

# HISD MEDIA ADVISORY

## HISD leaders to announce 2018-2019 state accountability results

**WHAT:** The Texas Education Agency will release the state accountability ratings for HISD for the 2018-2019 academic year. For the first time, all HISD schools will receive a letter grade under the state's new A-F rating system, which was implemented in 2018. HISD as a district will also receive a grade. HISD leaders will announce the campus and district ratings.

Under the A-F system, campuses must receive a grade of "D" or better in order to meet state accountability standards.

The news conference will be broadcast live online at [www.hisd.tv](http://www.hisd.tv) and on HISD TV (Xfinity channel 18 or AT&T U-verse Channel 99).

**WHO:** HISD Board of Education Trustees, HISD Interim Superintendent **Grenita Lathan**, Houston Mayor **Sylvester Turner**, Congresswoman **Sheila Jackson Lee**, Senator **Borris Miles**, Representative **Harold Dutton**, Representative **Senfronia Thompson**, elected officials, Kashmere High School Principal **Reginald Bush**, Kashmere Feeder Pattern Community Council Chair **Kenneth Williams** (Class of '69), Kashmere alumni, HISD administrators and other community leaders.

**WHEN:** Thursday, August 15  
11:30 a.m.

**WHERE:** Kashmere High School  
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