

# Business, Education & Technology Academy

South Texas Independent School District

## '2015-2016 Internship Prospectus

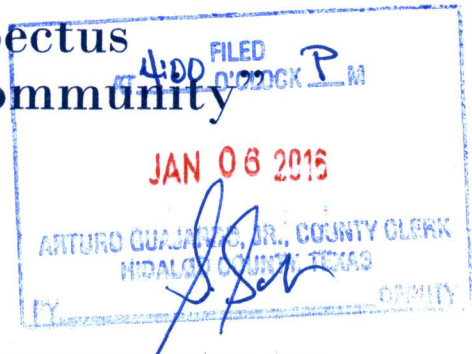
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- Resourceful**
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- Skillful**
- Loyal**
- Integrity**
- Innovative**
- Conscientious**
- Self-Motivated**
- Knowledgeable**
- Self-Less Service**

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December 11, 2015, 2015

Julia Benitez Sullivan, Director  
Hilda Salinas, Specialist  
Hidalgo County Public Affairs Office  
Office of Honorable County Judge Ramon García  
Volunteer Student Internship Program  
Edinburg, TX 78539

RE: BETA Interns: Israel Peña, Purchasing Department  
Jevon Harding, Environmental Division  
Sam Campbell, Law Assistant to Court Coordinator & Judge Homer Garza  
Edgar Centeno, County Clerk's Office

Dear Ms. Sullivan:

At South Texas Business Education & Technology Academy (BETA), we strive to provide relevant real life experiences for our 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 create hands-on experiences for our students.

Our goal is to place senior level intern 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 and facilitate understanding of sound business and technology practices.

BETA works synergistically with our Advisory Committee which is comprised of business professionals who are committed to enriching curriculum through real world experiences. Together, we keep abreast of current trends and technological advances within the business community that reflect trends in our academic career-tracks.

Our business track currently includes rigorous courses in business principles, banking I& finance, management, business law, virtual business and accounting. Our technology track includes rigorous courses in digital graphics and animation, web technology, and computer science.

We truly appreciate the internship-placement of our student, **Israel, Jevon, Sam and Edgar** with our County Government Offices. This career-training will be a strong educational investment, as well as, a strong opportunity to be build credentials for both their resumes and scholarship opportunities. On behalf of South Texas BETA, thank you for your time and consideration of our program.

Sincerely,

  
Dr. Nora Casarez, Principal



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**S.T.I.S.D. Administration:**

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



**B.E.T.A. Administration:**

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



Mr. Aaron Garza, CTE Campus Coordinator, Business Track Advisor  
Mrs. Monica Longoria, Technology Internship Coordinator  
Ms. Nashla Showery~Stowe, M.Ed., MS., Business Internship Coordinator



**COMMUNITY MENTORS**

Mr. Rick and Laurie Ruiz, "Ruiz & Oliver Print - Advertising" Edinburg, TX  
Mr. Richard A. Garza, Broker, Owner: BIC Real Estate Investments, Edinburg, TX



**"2015-'2016-BETA COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS**

**BOBBY GARCIA LAW FIRM  
BIC REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS  
AFFINITYWEAR PRINT ADVERTISING  
UTRGV IT TECHNOLOGY DIVISION  
EXPRESS PRINTING OF EDINBURG  
HIDALGO COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE  
DOCTORS HOSPITAL AT RENAISSANCE  
HIDALGO COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE  
HIDALGO COUNTY PURCHASING DIVISION  
HIDALGO COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL DIVISION  
UTRGV MARKETING & CREATIVE SERVICES  
IT MAINTENANCE STPA & BETA CAMPUSES  
[TEA] REGION I HUMAN RESOURCE DEPARTMENT  
HIDALGO COUNTY PROBATE COURT: JUDGE HECTOR GARZA**

**EDINBURG CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (VOLUNTEER TRAINING)  
HISPANIC CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (VOLUNTEER TRAINING)**



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### **STUDENT INTERNSHIP ASSURANCE FOR 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 job 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.
- 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.

