

Business, Education & Technology Academy

South Texas Independent School District

'2017-'2018 Internship Prospectus

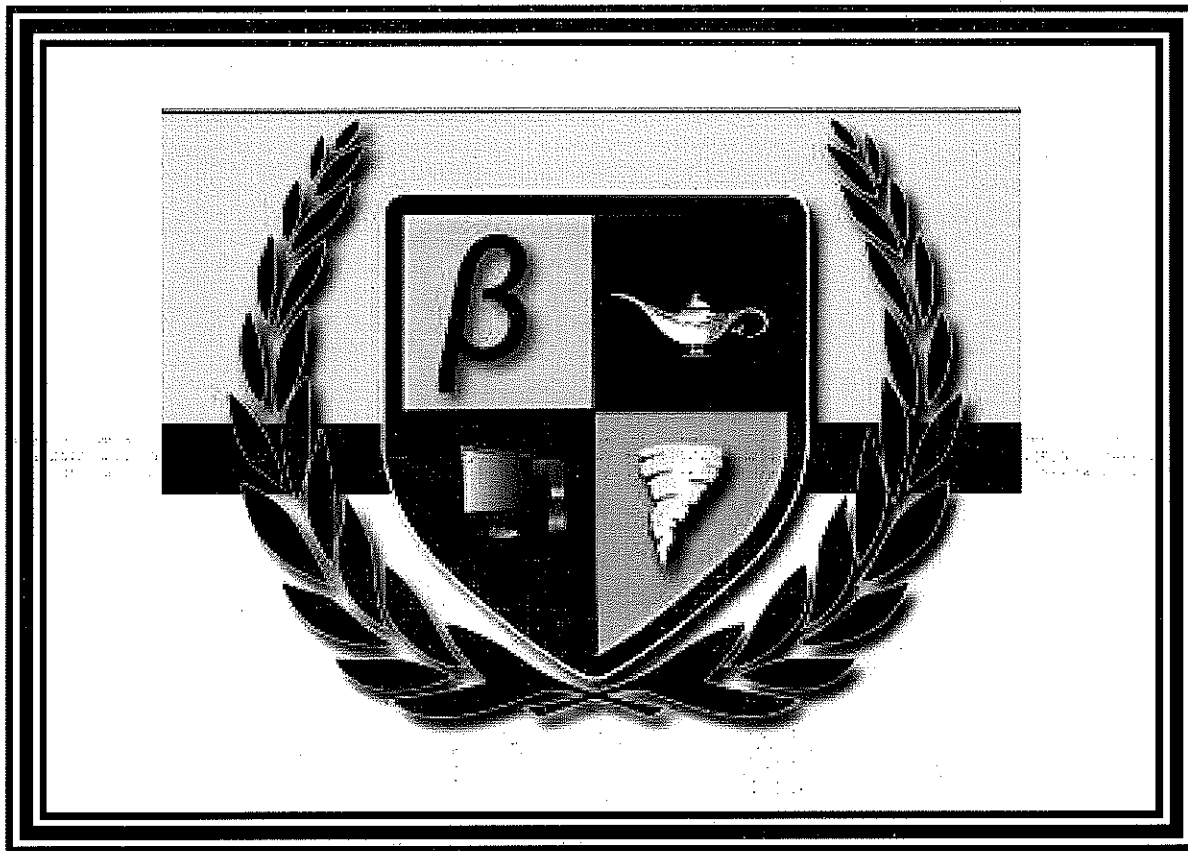
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Self-Less Service



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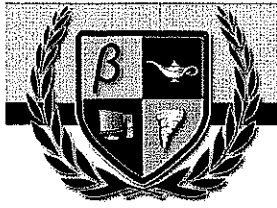
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September 29, 2017

Honorable Judge Ramon Garcia
Hidalgo County Public Affairs Division
Mrs. Julia Sullivan, Director • Ms. Evana Vleck, Intern Coordinator
100 E. Cano Street • 1st Floor
Edinburg, TX 78539

RE: BETA H.S. Business Intern: **Pecia Macias: Purchasing Department**

Dear Honorable Judge Garcia, Mrs. Sullivan and Ms. Vleck,

At South Texas' **Business Education & Technology Academy (BETA)**, we strive to provide relevant real life experiences for our Practicum students that extend beyond the classroom. The Career and Technical Education Committee (CTE), with the cooperation of exemplary local businesses, have established a magnet school program that will enforce sectors of business administration, as well as, create hands-on workforce experiences for our students.

