

Admission Policy

South Oak Cliff Collegiate Academy is designed to serve incoming ninth-grade students who are:

- Determined to attend college.
- First Generation college students.
- Historically underrepresented in higher education.

The academy will accept up to 125 ninth-grade students per year, and students will move together as a cohort as they progress through high school.

Any interested eighth grade student may complete an online application located on the Dallas Independent School District's <https://choose.dallasisd.org> website or complete a printed application. Students must complete all sections of the application and attend a required interview. The purpose of the interview is to determine students' interests, assess their level of commitment and ensure that both students and parents understand the expectations of the program. Students' academic history, background, discipline record, teacher recommendations and previous assessment scores are *not* used as criteria for acceptance into the program.



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