

# Belonging and Becoming: The Power of Social and Emotional Learning in High Schools

## Quest ECHS

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## Who We Are

- Stand Alone Not @ IHE located in Humble ISD
- Located in suburban area of northeast Houston
- Campus size: 418 with grades 9-12
- IHE Partner: Lone Star College - Kingwood, located 7 miles from our campus





# Our Family Album



# Benchmark 4 – Curriculum and Support

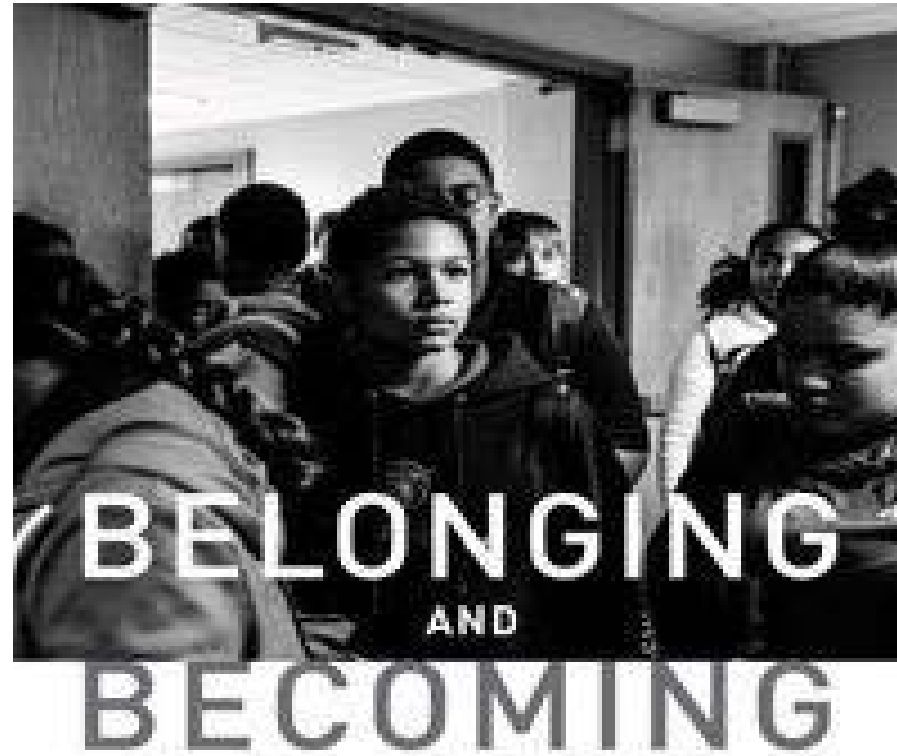
Because of our dedication to Benchmark 4, our students have achieved the following:

- **100%** passing STAAR EOC exams in Algebra, Biology, and U.S. History, **97%** English 1, and **99%** English 2
- **100%** graduated high school
- **88%** graduated Lone Star College with AA degrees
- Over **\$3 million** in scholarships earned for Class of 2016 — 81 students

## Benchmark 4 – Curriculum and Support

“The ECHS shall provide a rigorous course of study that enables a participating student to receive a high school diploma and complete the THECB core curriculum or an associate’s degree or at least 60 credit hours toward a baccalaureate degree during grades 9-12. **The ECHS shall provide students with academic, social, and emotional support in their course of study.”**