Our goal is to place senior level business and technology students in short term career-shadowing positions which enable our highly motivated students to gain practical real world experience. It is our belief that this program will enrich the classroom experience; develop an interest for a college major and facilitate understanding of sound business and technology practices.

BETA works synergistically with an Advisory Committee which is comprised of business professionals who are committed to enriching curriculum and workforce skills. Together, we keep abreast of current trends and technological advances within the business community and reflect these trends in our academic tracks.

Our business track currently includes rigorous courses in business principles, personal finance, banking, management, office administration, business law, and accounting.

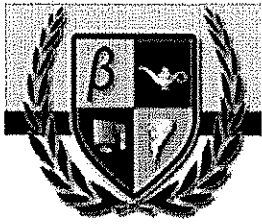
We truly appreciate the internship-placement of our student, **Pecia Matias** in the accounting Area—where her interest is sought in higher education. Through this experience with the Hidalgo County Government offices Miss Matias will receive the MOST ultimate in a real world accounting experience amongst professionals in the field.

This career-training will not only be a strong educational investment; it will build a vision for her future education and career- path interests.

Thank you for your consideration to partake in your mentorship for our Business Track Interns.

Sincerely,

Dr. Nora Casarez, Principal



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Dr. Marla Guerra, Superintendent of Schools
Mr. Jeff Hembree, M.S., Deputy Superintendent
Ms. Marla Knaub, Chief, Financial Officer



BETA H.S. ADMINISTRATION

Dr. Nora Casarez, Principal
Mr. Efrain Garza, Assistant Principal
Ms. Lydia Gonzalez, Assistant Principal
Mr. Mario Garcia, Counselor
Mrs. Julie Ramos, Counselor
Ms. Cristina Sprawls, Counselor



Mrs. Monica Longoria, Technology Internship Coordinator
Ms. Nashla Showery~Stowe, M.Ed., M.S., Business Internship Coordinator

'2017 - '2018 BETA High School
INTERNSHIP COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

[TECHNOLOGY]

EXPRESS PRINTING OF EDINBURG

UTRGV [IT] TECHNOLOGY DIVISION

IT MAINTENANCE OF STPA & BETA CAMPUSES

[BUSINESS]

The United Way of South Texas

Clark-Knapp Honda Dealership

RGV Hispanic Chamber of Commerce

Matt's Cash & Carry Building Materials

Hidalgo County Purchasing Department

[TEA] Region I Human Resource Department

[TEA] REGION I PROJECT P.a.C.E Certification Department



VOLUNTEER TRAINING

RIO GRANDE VALLEY DIABETES ASSOCIATION
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INTERNSHIP ASSURANCES FOR BUSINESS PARTNERS

- Student must be a Senior enrolled in *Business Management & Administration Practicum*.
- Student will work with mentors of the interning firm to develop training skills, projects, as well as, make contributions that are of value to the internship site.
- Students will not displace regular employees, but they will intern under close supervision of an employee as designated by management or a delegated supervisor.
- Students are expected to contact supervisor via email or phone call when not able to attend on a site-day.
- Student will be trustworthy and responsible in handling proprietary and confidential information.
- Student will be transported to his/her job site on a school bus from the BETA campus. No personal transportation will be allowed.
- The job site will be designated by the Internship Coordinator & Administration based on the intern-career interest; interviews may be required by the selected sites.
- Student will receive a class-grade for the internship; as well as, adhere to the school dress code policy and student code- of -conduct.
- Students are REQUIRED to dress in uniformed business-casual attire.
- Student will be evaluated at the job site every 3-6 week grading periods. . A system of evaluation will be established to assess students' performance and improvement recommendations.
- Paid internships will NOT be allowed.
- The use of cell phones at the intern site is strictly prohibited. Site mentors are encouraged to discuss any type of personal cell phone use by the student when on a site assignment. This is not acceptable according to the guidelines of the Internship program. The use of cell phones on sites affects the interns' evaluation grade and places risks for the keeping a location.
- If a student is not meeting the required standard; a meeting will be called between the student, mentor and BETA teacher-coordinator. This is to reach an understanding for all. The results may call for establishing a re-learning growth plan / or / if agreed upon by the mentor and coordinator; the intern's student agreement will be cancelled and the intern will be re-assigned to an on-campus site on the BETA Campus.

