



2018



2019

STATE
of the
DISTRICT

CHEERING ALL STUDENTS *to* SUCCEED

Our children learn from top-quality educators in some of the most technologically advanced facilities in the state. We encourage them to try new things and expand their horizons.

It's what
OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL
is all about.



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MESSAGE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT

Nearly 80 years ago, the people of this community voted to establish Cypress-Fairbanks ISD as their children's best option for success. Today, despite a completely different educational landscape, our district remains the gold standard.

Students in CFISD benefit from a professional staff of educators committed to developing positive relationships while enhancing their educational and extracurricular experience. Opportunity awaits our children through top-tier athletic and fine arts programs, unique CTE and robotics advancements and an early college program that moves them years ahead of their peers. From the most gifted students to those who need the most support—there is a place for everyone in CFISD.

None of our success would be possible without an incredibly supportive community, so we thank you for joining us in our mission to make **Opportunity for All** a reality for more than 117,000 students this year.

Sincerely,



Mark Henry, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools



MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD PRESIDENT

Welcome to Cypress-Fairbanks ISD! I am proud to lead an incredible Board of Trustees in overseeing the nation's best school district as we enter the 2018-2019 school year.

From state-of-the-art facilities to model programs to cutting-edge technology, CFISD has everything you need for your kids to succeed. We are proud that our superintendent, Dr. Mark Henry, was named the Region 4 Superintendent of the Year. His leadership over an exceptional staff will contribute to the success of our children for decades to come.

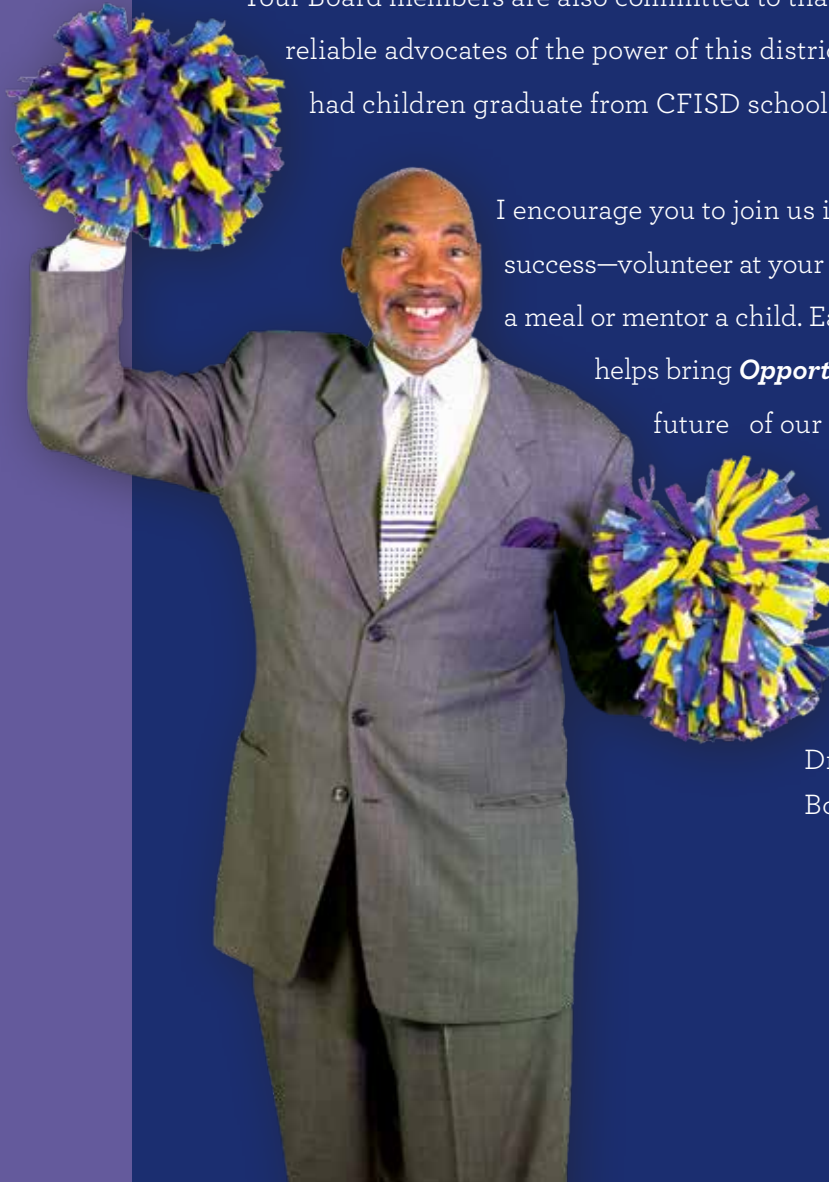
Your Board members are also committed to that success. We are all reliable advocates of the power of this district, as each of us has had children graduate from CFISD schools.