## BETA Internship Student Agreement

- Student must be a senior. Students must abide by the uniform dress code
- Additions and withdrawals will only be allowed during the first ten days of the school year.
- Student must be highly motivated and focused on career and educational goals.
- Internship hours may not be used for volunteer hours.
- Written permission from parents will be required in order for students to participate in the internship program.
- Paid internships will not be allowed.
- Student will work with mentors of the interning firm to develop projects and make contributions that are of value to the interning firm.
- Students will not displace regular employees, but they will intern **under** close supervision of an employee as designated by management.
- 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. Students must report to class each site-day at 8:20 a.m.
- The job site will be designated by the school; interviews will be required by the interning firm.
- Student will receive a 2-credit class grade for the internship. (1) Academic (1) Internship
- Student will be evaluated at the job site twice a month. A system of evaluation will be established to assess students' performance. Academic grades are averaged with final grade submissions.
- Student must adhere to the school dress code policy and student code of conduct. Student will be required to dress in business casual attire.
- **The use of cell phones at the site is strictly prohibited. If reported by mentor, withdrawal may occur.**
- Upon the request of the business, a student who does not meet the required standards will be removed from their site assignment.
- Students involved in other school extra- curricular activities during Academic Mentoring: 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. (8/27/2013)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature                      Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature                      Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Teacher Signature                      Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Administrator Signature                      Date



## Internship Objectives

- The student will learn to communicate effectively with professionals in the Business and Technological work environment.
- The student will be exposed to the business culture and dynamics within a professional organization.
- The student will gain practical real world experience in a professional job environment.
- The student will establish long-term professional relationships through networking.
- The student will incorporate their professional experience in college application essays.

## Business & Technology Internship Operating Standards Guide

During the internship process we hope that our students will be exposed to the components that make a success in both business and technology standards. Below, we offer a guide to help you structure our students' experience. This is only a guide and together we can customize the standards to your type of business.

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



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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<br>Expectations | Satisfactory | Needs<br>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  |             |                       |              |                      |
| 12. Accepts Constructive Guidance positively for improvement.           |             |                       |              |                      |

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Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Business/IT /Sponsor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_



## **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 will 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 will have liability insurance and will provide evidence of renewal yearly.
- d. BETA will evaluate and counsel students with regards to performance.
- e. BETA will assume responsibility for administrative functions related to students, attendance, and evaluation sheets.
- f. BETA instructors and students will be subject to all rules and regulations pertaining regular employees of the Affiliate.



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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.

Marla M Guerra <sup>12-17-15</sup> Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dr. Marla Guerra, S.T.I.S.D. Superintendent

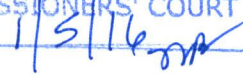
Nora V Casarez Date: 12-17-15  
Dr. Nora V. Casarez, BETA Principal

\*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.

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**THE COUNTY OF HIDALGO, TEXAS**

Ramon Garcia  
Ramon Garcia, County Judge

APPROVED BY  
COMMISSIONERS' COURT  
ON: 1/5/16 

**ATTEST**

Arturo Guajardo, Jr.  
Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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

By: Josephine Ramirez Solis  
Josephine Ramirez Solis  
Assistant District Attorney



Dallas, Texas

Administrative Office: 399 Park Avenue, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, NY 10022

**ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGE RIDER #1**

This Rider is attached to and made a part of Policy Number BAP 272369 issued to South Texas Independent School District (the Policyholder).

Effective September 1, 2015, the Policy is renewed as follows:

**POLICY TERM:** September 1, 2015 – September 1, 2016

**PREMIUM RATES:** \$720.00

In all other respects, the Policy remains the same.

Signed for the Company:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading 'Nehemiah E. Ginsburg'.

Nehemiah E. Ginsburg, General Counsel

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading 'Charles H. Dangelo'.