‘2017-‘2018 BETA H.S. Business Internship Student Agreement/ Syllabi
Student will receive a 2-credit class grade for the internship. (1) Academic (1) Internship

Student must be intentional by being Responsible, Dependable, Respectful and Highly motivated. Each student will view this experience to be an appreciation for the credibility of college preparation, scholarship opportunities with career and real-world workforce development.

Students will not displace regular employees; they will intern under close supervision of an employee as designated by site management—**communication** regarding absences, gratitude-statements or questions will be addressed to his/her mentor by email. Student will work with mentors of the interning firm to develop projects and make contributions that are of value to the interning site. Students are expected to be trustworthy and responsible in handling proprietary and confidential information that pertains to the Internship Site.

Academic assignments are due at the time stated by instructor: Academic Assignments represent training; grades and are considered as the student-intern’s level of Productivity.

After-school tutorials are required if academic assignments are not completed on the due-date.

The job site will be designated by the Internship Coordinator with judgement of the student’s Career Interest Battery Analysis; as well as, an evaluation that matches the knowledge and skills of each student within their career interests and workplace skills developed from the student’s Resume within his/her Experiences, Talents and Training.

A RESUME, COVER LETTER AND interview will be required before the assignment begins.

Interns are expected to dress with the assigned Uniform representing BETA—it affects a Participation Grade. **Student must adhere to the BETA Student Code of Conduct.** Student will be required to dress in business casual attire if their Internship Uniform will not be worn due to unexpected circumstances.

Internship hours may not be used for volunteer hours. Paid internships will not be allowed.

Students are required to be on-time in the classroom @8:20 to board the bus. **If an absence is to occur; students are required to email their supervisor & cc their Instructor before 8:20 am.** All **ABSENCES** require an **EXCUSE** -presented to the Attendance Campus Clerk for an **EXCUSED ABSENCE**.

The use of cell phones at the site is strictly prohibited. If reported by mentor, withdrawal may occur, as well as, receive a Non-passing grade within the expectation in the Evaluation Sheet.

Upon the request of the business, a student who does not meet the required standards will be removed from their site assignment. If allowable, A Growth Plan will be discussed with the coordinator & mentor/ the next alternative is to place the intern on Campus to finish the semester.

Students involved in other school extra- curricular activities during **Enrichment:** must abide by the set bus schedule. **NO EXCEPTIONS** will be made for early pick-up to make a time-deadline on campus. Students, parents c/o of students that make verbal or written requests for such action will not qualify for the Practicum and be requested to —withdraw from the Internship Program.

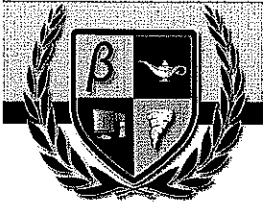
Students will be transported to his/her job site on a school bus from the BETA campus. No personal transportation will be allowed. If an emergency occurs—student will report to campus and our BETA Bus will transport student.

INTERNSHIP EVALUATIONS:

Students will be evaluated each grading period. A system of evaluation will be established to assess students’ performance. 9-Week, Mid-Term and Final Exam Scored Evaluations are determined by the Site -Mentor.

Discussions will be held every 9 week grading with both Internship Coordinator and the Mentor.

2017-2018 Academic grades are averaged with final grade submissions.



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Internship Objectives

The intern will adapt to effective communicate skills with professionals in the work force environment.

The intern will be exposed to a business culture and the dynamics within a professional organization.

The intern will gain practical real- world experience in a professional job environment.

The intern will establish long-term professional relationships through the value of networking.

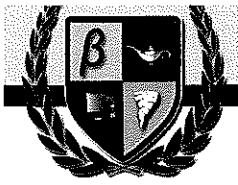
The intern will incorporate their professional experiences to meet the expectations of higher education skills; as well as, incorporate these experiences to be self-motivated toward completing college applications, as well as, seek scholarship qualifications from various donors.

Business & Technology Internship Operating Standards Guide

★ During the internship process, STISD/BETA H.S. maintains the vision that each intern/student will be exposed to the components that create Success for both business and technology standards.

★ This guide serves as an example of **STISD's Soft Skills** Expectations of our Intern /students. Feel free to customize the standards to your business; we value your input for future interns.

