



CLEAR HORIZONS EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL

◆ CLEAR CREEK INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT ◆



Brochures and Marketing

IMPORTANT DATES

January 3, 2023
application opens

February 17, 2023
application closes

February 21 - 23, 2023
lottery is run

February 24, 2023
*families are notified of their
application status via email*

June 2023
Bridge Camp

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2023-2024



Who we are

Clear Horizons Early College High School, often referred to as CHECHS, exists to provide an opportunity for students to complete their high school diploma while simultaneously earning an Associates degree at no cost to the family. The only requirements to apply is for families to reside in the CCISD attendance zone and enrolled in 8th grade..

Curriculum

All classes are taught at Honors or AP level. Approved college courses serve as dual credit courses. Students have the opportunity to work towards seven different associates degree that will easily transfer to a public Texas four-year University for a seamless transition to a bachelors degree.

Service Learning

Students must complete 20 hours each year and submit a reflection as part of the Clear Horizons expectations. One school trip per grade level is scheduled to provide students an opportunity to serve with their peers in our local community.

Internship

Students will research and secure a mentor for an internship both in the junior and senior year. Students meet with mentors 3 hours a week gaining insight to possible future careers and collaborating on a final project.



At CHECHS students can participate in both high school and college clubs along with student social events. Student life at CHECHS helps our students make positive connections.



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Dear 8th Grade Students and Parents,

I am delighted to notify you of an opportunity available only to current 8th grade families who live within the boundaries of Clear Creek ISD. In January you will be able to apply for admission into one of the premier secondary schools in the entire state of Texas: **Clear Horizons Early College High School!**

Clear Horizons students attend grades 9 – 12 on the South Campus of San Jacinto College. Students attending Clear Horizons earn both a high school diploma and an Associate Degree simultaneously and free of charge! Transportation is provided by Clear Creek ISD.

CCISD and the Clear Creek Education Foundation pay the college tuition, books, fees, and cost of attendance for the hours of college credit that students earn while attending Clear Horizons. The coursework is challenging. Students take all advanced courses all four years (Honors, Advanced Placement, and Dual Credit). The coursework is designed to provide a seamless transition from the Associates Degree to the Bachelors Degree at a four-year university for students who are typically underrepresented in higher education.

Our target population includes students from low-income households, first generation college-goers, and minority students. Only 125 students are admitted through a weighted computerized lottery system for the freshman class. The remaining applicants are placed in rank order on the CHECHS Waiting List in case a vacancy occurs in the future.

The online lottery application will be activated on the Clear Horizons school website on January 3, 2023. Simply go to www.chechs.ccisid.net. Click the menu tab titled "How To Apply" and follow the steps. The online application for the lottery will remain available until Friday, February 17, 2023.

We are excited to welcome the **Class of 2027** and hope you will consider Clear Horizons Early College High School for your scholar! Please feel free to call us at [281-929-4657](tel:281-929-4657) you have any questions about the lottery or the Dual Diploma Program.

With Kindest Regards,

April Tidwell
Principal

Clear Horizons Information Nights

Come hear first hand from students and staff about the unique experience of Clear Horizons. You are welcome to attend whichever session works best in your schedule.

We look forward to meeting you!

January 10; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

January 12; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

January 17; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

January 19; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

January 24; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

January 31; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

February 2; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

February 7; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

February 9; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

February 13; 6:30 PM

Intermediate School

February 15; 6:30 PM

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