Charles H. Dangelo, President

# SOUTH TEXAS ISD 2015-2016 CALENDAR

## A DAYS

| July 2015 |    |    |    |    |    |    | August 2015 |    |    |    |    |    |    | September 2015 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 19        | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 16          | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 20             | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 26        | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |    | 23          | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 27             | 28 | 29 | 30 |    |    |    |
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| October 2015 |    |    |    |    |    |    | November 2015 |    |    |    |    |    |    | December 2015 |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |
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| Holidays                           | First Day of Instruction                      | August 24 | Staff Development (4)                        |
|------------------------------------|---|-----------|--|
| September 7            Labor Day   | Last Day of Instruction                       | June 2    | August 17, 18, 19, 20                        |
| October 12            Columbus Day | Grade Reporting Periods End                   |           | Staff Preparation (3)                        |
| November 25-27    Thanksgiving     | October 16            March 11                |           | August 21                                    |
| Dec. 21-Jan. 1      Christmas      | December 18        June 2                     |           | January 4                                    |
| February 15        President's Day | Exam Release Days                             |           | June 3                                       |
| March 14-18        Spring Break    | December 15, 16, 17, 18                       |           | New Teacher Induction (2)                    |
| March 25            Easter Break   | May 30, 31, June 1, 2                         |           | August 13, 14                                |
| April 25            Stress Day     | Monthly Payday                                |           | Credit by Exam Test Dates                    |
|                                    | July 23            Nov. 24            Mar. 24 |           | Aug. 11-13; Nov. 17-19; Feb. 23-25; June 7-9 |
| Weather Make-Up Days (2)           | Aug. 25            Dec. 18            Apr. 22 |           | 226 Non-Contract Days                        |
| February 15                        | Sep. 25            Jan. 25            May 25  |           | July 1-10, 2015 and June 24-30, 2016         |
| March 25                           | Oct. 23            Feb. 25            June 23 |           | State Student Assessment Days                |

| January 2016 |    |    |    |    |    |    | February 2016 |    |    |    |    |    |    | March 2016 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| 31           |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |            |    |    |    |    |    |    |

| April 2016 |    |    |    |    |    |    | May 2016 |    |    |    |    |    |    | June 2016 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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The first semester has 80 instructional days and the second semester has 100 instructional days (180 total). South Texas ISD Board approved on March 24, 2015.