1. Professionalism/Ethics	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Professional Dress• Trustworthiness• Honesty• Being Pro-Active• Exhibit Diplomacy in Conflict
2. Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Attending Staff Meetings• Active Listening• Trouble Shooting• Laws, Rules and Regulations specific to Technology• Professional Cooperation in verbal mannerisms.
3. Time Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Absences and Tardiness• Project Deadlines• Timeliness and Procrastination• Organization
4. Project Design and Completion	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Project Planning• Review and Redesign Process• Project Completion/ Launch



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Business, Education & Technology Academy – Internship Evaluation

Student Name: _____ Business Name: _____

Business Sponsor (person): _____

Number of Hours Served: _____ other (specify number of hours)

Brief Description of Intern's Experiences: _____

**This evaluation contributes to the academic credit for this Internship.
 Please, discuss this evaluation with the student - intern
 before returning it to the student's Career Internship Coordinator.
 Please evaluate an overall performance of the assigned Intern.**

Personal Qualities	Exceptional	Meets Expectations	Satisfactory	Needs Improvement
1. Dependable and responsible for --completing tasks.				
2. Exercises good judgment in independent situations.				
3. Is friendly and respects others				
4. Is conscientious in fulfilling Assignments.				
5. Follows directions on a timely basis.				
6. Presents neat and accurate work.				
7. Asks appropriate questions in a professional manner.				
8. Is cooperative and industrious --in completing tasks.(productive)				
9. Is courteous to all Office Personnel.				
10. Is Pro-Active by asking questions If a directive is not understood.				
11. Shows initiative				

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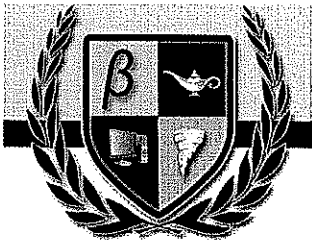
Comments/ Recommendations:

Business/IT /Sponsor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Telephone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Please, write-in recommendations to better prepare the intern for both college & career preparation.
 Turn-page over if needed. Thank you. Ms. Nashla Showery, Business Internship Coordinator →

THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING IN OUR STISD/BETA INTERNSHIP PROGRAM | Page | 6



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AFFILIATION AGREEMENT FOR INTERNSHIP- PRECEPTORSHIP PROGRAM

The BETA campus of South Texas ISD's all Magnet School District presents this contract –of- agreement for the training of un-paid Senior Interns in the Business and Technology tracks. This program presents a great benefit to site-locations of the lower Rio Grande Valley with prepared students interested in careers of Business and Technology.

The intent of on-site learning experiences is to provide students opportunities that will contribute growth to their desired careers and higher learning; as well as, to aid in making wise career choices for their future.

This agreement is between South Texas · Business Education Technology Academy; hereinafter, referred to as BETA High School and your organization: COUNTY OF HIDALGO, TEXAS hereinafter, referred to as the Affiliate.

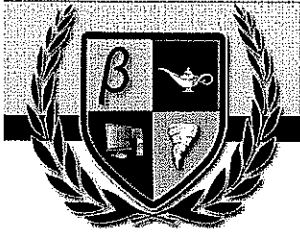
This agreement will become effective immediately upon execution by the parties. This agreement may be cancelled at any time upon the written request of either party. This agreement is to be evaluated and reviewed annually by both parties, and revisions will be made, as they are deemed necessary.

1. Joint Responsibilities

- a. Both parties will cooperate to provide students with a proper learning opportunity.
- b. Both parties will agree on the number of students receiving preceptorship at the Affiliate with consideration given to the number of preceptorship sites available.

2. Responsibilities of BETA

- a. Instructors and students of BETA will abide by the policies of the Affiliate while using its facilities.
- b. BETA shall continually instruct and emphasize to the instructors and students, the importance of respecting the confidential nature of all information which may come to them with respect to the Affiliate members and records with which they work.
- c. BETA instructors and students shall sign the affiliate's Internship Agreement and Waiver of Liability, fully incorporated by reference here and attached as Exhibit "A", in addition to providing evidence of liability insurance for BETA instructors and students on a yearly basis.
- d. BETA shall evaluate and counsel students with regards to performance.
- e. BETA shall assume responsibility for administrative functions related to students, attendance, and evaluation sheets.