I encourage you to join us in sparking that success—volunteer at your child's school, donate a meal or mentor a child. Each little contribution helps bring **Opportunity for All** to the future of our nation. Thank you for playing a part.

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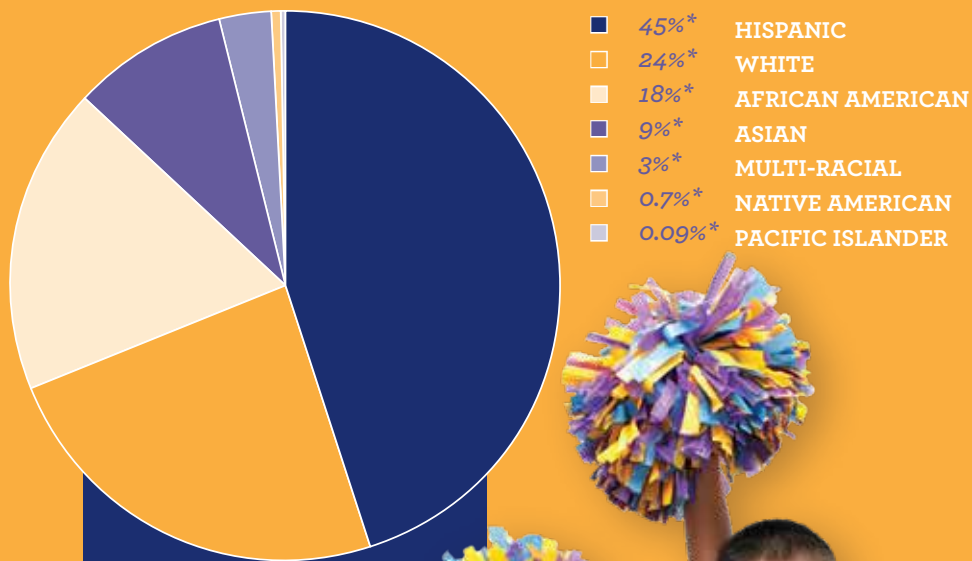


Dr. John Ogletree Jr.
Board of Trustees President



ENROLLMENT & DEMOGRAPHICS

CFISD believes **Opportunity for All** is essential for growth and success. And it is definitely working. Boasting 91 total campuses, the district continues a healthy upward trajectory projecting well over 117,000 students enrolled for 2018-2019. The district, the third-largest in Texas, is ranked 23rd-largest in the U.S. and is comprised of a rich cultural and ethnic diversity.



*projections



More than

100

languages and dialects are spoken by CFISD students



FACILITIES

The 2018-2019 school year is a time of renewal and renovation, with the majority of activity involving increased security measures for our facilities as well as post-Hurricane Harvey repair.

We welcomed Moore Elementary School staff and students back to a rebuilt campus following a year of displacement after Harvey.

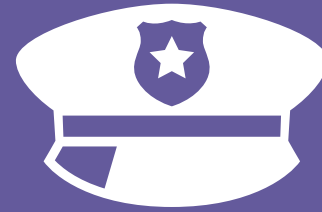
Additionally, \$210 million in voter-approved Bond funds was devoted to renovating 19 campuses over the summer, helping fulfill CFISD's goal of **Opportunity for All** through quality facilities.



SAFETY & SECURITY

With a layered approach to safety centered around Prevention, Identification/Intervention and Response, the district has considerably bolstered its Safety and Security Action Plan for 2018-2019. Improved safety measures, new equipment and updated protocols are now in place to ensure our campuses are as protected and secure as possible. By adding secured vestibules with bullet-resistant glass, security cameras and emergency call stations and increasing access to the Cy-Fair Tipline, CFISD has taken a visible stand for student and staff safety.

2018 ADDITIONS INCLUDE:



22

*District
Police Officers*

108 total **3** K-9s **2** Mental Health Officers



Clear Bag Policy

*For grades 6-12 and
at Pridgeon and
Cy-Fair FCU stadiums*

Formation of 2 Mental Health Intervention Teams

*Mental Health Assessment
and Crisis Response Training for
all teachers and administrators*



COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Combining donations, volunteer hours, mentors and more, the Cy-Fair community continues to cheer for the district to succeed. Through a partnership with the Houston Health Department called “See to Succeed,” CFISD gave away more than 1,500 free glasses and eye exams to students. The community also came together to raise more than \$100,000 for the Cy-Fair Educational Foundation through the fifth annual Superintendent’s Fun Run in March 2018. Additionally, more than 50 schools now have an Adopt-a-School partnership with an area business or organization.

\$391,502
in
advertising
revenue

\$8,186,384
in district and school donations
by
268 Business Partners

28 million+
website page views

More than
\$100,000
raised for
CY-FAIR EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION
from fifth annual
SUPERINTENDENT’S FUN RUN



TECHNOLOGY

Our mission is to prepare students for the future. Thanks to our technology team, we’re diligent about equipping our classrooms with the latest technology and devices.

