

HISD MEDIA ADVISORY

HISD to honor top six JROTC cadets at annual final review and awards ceremony

WHAT: HISD's Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) program will honor its top cadets from the Class of 2019 on April 27 at the Annual HISD JROTC Final Review and Awards Ceremony.

The top six cadets were named earlier this month. All are promoted to the rank of cadet colonel, which is the highest rank in the program. The top seniors were chosen from among all graduating seniors in HISD's 23 high school JROTC programs.

Prior to the selection board, cadets received points based upon their scholastic standing, leadership skills, and participation in extracurricular activities. Cadets were awarded points for their proficiency on a JROTC curricular-based skills test, an oral presentation, a personal evaluation consisting of military courtesy, knowledge of current events, appearance, knowledge of geography, and an evaluation of first-aid techniques such as lifesaving techniques.

WHO: HISD leaders, JROTC students and their families

WHEN: Saturday, April 27
10 a.m.

WHERE: Joe Kelly Butler Sports Complex (Indoor Field House), 13755 Main Street, 77085

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