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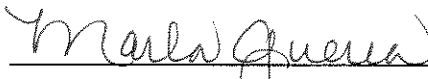
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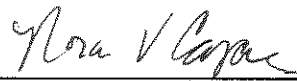
3. Responsibilities of the Affiliate

- a. The Affiliate will permit said student/s to observe and/or assist in department routines and procedures under direct supervision of licensed or qualified employees of the facility.
- b. The Affiliate agrees to assist the program by providing through its supervisory personnel, assistance with attendance and evaluation sheets, at intervals to be agreed upon.
- c. The Affiliate will inform its professional staff of its participation in the various preceptorship sites.
- d. The Affiliate will orient BETA faculty to their facilities and policies.
- e. The Affiliate reserves the right in its absolute and sole discretion to refuse its facilities and services to any instructor or student who does not meet the professional standards proposed by the Affiliate.
- f. This program agreement is subject to all terms and conditions of the Hidalgo County Internship Policy, fully incorporated by reference here and attached as Exhibit "A", and this Affiliation Agreement. In the event of a conflict, the Hidalgo County Internship Policy shall supersede this agreement.



Dr. Marla Guerra, S.T.I.S.D. Superintendent

Date: 10-2-17



Dr. Nora V. Casarez, BETA Principal

Date: 10-2-17

*It is the policy of South Texas Independent School District to comply with nondiscrimination provisions and regulations of all federal and state laws by assuring that no person be denied any benefits of participation in any programs or activities which it operates on the ground of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, handicap, or age.

THE COUNTY OF HIDALGO, TEXAS

Ramon Garcia, County Judge

Julia Sullivan, Director
Office of Hidalgo County Public Affairs

ATTEST

Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Office of Hidalgo County Criminal District Attorney,
Ricardo Rodriguez, Jr.

By: _____
Josephine Ramirez Solis
Assistant District Attorney

Hidalgo County Internship Policy

The participating office/department will be responsible for orienting students to the organization. Orientation should include:

- **A clear list of expectations, job duties and goals;**
- **Departmental-specific policies and procedures;**
- **A list of the resources available to the student intern (i.e., a workstation that has been set up for the student-intern, supplies and items needed by the intern); and**
- **Any other relevant information for the intern to be successful in the performance of their job duties.**

STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

All interns must abide by the standards of conduct as outlined in the Hidalgo County Personnel Policy Manual and/or Hidalgo County Civil Service Commission Rules (as applicable), and are responsible for complying with the required standards of conduct.

At a minimum, all interns are required to conduct themselves in a professional manner at all times and to use discretion when dealing with sensitive matters and confidential information. Students must maintain professional attire, hygiene and grooming in a professional business-like manner that is appropriate to the field of placement and which reflects positively on the County.

If any policy or standard of conduct is violated by the intern during the internship period, the intern will be terminated at the discretion of the County.

EVALUATION

All interns should be provided with ongoing feedback on how well they are meeting the goals and expectations of their position. Participating offices/departments should provide interns with a formal written evaluation at the end of the internship. If applicable, participating offices/departments will be responsible for abiding by the requirements of the education institution as per the agreement.

TERMINATION/COMPLETION

All interns are considered at-will placements, and the placement can be terminated at any time at the discretion of the County. Upon completion of the internship period, interns are not automatically entitled to a paid position within the County.



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OP ID: CS

CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
09/21/2017

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

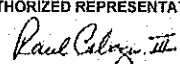
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	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE INSURER A: Texas Political Subdivisions INSURER B: Western World Ins. Co. INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E: INSURER F:	
INSURED South Texas Ind School Distric 100 Med High Drive Mercedes, TX 78570	NAIC #	

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LIB	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL SUBR (NSD) (WVD)	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
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B	Educators Liab		BRL0012317	09/01/2017	09/01/2018	Liability \$ 1,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER South Texas Ind School District 100 Med High Drive Mercedes, TX 78570	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 
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SOUTH TEXAS ISD 2017-2018 CALENDAR

