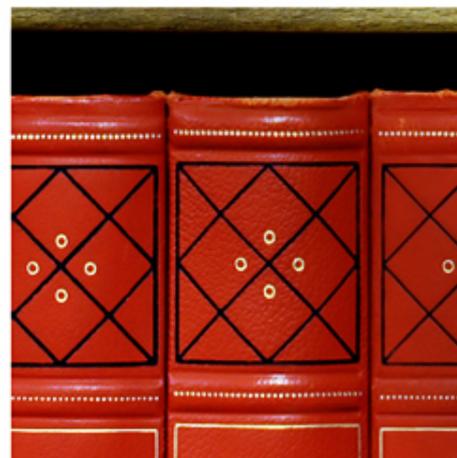
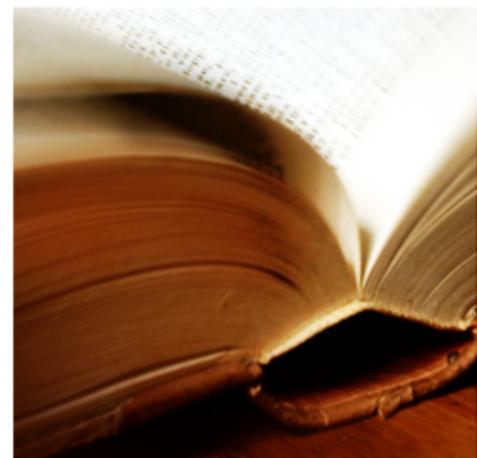
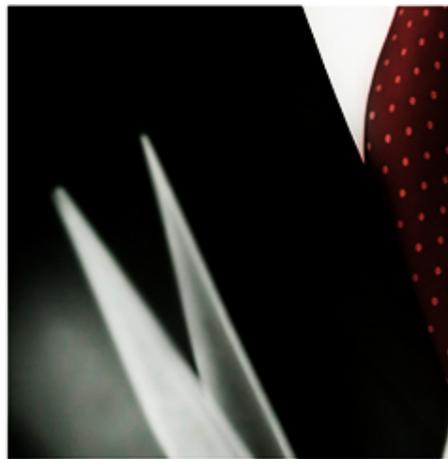


Dropout Prevention Review

North East ISD DEIC

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What is a “Dropout”?

- A “dropout” is a student that is enrolled in a public school in Grades 7-12, does not return to public school the following fall school year who :
 - Was not expelled
 - Did not graduate
 - Received a GED
 - Did not Continue school outside the public school system
 - Did not begin college
 - Did not die



Dropout Profile

- 9th or 10th grade (Repeater)
- 17 Years or older
- Retained +1 years
- Parenting, pregnant, homeless, working to support their family, lack of parental support, or other issues
- Economically Disadvantaged
- Current/Past Drug use
- +15 Discipline Referrals

Common Terms

- Cohort
 - Defined as the group of students entering 9th grade during the same year and who expected to graduate four years later
 - Four Year Graduation Rate
 - Five Year Graduation Rate
- Leaver Code
 - Codes that identify approved educational settings/destinations for students who withdraw from school

Leaver Codes

- 03- Student Died
- 16- Return to Home Country
- 24- Early College
- 60- Home School
- 81- Private School
- 82- Out-of-State
- 87- Texas Tech/UT Online
- 88- Court Ordered GED
- 89- Incarcerated as an Adult

Performance Measures

- Four Year Longitudinal Graduation Rate
- Five Year Longitudinal Graduation Rate
- Six Year Extended Longitudinal Graduation Rate (Alternative Accountability Only)
- Annual Dropout Rate
 - 7th and 8th grades

Graduation Rate Calculation


$$\frac{\text{Graduates} + \text{Continuers}}{\text{Graduates} + \text{Continuers} + \text{GED} + \text{Dropouts}} = \text{Four/Five Year Rate}$$

$$\frac{\text{Graduates} + \text{Continuers} + \text{GED}^*}{\text{Graduates} + \text{Continuers} + \text{GED} + \text{Dropouts}} = \text{Six Year Rate}$$

* GED has same value as graduate

Annual Dropout Rates

- Defined as 7th and 8th Grade students who are enrolled during the school year and who fail to enroll the following school year.

Graduation Rates Class of 2016-17

		Four Year Rate		Five Year Rate		Dropout Rate	
High School		District	State	District	State	District	State
		91.6%	89.1%	94.4%	90.6%	5.6%	6.7%
Middle School		Annual Dropout Rate					
		District	State				
		0.3%	0.4%				

Leaver Record Audits

- Annual training for Campus Dropout Coordinators and Data Processors
- Real-time leaver record audits conducted daily
- Rightfax and Docuware Supported
- Monitoring of Leaver Codes

Prevention Strategies

- District Dropout/ Leaver Coordinator at every high school and middle school
 - Manage the leaver process
 - Ensure students are located and enrolled in approved educational settings
 - Track enrollment and withdrawal reasons
 - Weekly meetings at the high school level

Prevention Strategies

- Early Warning Indicators
 - 10% absenteeism, core-area failures and STAAR/ EOC failures
- Academy of Creative Education (ACE)
- HS/ MS Achieve
- Evening High School
- Communities in Schools
- McKinney-Vento Homeless Project
- Pregnancy Related Services
- Family Engagement/Support
 - District-wide and campus based
- Family Specialists
 - Family supports
- Early Childhood education