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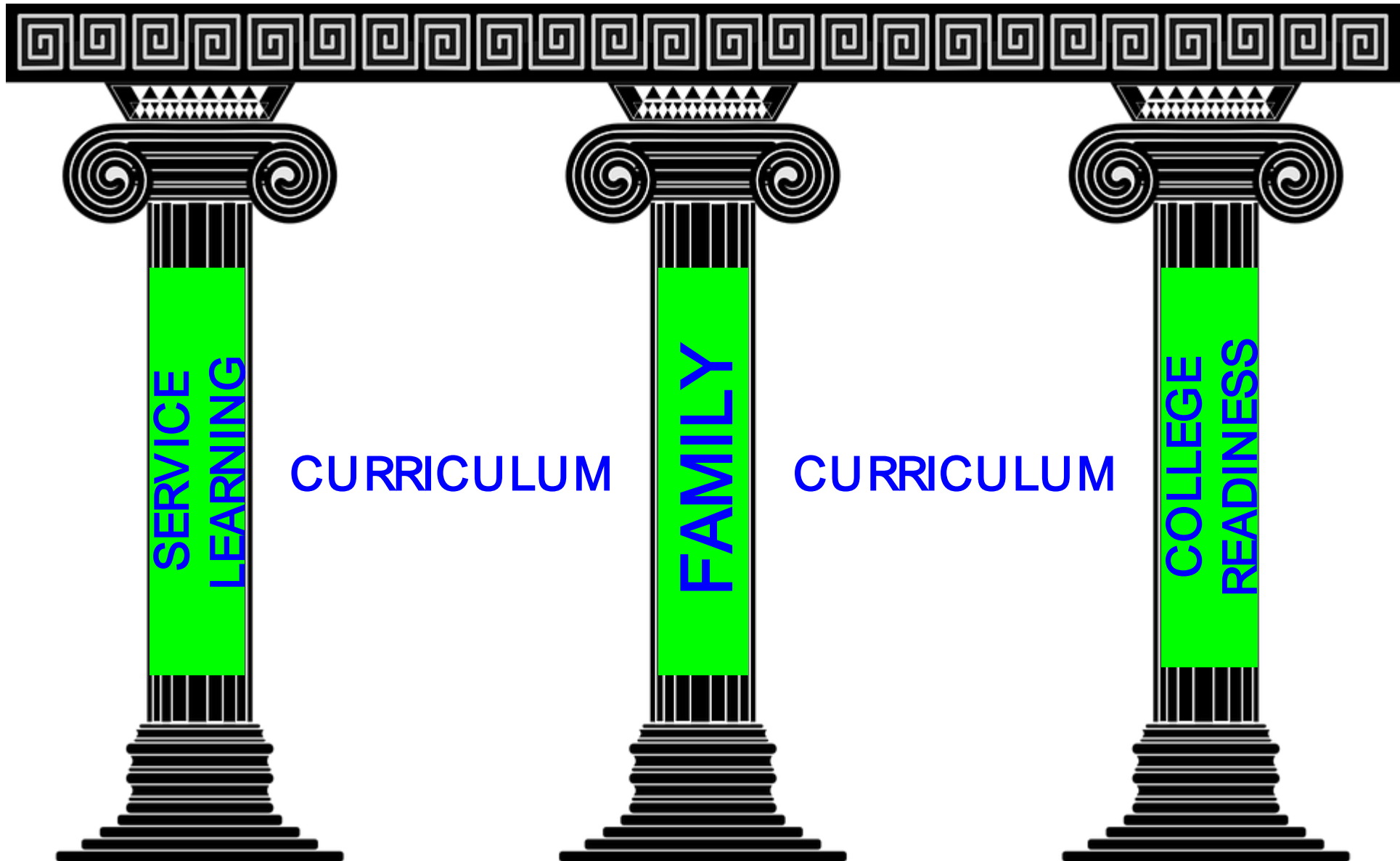


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# QUEST EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL



CURRICULUM

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# Let's Hear From Our Students...

## Who I've Become





# Family

## That's Me!



# The ECHS Course Walk

9th Grade		
QECHS	LSCK	Credits
Pre-AP English 1		1
Pre-AP Algebra 1 or PAP Geometry 1		1
PAP IPC or PAP Chemistry		1
PAP W. Geography		1
Spanish 1 or 2 Honors		1
AVID 1	EDUC 1300 (3)	1
Business Info. Management	COSC 1300 (3)	1
Phys. Ed.	PHED 1111 (1)	0.5
Service Learning A & B		0.5
<b>Total QECHS Credits</b>		<b>8</b>
<b>Average College Credits</b>		<b>4</b>

10th Grade		
QECHS	LSCK	Credits
Pre-AP English 2		1
PAP Geometry 1 or Pre-AP Algebra 2		1
Biology DC or PAP Chemistry	BIOL 1408 & 1409 (8)	1
U.S. History DC or PAP W. History	HIST 1301 & 1302 (6) or HIST 2322 (3)	1
Spanish 2 Honors		1
AVID 2		1
Fine Arts 1 A & B	DRAM 1311 (3)	1
Phys. Ed.	PHED 1111 (1) or 2111 (1)	0.5
Service Learning 10 A & B		0.5
Possible Electives		
Comm. Apps	SPCH 1311 (3)	0.5
Business Info. Management	COSC 1300 (3)	1
Spanish 3 DC	SPAN 2311 (3)	1
<b>Total QECHS Credits</b>		<b>7.5</b>
<b>Average College Credits</b>		<b>15</b>