A Days

July 2017							August 2017							September 2017						
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Holidays	First Day of Instruction	Staff Development
September 4 Labor Day	Aug 21	August 14, 15, 16, 17
October 9 Columbus Day	Last Day of Instruction June 1	Teacher Work Days Aug. 18, Oct. 16, Mar 9, June 2, and Three Flex Teacher Work Days
Nov 20-24 Thanksgiving	Grade Reporting Periods End October 13 March 8 December 21 June 1	New Teacher Induction August 10-11
Dec 22-Jan 5 Christmas	Exam Release Days December 18, 19, 20, 21 May 29, 30, 31, June 1	Credit by Exam Test Dates Aug. 9-11; Nov. 29-Dec. 1; Feb. 21-23; June 5-7
February 19 President's Day	Monthly Payday July 25 Nov. 17 Mar. 23 Aug. 25 Dec. 20 Apr. 25 Sep. 25 Jan. 25 May 25 Oct. 25 Feb. 23 June 22	226 Non-Contract Days July 3-7, 2017 and June 25-29, 2018 Two Flex 226 Work Days
March 12-16 Spring Break		Instructional Design Days Nov 27, Jan 8 (no school for students)
Mar 30-Apr 2 Easter Break		
May 28 Memorial Day		
Weather Make-Up Days (2) If Needed; Feb. 19, April 2		
Enrichment Days Oct 27, Dec. 1, Feb 23, May 18		
Campus May Change Dates		
STAAR, AP, & IB Assessment Days		
Exam Preparation Days Dec. 14, 15; May 24, 25		
Campus May Change Dates		

January 2018							February 2018							March 2018						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6					1	2	3					1	2	3
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
28	29	30	31				25	26	27	28				25	26	27	28	29	30	31

April 2018							May 2018							June 2018						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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8	9	10	11	12	13	14	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
29	30						27	28	29	30	31			24	25	26	27	28	29	30

South Texas ISD Board of Directors approved on August 3, 2017. Instructional time in this school calendar is 78,390 minutes. The state requirement is for 75,600 minutes minimum of instruction.



South Texas Business Education Technology Academy

2017-2018 Course Sequence

English	Math	Science	Social Studies
English I PAP English II PAP English III AP UTRGV Engl 1301* UTRGV Engl 1302* English IV AP UTRGV Engl 2321* Humanities	Algebra I PAP Geometry PAP Algebra II PAP Pre-Calculus PAP Calculus AP Statistics AP	Biology PAP Chemistry PAP Physics PAP Biology AP Physics AP	World Geography PAP World History PAP/AP US History AP UTRGV Hist 1301* UTRGV Hist 1302* Government UTRGV POLS 2301* Economics UTRGV ECON 2301*
Business	Education	Technology	Foreign Language
Principles of Business Money Matters Accounting I Business Information Management Banking and Finance Global Business Business Management Accounting II Business Law Practicum in Business Management**	Principles of Education Training Principles of Human Services Human Growth and Development Business Information Management Instructional Practice in Ed Training** Family and Community Service Child Development Practicum in Ed & Training** Child Guidance Nutrition & Lifetime Wellness	Principles of Information Technology PLTW Intro to Engineering & Design Business Information Management Computer Science PAP Digital and Interactive Media PLTW Digital Electronics PLTW Principles of Engineering Computer Maintenance Computer Science AP Web Technology Animation PLTW Engineering Design Development Web Design Research in IT Solutions**	Spanish I Monolingual PAP Spanish I Bilingual PAP Spanish II Monolingual PAP Spanish II Bilingual PAP Spanish III AP Spanish III Monolingual PAP Spanish IV AP Chinese I Chinese II
Physical Education	Fine Arts	Electives	Endorsements
Individual/Team Sports Aerobic Activity	Art I, II Theatre I, II Band I, II, III, IV Choir I, II, III, IV Marachi I, II, III, IV UTRGV Arts 1301*	Journalism I, II Photojournalism I, II Newspaper I, II Yearbook I, II Research & Technical Writing SAT/ACT Prep	BETA offers all 5 endorsements: STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, & Math), Business & Industry, Arts & Humanities, Public Services, and Multi-Disciplinary Studies

STISD Requirements: English, Math, Science, and Social Studies classes are required each of the four years. (Ex. Algebra 1 taken in junior high will require advanced Math, such as Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Statistics, etc. in the 4th year).

Campus Information: Once all course requirements and offerings are met, students will be allowed to choose from other track courses, or other electives, or independent study courses.

Other Electives: Sociology/Psychology Reading 1 or 2, Math Models, Health, Creative Technical Writing, Dollars & Sense, Communication App, American Sign Language, Chemistry AP, Stats & Risk Mgt., Environmental Systems

Other CTE Electives: Touch System Data Entry, E-Commerce, Revenue Taxation & Regulation, Human Res Mgmt, Securities & Investment, Financial Analysis, Principles of Arts, A/V Technology & Communication, Education Law, Principles of Engineering (PLTW), Virtual Business, Computer Science 3

*Pending acceptance to UTRGV Dual Enrollment

**Pending selection to practicum internships

