FOR STUDENTS NOT ZONED TO BELLAIRE HIGH SCHOOL & SEEKING A TRANSFER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE IB PROGRAM

When: Applications are available online from December 2022 - February 2023
Where: HISDchoice.com/login

**All transfer applications are required to go through the HISD online system**

What to do:
- Complete the online application at HISDchoice.com/login
  - Login
  - Under Magnet & Program Choice Transfers select IB
  - Under School Selection select Bellaire High School IB
- Under Transfer Documents
  - Provide the Required documents. All documents should be uploaded as a single file under Campus Specific Upload
  - 8th grade report card through the end of the Fall semester with final grades,
  - PSAT College Readiness scores or Stanford or IOWA or ISEE scores from 8th grade,
- Incomplete applications will not be considered. Separate documents sent by email cannot accepted.
- Applications must be submitted by the district phase 1 deadline to be considered in the lottery.
- Applicants to the Bellaire IB program must meet qualification requirements before being eligible for the lottery.

Next:
- All applications will be qualified based on scores provided. Incomplete records cannot be evaluated.
- Applications submitted in Phase 2 rounds will be considered only if space transfer spots are available.
- Phase 2 submissions are due by the HISD established deadline.
- Offers for a seat in the Bellaire IB Program will be sent by email.
- Acceptance of a transfer or zoned seat is contractually bound to complete the IB Diploma program and the prerequisite courses.
- If accepted, parent and student must attend an IB overview session, school enrollment and course selection meeting in April and the orientation meeting in August during the 2 weeks prior to the start of school.

Important note:
- IB is not part of the HISD/BHS Magnet program. Applications, documents and related materials are not interchangeable between programs. Each program requires their own application.
- The Bellaire IB program begins as a preIB program in 9th & 10th grade in order to satisfy prerequisite and graduation required classes.
- Bellaire is a Diploma only program. We do not examine for course certificates. All students are expected to complete all of the IB components of the diploma program including the extended essay, CAS, and TOK.
- All 9th grade applicants must have completed Algebra 1 prior to 9th grade. For information regarding IB course offerings and the Bellaire IB program, please review the information at: http://bit.ly/bellaireIB

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