11th Grade		
QECHS	LSCK	Credits
English 3 DC A & B	ENG 1301 & 1302 (6)	1
Pre-AP Algebra 2 or Pre-Cal DC	MATH 1314 & 1316 (3)	1
PAP Chemistry, Physics, Env. Science DC, Anatomy DC	BIOL 2401 ENVR 1401 (4)	1
Government 1	GOVT 2305 (3)	0.5
Economics		0.5
U.S. History DC	HIST 1301 & 1302 (6)	1
AVID 3		1
Phys. Ed.	PHED 2111 (1)	0.5
Service Learning 11 A & B		0.5
Possible Electives		
Comm. Apps	SPCH 1311 (3)	0.5
Humanities Elective	HUMA or SPAN 3	0.5-1
Spanish 3 DC	SPAN 2311 (3)	1
<b>Total QECHS Credits</b>		<b>7</b>
<b>Average College Credits</b>		<b>21</b>

12th Grade		
QECHS	LSCK	Credits
English Elective DC	ENG 2323 (3)	1
Pre-Cal DC or College Math	MATH 1314, 1316, & 2412 (3)	1
College Science	BIOL 2401 ENVR 1401 (4)	1
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Government 2	GOVT 2306 (3)	0.5
AVID 4		1
Phys. Ed.	PHED 2111 (1)	0.5
Service/Internship		0.5
Possible Electives		
Spanish 4 DC	SPAN 2312 (3)	1
Career Specific Dual	College Elective (3)	0.5
Elective (Soc./Behav. Science)	Elective (3)	0.5
Elective	Elective (3)	0.5
<b>Total QECHS Credits</b>		<b>7-8</b>
<b>Average College Credits</b>		<b>23</b>



# Student Supports

## BRIDGE CAMP

- 5 Days in early August
- 5 Rotations per day
- Students are assigned to Family at the end of the week

Before School

Tutoring

During School

Learning Lab

Flex Time

AVID Tutorials

After School

KIT Days

Lone Star College Tutoring Center

- At-Risk Intervention
- Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Quest Success Plans

