

Would you like to refer your student for G/T services? Advanced Academics will accept Referrals for G/T Services, for current K-12 Pearland ISD students, during the following time frame:

SEPTEMBER 1, 2021 – SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

How can I refer my student?

Complete and submit the 2022 Referral for G/T Services in Skyward. The form will be available on September 1, 2021 through September 30, 2021. Late referrals will not be accepted for students who are enrolled prior to September 30, 2021. Students who enroll in Pearland ISD after the September 30, 2021 referral deadline should contact Advanced Academics about referring for G/T services.

Who can refer a student?

Parents, family members, community members, & Pearland ISD teachers and staff may refer a student for G/T services. If you do not have Skyward access for the student you would like to refer, please contact the student's grade level Specialist with Advanced Academics for assistance.

Can you please explain the assessment process?

A complete review of student data will begin in the fall. Data reviewed may include, but is not limited to, benchmarks, STAAR, previous ability or achievement assessment scores, qualitative data, or district screener data. If it is determined formal ability and/or achievement testing is required, the grade level specialist will schedule this. Formal assessment may take place at the ESC or designated campus on Saturdays or outside the instructional day. If so, parents will receive an email indicating their assigned assessment date/time. Parents are responsible for transportation to/from testing. For information specific to your student's grade level, please contact the appropriate grade level specialist. The process of data review and assessment begins in October and continues through June.

When will I receive information on placement decisions?

Results will be postmarked by the following dates:

4th grade: December 17, 2021

Kindergarten: March 1, 2022

9th – 12th grades: December 17, 2021

1st – 3rd grades: August 1, 2022

5th – 8th grades: February 1, 2022

Questions?

If you have additional questions, please feel free to contact the grade level Specialists in Advanced Academics:

K-4th Grade: Dr. Heather Block, blockh@pearlandisd.org

5th-8th Grade: Michael Harris, harrism@pearlandisd.org or Noel Chang, changn@pearlandisd.org

9th-12th Grade: Corey Cogswell, cogswellc@pearlandisd.org or Christina Pair, pairc@pearlandisd.org

****This timeline is subject to change and adjustments may be made during the school year as needed****

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