

Region One ESC GEAR UP

Master's Program Leadership Meeting

June 2019



“Continuing the Legacy of Excellence”

Welcome!



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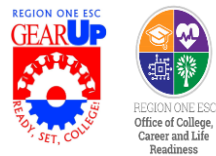
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Goal:

Create a college and career culture that enhances academic performance for ALL students, including sub-groups, so they excel in high school and succeed in college and beyond.

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Create ECHS communities of highly-effective learners through the delivery of effective strategies that ensure ALL students are not only college ready but also graduate from college.



Objectives:

- ★ Increase academic performance and adequately prepare students for post-secondary education;
- ★ Increase the rate of high school graduation and participation in post-secondary education through a systemic transformation of schools;
- ★ Increase students' educational expectations and students' and families' knowledge about post-secondary education, options, preparation, and financing;
- ★ Increase students' and families' knowledge and skills, including STEM-Computer Science skills and prepare them to be informed, thoughtful, and productive citizens.

Participating School Districts

17 school districts | 25 middle schools | 17 high schools

- Donna ISD
- Jim Hogg County ISD
- La Feria ISD
- Lasara ISD
- La Joya ISD
- Los Fresnos CISD
- McAllen ISD
- Mercedes ISD
- Mission CISD
- Point Isabel ISD
- Rio Grande City CISD
- Rio Hondo ISD
- Roma ISD
- San Benito CISD
- Santa Maria ISD
- Santa Rosa ISD
- Zapata County ISD

Participating School Districts

12 school districts | 30 middle schools | 18 high schools

- Edcouch-Elsa ISD
- Edinburg CISD
- Harlingen CISD
- Hidalgo ISD
- La Villa ISD
- Progreso ISD
- Laredo ISD
- Monte Alto ISD
- Pharr-San Juan-Alamo ISD
- Raymondville ISD
- United ISD
- Weslaco ISD