# Service Learning

## SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAM

### QUICK FACTS

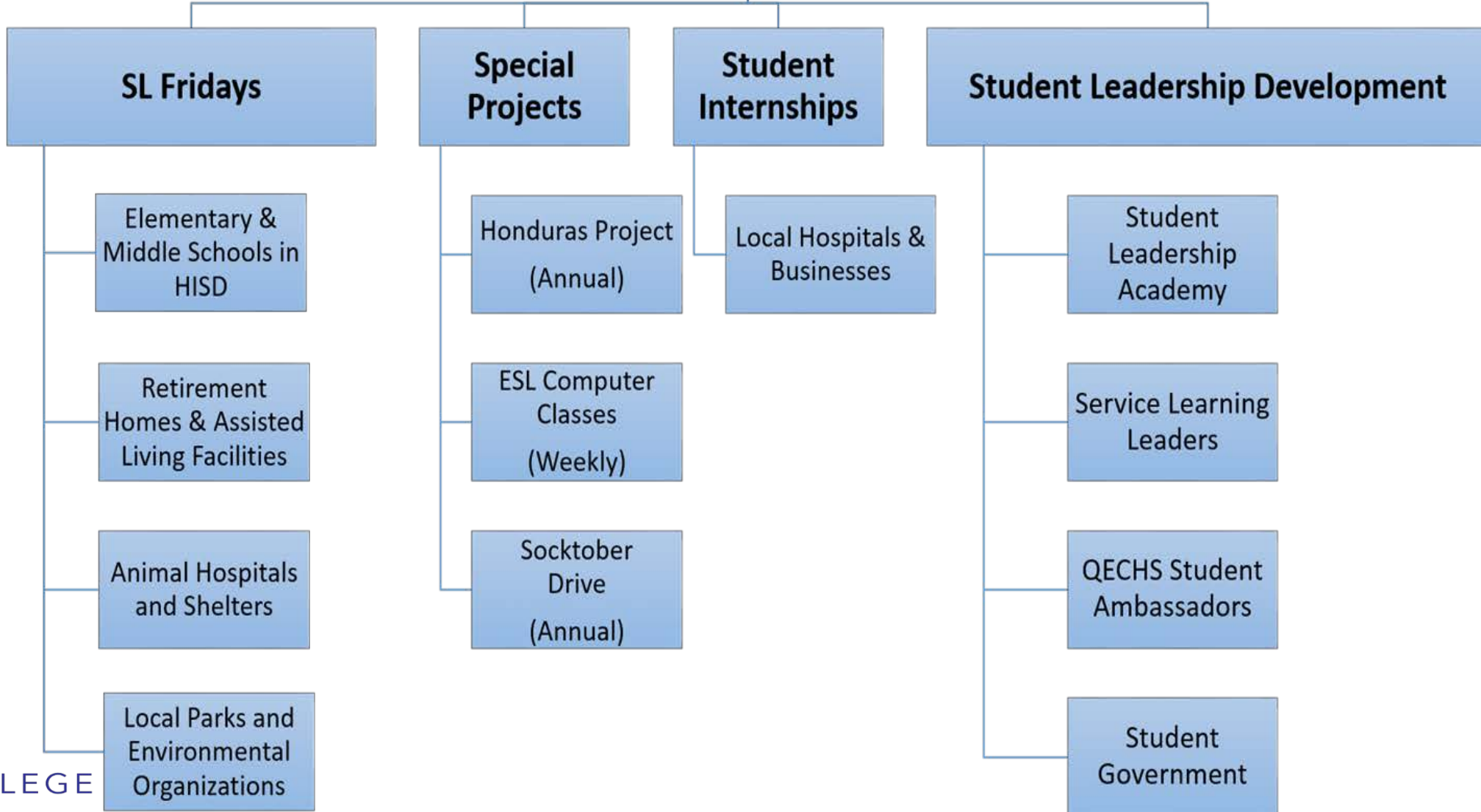
Number of Volunteer Sites: 41

Number of Volunteers Requested: 350

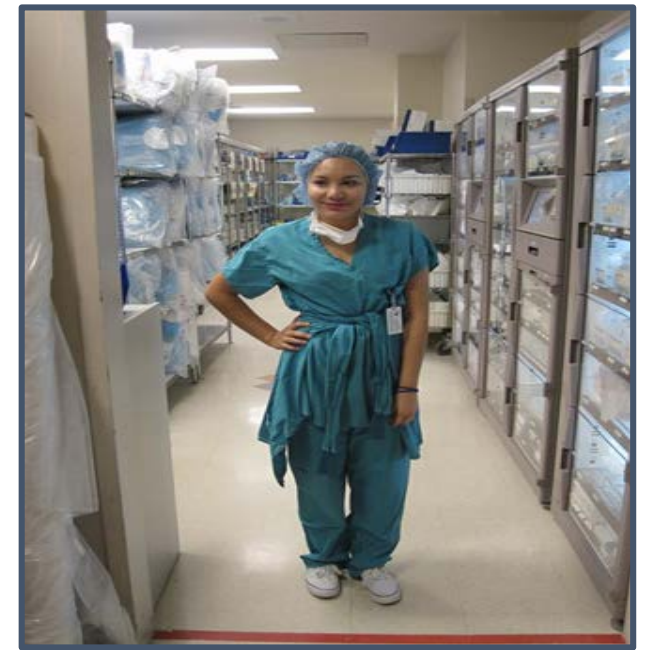
Number of Internship Sites: 20+

Estimated Volunteer Hours of QECHS Student Body: 21,000

Estimated Internship Hours of QECHS Student Body: 6,000



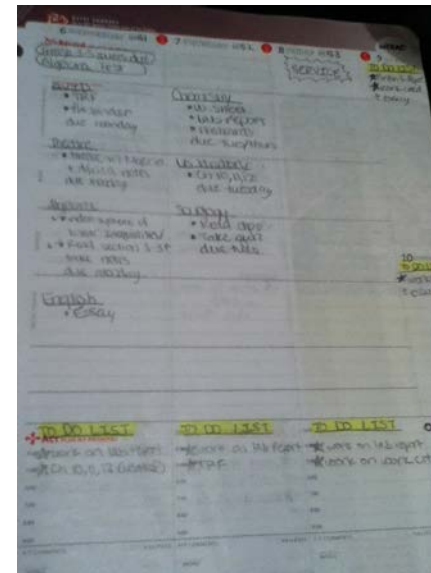
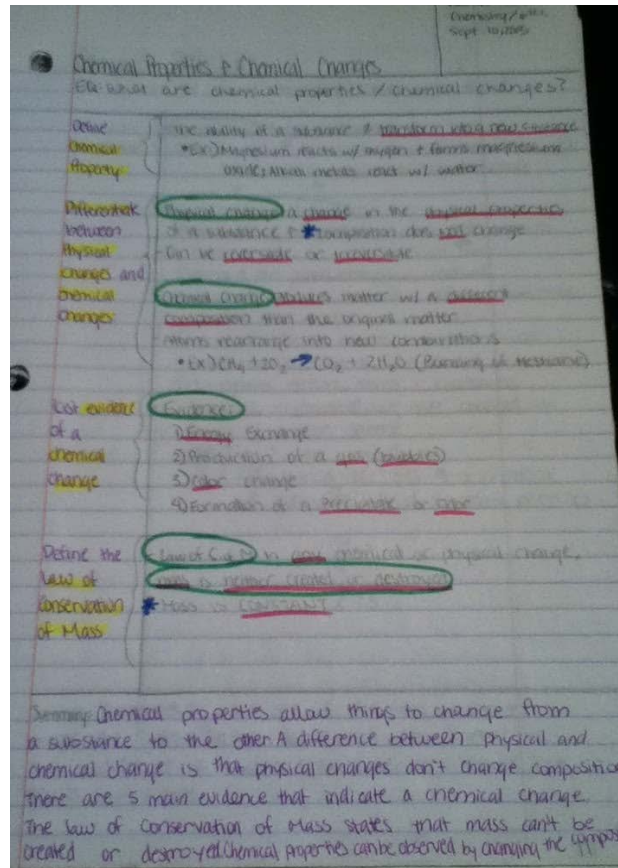
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# College Readiness

