lake Worth ISD	N A Howry Steam Academy
North Texas Collegiate Academy	North Texas Collegiate Academy-North Campus

**ESC Region 12**

Killeen ISD	Brookhaven EL
Killeen ISD	Pathways Academic Campus

**ESC Region 14**

Wylie ISD	Wylie H S
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**ESC Region 15**

San Angelo ISD	Belaire EL
San Angelo ISD	Central H S
San Angelo ISD	Glenmore EL
San Angelo ISD	Glenn Middle
Texas Leadership	Texas Leadership of San Angelo

**ESC Region 17**

Texas Tech University K-12	Texas Tech H S
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**ESC Region 19**

El Paso ISD	Richardson Middle School
San Elizario ISD	L G Alarcon EL
San Elizario ISD	Ann M Garcia-Enriquez Middle
Socorro ISD	Eastlake H S
Socorro ISD	Horizon Heights EL

Socorro ISD	Jane A Hambric School
Socorro ISD	Desert Wind EL
Socorro ISD	Robert R Rojas EL
Vista Del Futuro Charter School	Vista Del Futuro Charter School

**ESC Region 20**

North East ISD	Garner Middle
North East ISD	Johnson H S
North East ISD	Roosevelt H S
North East ISD	White Middle
North East ISD	Bulverde Creek
North East ISD	Frank M Tejada Academy
North East ISD	Harris Middle
North East ISD	Jackson Middle
Northside ISD	Brennan H S
Northside ISD	Bernal Middle
Northside ISD	Hoffmann EL
Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City ISD	Cibolo Valley EL
Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City ISD	Green Valley EL
Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City ISD	Ray D Corbett J H
School of Science and Technology Discovery	School of Science and Technology Advancement