Agenda

Welcome / Introductions

Master's Program Overview

IHE Presentations

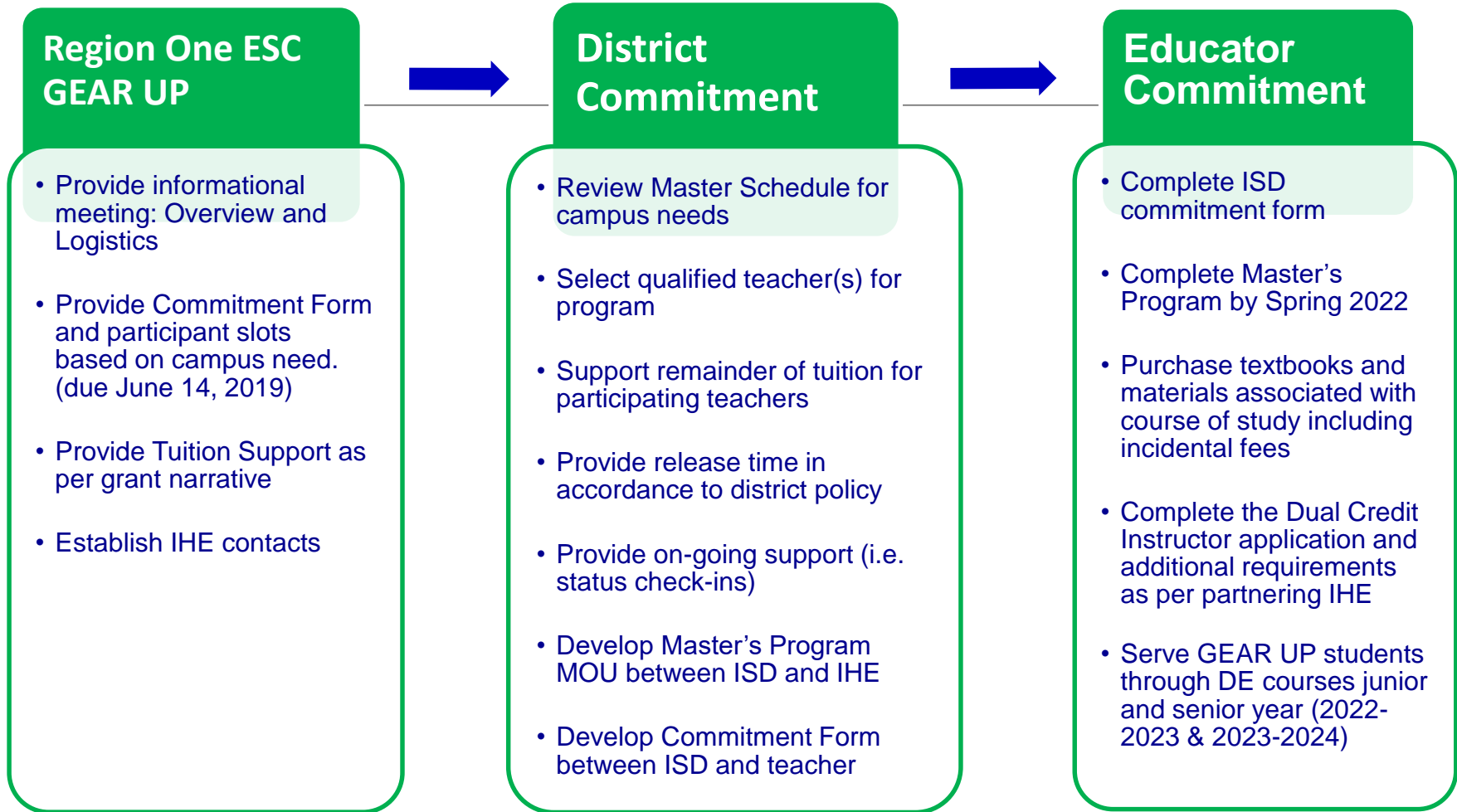
Closure / Questions

Goal

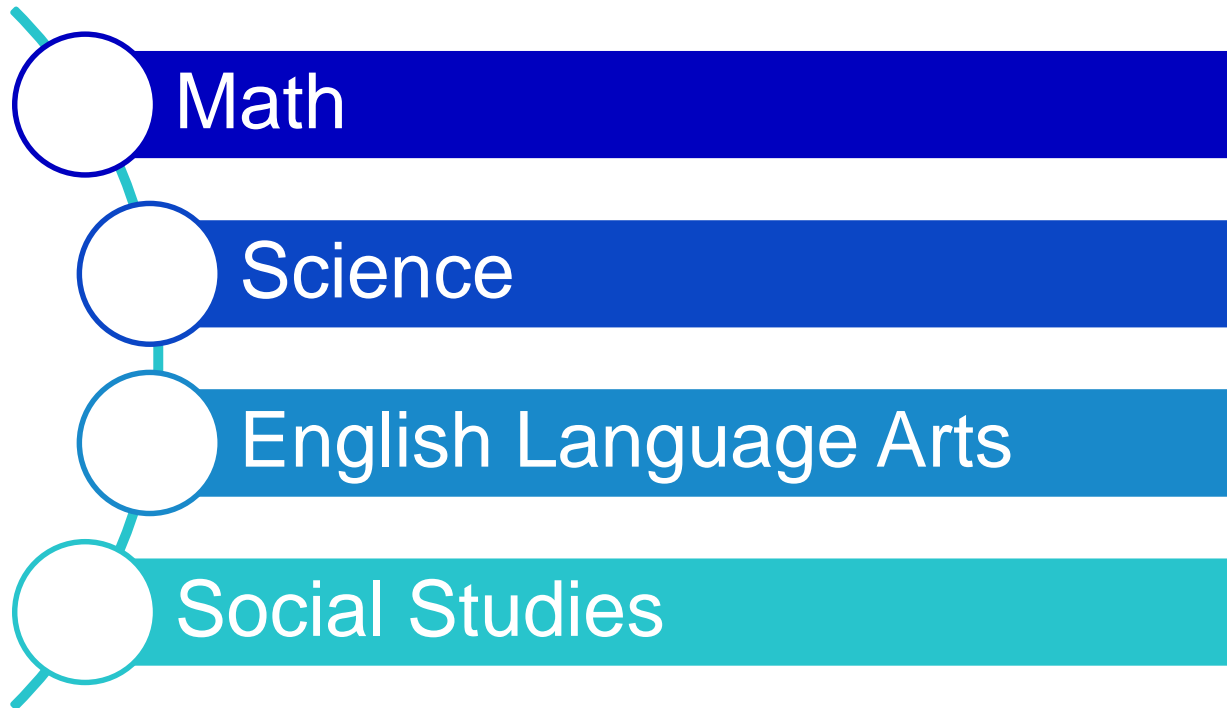
Develop highly qualified instructors to teach rigorous courses including Dual Credit to GEAR UP students from the Fall of 2022 to the Spring of 2024.



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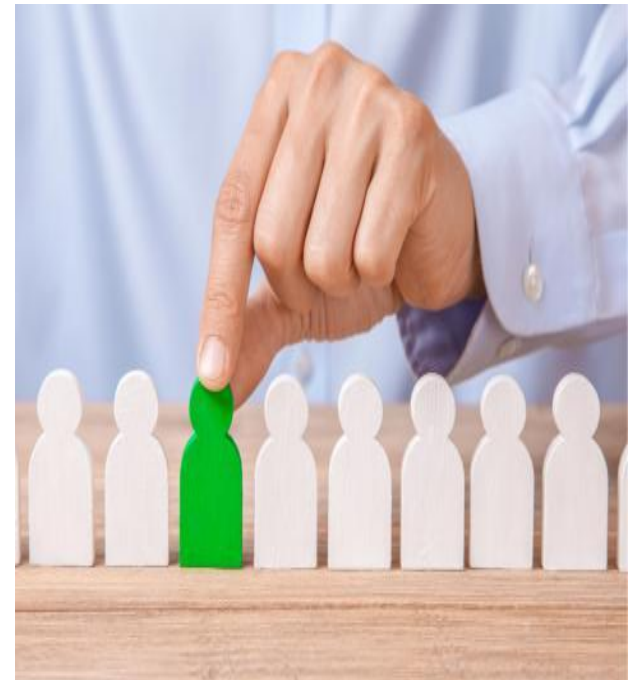


Graduate Programs



Participation

- Campus Need
- Commitment Forms
 - District & Region One
 - District & IHE - MOU
 - District & Teacher
- Teacher Selection
 - Superintendent / HS Principal



Tuition Support



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Forms

Commitment Letter

In-Kind Documentation

Memorandum of Understanding

Table Talk





TIME FOR A BREAK

IHE Presentations



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SOUTH TEXAS
COLLEGE

Texas Graduate Center



Dr. Mary Alice Reyes, CEO

Graduate Program: Math

Institution of Higher Education: Harvard University

Spring 2020

Questions



Pathfinders Academy



June 12-14, 2019

8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Region One ESC

1900 W. Schunior, Edinburg, TX

Fee: \$600

Workshop # 110555

Register at www.esc1.net/staffdevelopment

Thank You!

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