HISD Alternative Certification Program

BECOME AN HISD TEACHER!

The HISD Alternative Certification Program is a one year program dedicated to recruiting individuals from diverse educational and career backgrounds, who are passionate about students, teaching, and learning.

WHY CHOOSE HISD ACP?
- Blended learning approach
- The only ACP with Classroom Management and Culture Specialists
- Interview support
- Job placement support
- Competitive fee structure

DO I QUALIFY?
- Conferring four-year degree from an accredited college or university, with a minimum of a 2.5 GPA (degrees awarded from foreign universities must have a foreign transcript evaluation)
- Eligible to legally work in the United States

WHAT’S THE COST?

**Program Fees:**
- Application Fee $35.00
- Summer Pre-Service Training & Technology fee - $635.00
- Program Fee $4400.00
(The Program fee is deducted from your pay check over the course of 20 pay periods.)

**ADDITIONAL STATE OF TEXAS FEES:**
- Intern Certificate Fee: $78.00 (due upon hire)
- Fingerprints and Processing Fees: $50.25 (due upon hire)
- TExES Core Content Exam, PPR Exam, ESL Exam: $116.00 per test
- Standard Certificate: $78.00 (upon successful program completion)

**DISTRICT FEES:**
- TEA Beginning Teacher Fee: $600.00
(All 1st year ACP interns will pay the fee above over the course of 20 pay periods.)

**APPLICATION WINDOWS:**
August 12th, 2019 – March 13th, 2020

Apply today at www.houstonisd.org/careers, JobID:67249 or Click Here!

SELECTION PROCESS

Phase 1
Complete Online Application

Phase 2
Application Review

Phase 3
Certification Exam(s) Passed

Phase 4
Interview Passed

Phase 5
Officially Accepted into Program

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