

## WRITTEN ADMISSION AND

## **ENROLLMENT APPLICATION POLICY**

Wheatley Pathways in Technology Early College High School (P-TECH) is an open- enrollment program that provides students grade 9 through 12 the opportunity to complete a course of study that combines high school and post-secondary courses with work-based education.

## **Program Provides:**

- Within four years, a high school diploma, an associate degree, a twoyear post-secondary certificate or industry certification, and complete work-based training tuition-free
- Work experience through an internship, apprenticeship, or other job training programs
- Partnership with Houston Community College (HCC) and regional businesses and industries
- College classes during the day on Wheatley High School campus with HCC professors
- College support services including college advising, career counseling, free tutoring, use of facilities and participate in events for free.

## **Program Eligibility:**

- We are looking for incoming 9th grade students start of the Fall school year
- Students are not required to meet college readiness standards to enroll in the courses but will be required to meet the standards before enrolling in the HCC academic courses that are a part of the Associate of Arts degree.
- Students who would benefit from accelerated academic instruction
- Students who are at-risk of not completing high school or pursuing higher education
- Students who are under-served in higher education
- Students who have the ability to make mature, responsible, independent, and productive choices that contribute to success and growth