3,800
Hovercams

7,000
Lightspeed audio
enhancement
systems



5,200+
Promethean Panel
interactive
displays

100,000+
student classroom
devices

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Our College Academy partnership with Lone Star College-CyFair allows students to earn an associate's degree at the same time they receive a high school diploma.

Students earned nearly 33,000 college hours in dual-credit courses in 2017-2018.

One-hundred thirty career and technical education (CTE) courses are offered across 14 career clusters, allowing students to earn endorsements in Business & Industry, Public Services and STEM.



CFISD by the NUMBERS

8,472
graduates in the
Class of 2018

Average 2017 senior SAT scores
549 Reading/Writing
547 Math

\$108,984,774
in academic scholarships awarded
to the Class of 2018

\$37,233,728
in athletic scholarships awarded
to the Class of 2018

8
athletics team
state championships,
last **7** years

26,854
class enrollment in
Advanced Placement (AP)

32,924
college hours earned

11,735
students enrolled in 2018
summer school classes

86,781
students in fine arts programs

10,658
students enrolled in
dual-credit courses

34,059 watched streaming video
of CFISD graduation ceremonies

68,681 guests attended
11 graduation ceremonies

FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY

One of the hallmarks of the district is that it's a tremendous value for the tax dollars. Recognized for high academic achievement coupled with responsible, cost-effective fiscal practices, Cypress-Fairbanks ISD earned its eighth consecutive five-star rating in the Texas Smart Schools Initiative, measuring school spending and student performance.



CFISD is one of just 49 Texas districts to earn a 5-star rating, and one of only five to earn the highest possible rating in all eight years of the FAST/Texas Smart Schools programs.



\$7,914

Operating cost per student - one of the lowest in Texas



Administrative expenditures

ONLY 1.8%

of operating budget

CFISD's board continues to preserve a

20%

LOCAL HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION,

giving taxpayers a discount for living in the district.



Total tax rate of

\$1.44

for 2017-2018

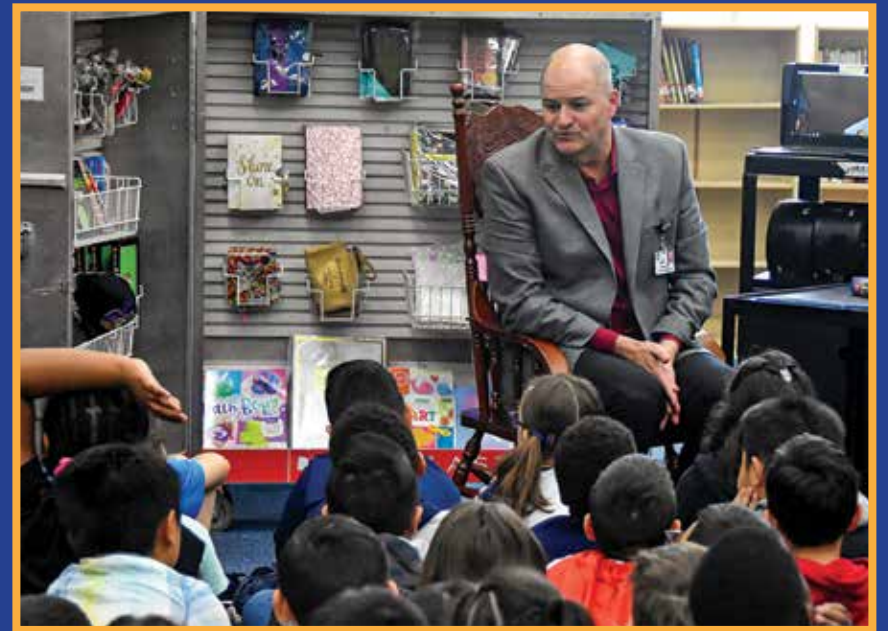


TEACHER of the YEAR *Jeanna Peña*

Lamkin Elementary School visual arts specialist Jeanna Peña was named the **2017-2018 Region 4 Elementary Teacher of the Year**. A passionate educator with a 15-year career in CFISD, Peña brings the world to her students, weaving in every content area to her lessons so students see relevance and application in everything they create.



SUPERINTENDENT of the YEAR *Dr. Mark Henry*



CFISD educators and administrators routinely earn accolades at the district, region and state levels, and 2018 was no exception.

Dr. Mark Henry, CFISD superintendent of schools, was named the **2018 Region 4 Superintendent of the Year** after being nominated by his Board of Trustees. He qualified for the statewide Texas Superintendent of the Year program, sponsored by the Texas Association of School Boards (TASB).

Recognized for outstanding and visionary leadership toward improving student performance in CFISD, Dr. Henry's seven-year tenure has seen CFISD earn recognition and praise for academics, college and career readiness programs, community engagement, fiscal management and athletics.

MISSION

We will maximize every student's potential through rigorous and relevant learning experiences preparing students to be 21st-century global leaders.





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