**South Texas Business Education and Technology Academy (BETA)  
Four-Year Course Sequence 2015 - 2016**

| <b>9<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>  | <b>10<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>  | <b>11<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>   | <b>12<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>   |
|--|---|--|--|
| For 1 credit:<br>English I Pre- AP   | For 1 credit:<br>English II Pre-AP  | For 1 credit:<br>English III AP  | For 1 credit:<br>English IV AP   |
| For 1 credit:<br>Algebra I Pre-AP<br>Geometry Pre-AP<br>Algebra II Pre-AP  | For 1 credit:<br>Geometry Pre-AP<br>Algebra II Pre-AP<br>Pre-Calculus Pre-AP  | For 1 credit:<br>Algebra II Pre-AP<br>Pre-Calculus Pre-AP<br>Calculus I, II AP<br>Statistics AP  | For 1 credit:<br>Pre-Calculus P<br>Calculus I, II AP<br>Statistics AP<br>Statistic & Risk Mgmt.  |
| For 1 credit:<br>Biology Pre-AP<br>Chemistry Pre-AP<br>Integrated Physics &<br>Chemistry (IPC)   | For 1 credit:<br>Chemistry Pre-AP<br>Physics Pre-AP   | For 1 credit:<br>Physics Pre-AP<br>Chemistry II AP<br>Biology II AP<br>Physics II AP   | For 1 credit:<br>Biology II AP<br>Chemistry II AP<br>Physics II AP<br><b>Environmental Systems Pre-AP</b>  |
| For 1 credit:<br>World Geography Pre-AP  | For 1 credit:<br>World History Pre-AP<br>World History AP   | For 1 credit:<br>U.S. History AP   | For 1 credit:<br>Government AP ( ½ credit)<br>& Economics AP ( ½ credit)   |
| For 1 credit:<br>Spanish I Pre-AP<br>Spanish II Pre-AP<br>Spanish III – AP/D   | For 1 credit:<br>Spanish II, Spanish III,<br>Spanish III AP Language  | For 1 credit:<br>Spanish III<br>Spanish III AP Language  | For 1 credit:<br>Spanish III<br>Spanish III AP Language<br>Spanish IV AP Literature  |
| For 1 credit:<br>Fine Arts<br>(art, theater, music)  | For 1 credit:<br>Research/Technical Writing<br>( ½ credit)<br>Aerobic Activity ( ½ to 1credit)  | For 1 credit:<br>SAT/ACT ( ½ credit)<br>Team Sports ( ½ credit)  | For 1 credit:<br>Cross Track Elective Choice<br>Virtual Business/Other CTE Course  |
| <b>Business</b><br>Principles of Business<br>(1 credit)<br>and<br>Money Matters<br>(1 credit)  | <b>Business</b><br>Banking and Finance<br>(1/2 credit)<br>DIM<br>(1/2 credit)   | <b>Business</b><br>Accounting 1 (1 credit)<br>Business Mgmt. (1 credit)  | <b>Business</b><br>Practicum in Bus Mgmt.<br>(2 credits)<br>Accounting 2<br>(1 credit)<br>Business Law<br>(1 credit)   |
| <b>Education</b><br>Principles of Education &<br>Training<br>(1 credit)<br>and<br>Principles of Human Services<br>(1 credit)   | <b>Education</b><br>Business Information<br>Management<br>(1 credit)<br>Human Growth and Dev.<br>(1 credit)   | <b>Education</b><br>Instructional Practice in<br>Ed & Training<br>(2 credit)<br>Child Development<br>(1 credit)<br>Family /Community Services<br>(1 credit)  | <b>Education</b><br>Practicum in Education<br>(2 credits)<br>Nutrition & Lifetime Wellness (1 credit)<br>Child Development (1 credit)<br>Child Guidance (2 credits)  |
| <b>Technology</b><br><b>Introduction to Engineering<br/>Design (PLTW)</b><br>(1 credit)<br>and<br>Principles of Information<br>Technology<br>(1 credit)  | <b>Technology</b><br>Computer Science Pre-AP<br>(1 credit)<br>Digital and Interactive Media<br>(1 credit)   | <b>Technology</b><br>Computer Science AP<br>(1 credit)<br>Computer Maintenance<br>(2 credits)<br>Web Technologies<br>(1 credit)<br><b>Robotics 1</b> (1 credit)<br>Web Design (1 credit)   | <b>Technology</b><br>Computer Science 3 (1 credit)<br>Research in IT Solutions or<br>IT Practicum (2 -3 credits)<br>Animation 1 (2 credits)<br>Web Design (1 credit)   |
| <b>STISD Requirements:</b><br>English, Math, Science, and<br>Social Studies classes are<br>required each of the four<br>years. (Ex. Algebra 1 taken<br>in junior high will require<br>advance Math, such as Pre-<br>Calculus, Calculus, Statistics,<br>etc. in the 4 <sup>th</sup> year).<br><br><b>Campus Information:</b><br>Once all course requirements<br>and offerings are met,<br>students will be allowed to<br>choose from other track<br>courses, or other electives, or<br>independent study courses. | <b>Graduation Plans:</b><br>Graduation plans will be<br>incumbent on new<br>endorsements set forth by<br>House Bill 5 and state exams,<br>such as STAAR-EOCs.<br><br><b>All 5 Endorsements offered<br/>at BETA:</b><br>STEM (Science, Technology,<br>Engineering, & Math), Business<br>& Industry, Arts & Humanities,<br>Public Services, and Multi-<br>Disciplinary Studies. | <b>Other CTE Electives:</b><br>Journalism – (1 credit)<br>Jour. News 1, 2, or 3 (1 credit)<br>Jour. Yr. Bk. 1, 2 or 3 (1 credit)<br>Photojournalism (1 credit)<br>Touch System Data Entry (½ credit)<br>E-Commerce (1 credit)<br>Revenue Taxation & Regulation (½ -1 credit)<br>Human Res Mgmt. ( ½ -1 credit)<br>Securities & Investment ( ½ -1 credit)<br>Financial Analysis (1 credit)<br>Principles of Arts, A/V Technology &<br>Communication (1 credit)<br>Education Law ( ½ - 1 credit) | <b>Other Core Electives:</b><br>Sociology/Psychology (½ credit)<br>Reading 1 or 2 (1 credit)<br>Math Models (1 credit)<br>Research/Tech Writing (½ credit)<br>Mandarin Chinese I, II, or III (1 credit)<br>Humanities (1 credit)<br>Individual Sports /Health ( ½ credit)<br>Creative Technical Writing (1 credit)<br>Dollars & Sense ( ½ -1 credit)<br>Communication Applications ( ½ credit) |