Family Support Services: Programs

- **McKinney-Vento Homeless Project**
 - Provides educational support and eliminates barriers for homeless students
 - 1425 Homeless students during the 2017-18 School Year
- **School-Age Parenting Program**
 - Case management and instruction for pregnant and parenting students until graduation
 - 135 Pregnant and Parenting Students in 2017-18 School Year
- **Dropout Prevention**
 - Manage district-wide prevention programs
 - 26 Assistant Principals serve as Campus Dropout Coordinators
 - Provide innovative solutions to recovering and retaining students at-risk of dropping out

Current/New Initiatives

- Positive Support Attendance Letters
 - Text Messages
- Handle with Care
 - Region 20 and SAPD
- North East ISD Food Pantry
 - San Antonio Food Bank

Attendance

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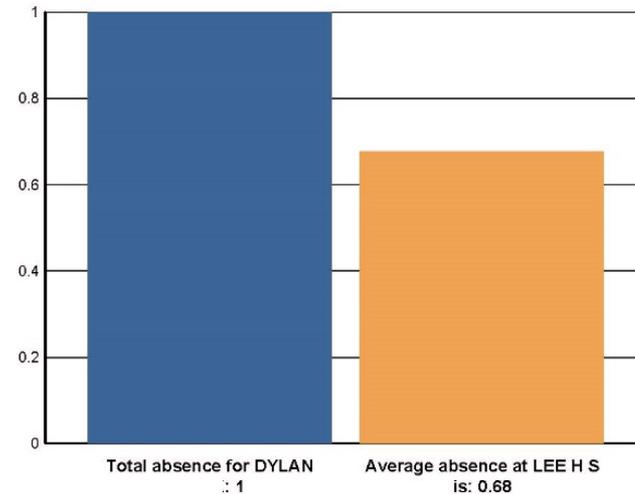
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To the Parent/Guardian of [REDACTED] This is an NEISD weekly attendance text. Average absence at LEE H S is: 1.76
Total absence for [REDACTED] 1
Thank you!

To the Parent/Guardian of [REDACTED]. This is an NEISD weekly attendance text. Average absence at LEE H S is: 1.76
Total absence for [REDACTED] 10
Thank you!

Dear Parent/Guardian:

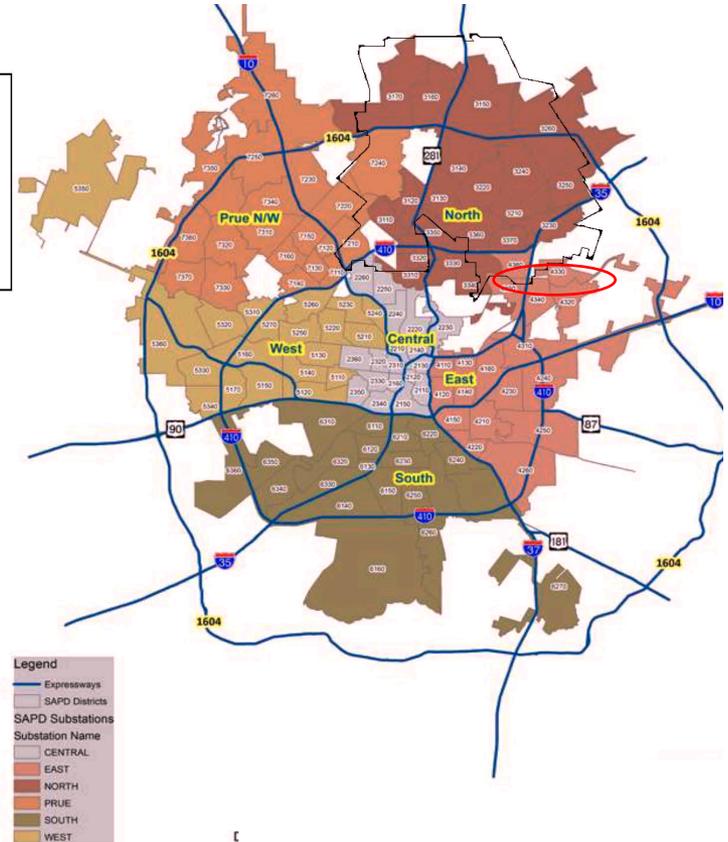
This letter is for your information only and no further action is required. Your student and his/her absences are represented on the left of the bar chart below. An average student at your child's campus is presented on the right. Should you have any further questions, please contact your student's administrator.



Handle With Care Program



NEISD/SAPD
Substations:
-Prue N/W
-North
-East
-Central



Family Support Service Food Pantry



Dropout Prevention and the District Instructional Improvement Plan (DIIP)

- 6-2 Special Education- Increasing Graduation Rate from 82.5% to 85%
- 6-3 Special Education- Attendance Rates with Chronic absenteeism to increase by 1%
- 8-2 Accelerated Education-At-risk- 90% of students attending alternative education settings will complete their course work and meet/approach Grade level standard
- 8-3 Accelerated Education-At-risk- 90% of students in course recovery/protection will complete the program
- 8-6 Accelerated Education-At-Risk – Increase graduation rates of targeted student groups to a min. of 93.5%
- 9-1 Early Childhood/Family Engagement- 100% of Pre-K will have weekly access to a family specialist and nine family trainings

Dropout Prevention and the District Instructional Improvement Plan (DIIP)

- 16-2 Student Attendance- 100% of Parents whose students have attendance and tardy issues will be contacted in more than one way by the campus
- 16-3 100% of secondary administrators will be trained at August Leadership, mid-year, and end of year on the leaver process
- 16-4 Decrease the number of dropouts by 35 students based on 2016-17 recovery totals

Questions?

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