

2021-22 SAISD Choice Schools & Programs | Overview of Lottery Categories and Priorities

The lottery is a blind, randomized, computerized process conducted at the district level. The district utilizes a “Controlled Choice” framework to ensure equity and access for historically disadvantaged students. Families are placed into appropriate categories, then the online platform conducts the lottery according to programmed lottery parameters. The Office of Access and Enrollment Services (OAES) determines lottery guidelines for each campus. For more information on how the lottery works, please refer to *How the Lottery Works* on the Resources page at www.saisdchoice.com

CATEGORIES: demographic factors used to determine a student’s lottery assignment

PRIORITY AREA - In-district address is zoned to an area within a circle radius of the campus.

ATTENDANCE ZONE - Address is zoned to the campus’ attendance zone.

NON ATTENDANCE ZONE - Address is zoned to outside the campus’ attendance zone (includes out of district).

IN DISTRICT - Address is zoned to within SAISD boundaries.

OUT OF DISTRICT - Address is zoned to outside of SAISD boundaries.

SPANISH - Student answers “Spanish” to language question.

ENGLISH - Student answers “English” to language question.

PK QUALIFYING - Applicant meets state preschool eligibility requirements.

ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED - Family qualifies for free and reduced-price lunch per federal guidelines. At least 50% of students at all Choice Schools & Programs will be economically disadvantaged.

NON ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED - Family does not qualify for free and reduced-price lunch per federal guidelines.

***HOLISTIC RUBRIC-BASED SELECTION** - Applicants are accepted based on a selection process using a holistic rubric, including factors such as GPA, attendance, standardized test scores, assessments, etc.

PRIORITIES: demographic factors that receive additional consideration in the lottery process

EMPLOYEE CHILD - Parent/guardian works for SAISD.

SIBLING ATTENDING - Applying student has a sibling who is currently attending the campus.

SIBLING APPLYING - Applying student has a sibling who is also applying to enter the campus.

COMPREHENSIVE & TARGETED SUPPORT - Student is currently attending or is zoned to a Comprehensive and Targeted Support Campus as designated by the Texas Education Agency.

SOCIOECONOMIC BLOCKS EQUITY AUDIT - The district will ensure that at least 25% of eco-dis students enrolled at designated "diverse by design" campuses come from Block 3 and Block 4 communities.

| SCHOOL/PROGRAM | LOTTERY CATEGORIES | | | | | |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|--|--|
| Advanced Learning Academy | Priority Area | In District Eco Dis | In District Non Eco Dis | Out of District | | |
| Ball Academy | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Barkley-Ruiz Elementary: PBL | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Bonham Academy: Dual Language | Non Attendance Zone English | Non Attendance Zone Spanish | | | | |
| Bonham Academy: Non Dual Language | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Bowden Academy | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Brackenridge High School: Early College | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| Brackenridge High School: Media & Film | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| Briscoe IB World Elementary | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Burbank IB World High School: IB Diploma Programme | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| Burbank IB World High School: Gen Ed | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Cameron Elementary | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| CAST Med High School | In District | Out of District | | | | |
| CAST Tech High School | In District | Out of District | | | | |
| Cotton Academy | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Davis Middle School | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |

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| Democracy Prep at the Stewart Campus | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Edison High School: Health Professions & Fire | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| Edison High School: School of Business P-TECH | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| Fenwick Academy: IB Candidate | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Fox Tech High School: Health Professions | In District | Out of District | | | | |
| Fox Tech High School: Law Professions | In District | Out of District | | | | |
| Fox Tech High School: Nursing H-TECH | In District | Out of District | | | | |
| Gates Elementary | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Gonzales Early Childhood Education Center | In District PK Qual | In District PK Non Qual | Out of District PK Qual | Out of District PK Non Qual | | |
| Harris IB World Middle School | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Hawthorne Academy | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Highlands High School: Computer Science | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| Highlands High School: Aero/Eng/Mfg/Weld P-TECH | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| Huppertz Elementary: IB Candidate | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Irving Dual Language Academy | Priority Area English | Priority Area Spanish | In District English | In District Spanish | Out of District English | Out of District Spanish |
| Jefferson IB World High School: IB Diploma Programme | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| Jefferson IB World High School: Gen Ed | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Lamar Elementary: PBL | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Lanier High School: Architecture & Automotive Technology | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| Lanier High School: Construction Science P-TECH | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| M. L. King Academy: Arts Integration | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Phoenix Middle College | In District | Out of District | | | | |
| Rhodes Middle School: Media & Technology | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Rodriguez Montessori Elementary: Dual Language | Priority Area English | Priority Area Spanish | In District English | In District Spanish | Out of District English | Out of District Spanish |
| Rodriguez Montessori Elementary: Non Dual Language | Priority Area | In District | Out of District | | | |
| Sam Houston High School: Cybersecurity P-TECH | Attendance Zone | Non Attendance Zone | | | | |
| St. Philip's Early College High School | In District | Out of District | | | | |
| Steele Montessori Academy | Priority Area | In District Eco Dis | In District Non Eco Dis | Out of District | | |
| Travis Early College High School | In District | Out of District | | | | |
| Twain Dual Language Academy | Priority Area English | Priority Area Spanish | In District English | In District Spanish | Out of District English | Out of District Spanish |
| Woodlawn IB World Academy | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Woodlawn Hills Elementary: IB Candidate | Non Attendance Zone | | | | | |
| Young Men's Leadership Academy at Wheatley | Priority Area | In District | Out of District | | | |
| Young Women's Leadership Academy* | Eco Dis | Non Eco Dis | | | | |
| YWLA Primary at Page | Priority Area | In District Eco Dis | In District Non Eco Dis | Out of District | | |