## Tutorials

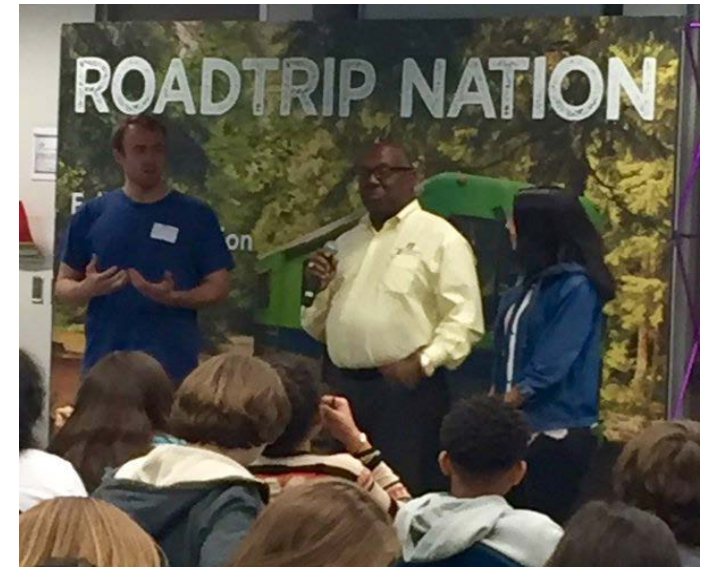


## Binder & Agenda

## Cornell Notes



# College Readiness Field Trips







At first, they'll ask you  
**why** you're doing it.  
Later, they'll ask you  
**how** you did it.





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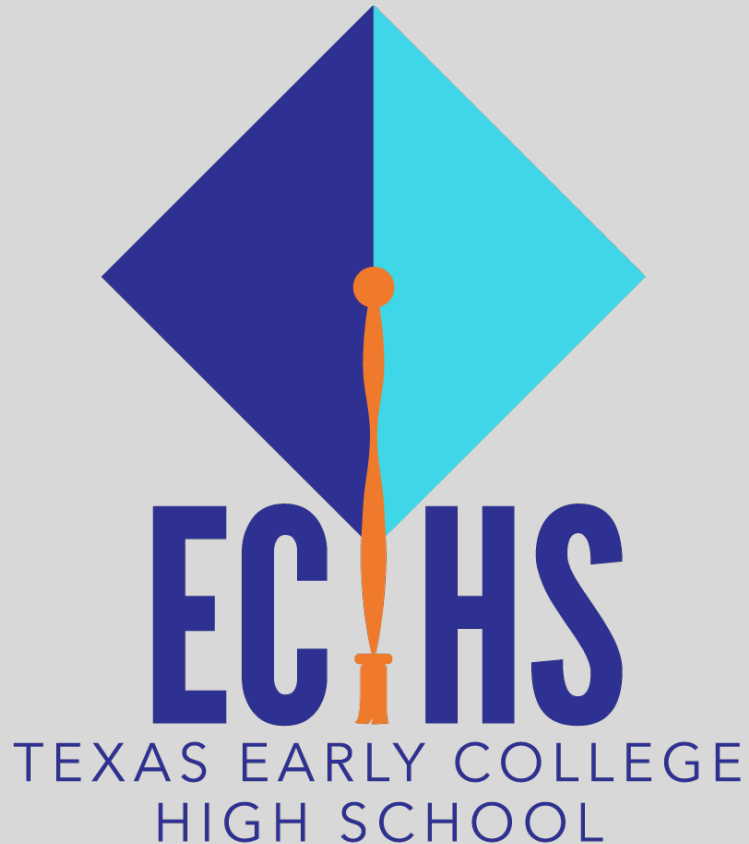
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# Link to All QECHS presentations and materials from ECHS Best Practices Summit

<http://bit.ly/qechsbestpractices>

