



Purple Star Campus Designation Application | Qualtrics Submission

School Year 2020-2021

To qualify to earn the Purple Star Campus Designation, campuses must submit the following application demonstrating they have met the criteria to provide resources and supports for their military connected student population.

Applications for the 2020-2021 school year are being accepted from <u>June 10, 2020</u> through <u>August 28, 2020</u>. Notifications of award outcomes will be announced by the Texas Education Agency during the month of <u>October 2020</u>.

Instructions:

Please answer each of the following questions and provide as much information as possible such as narratives, illustrations, or any other applicable attachments to support that the criteria for the Purple Star Campus Designation have been met.

Question 1:

Please provide your district name: (open ended)

Question 2:

Please provide your district number: (open ended)

Question 3:

Please provide your campus name: (open ended)

Question 4:

Please provide your campus number: (open ended)



Note to Question 5:

To qualify as a Purple Star Campus, a campus must designate a campus-based staff member as a military liaison.

Question 5:

Please provide the following contact information for the campus-based military liaison:

Name:

Position:

Campus Name:

Email Address:

Question 6:

Please provide information demonstrating the duties of a campus-based military liaison as required by <u>TAC, §61.1063</u>

(Open ended Response)

Question 7:

The campus-based military liaison must have offered a professional development opportunity for staff members. Please provide the professional development topic and date. You may also attach any other pertinent information to demonstrate your campus has met this criterion:

(File attachment upload)

Note to Question 8:

A campus must demonstrate partnership with the district to create and maintain an easily accessible webpage that includes information for military connected students and their families.

Question 8:

Please provide the web address for the webpage that serves as a resource for military connected students and their families. If the campus links to a division-maintained page the link must be present on the campus website.

The webpage must include information required by <u>TAC, §61.1063</u> to include relocation, enrollment and registration, academic planning, counseling, and support services, and contact information of the military liaison.

(Open ended response URL: _____)



Note to Question 9:

A campus must demonstrate they have a student-led campus transitional program. A campus transition program must include the following as required by <u>TAC</u>, <u>§61.1063</u>: introductions to school environment and processes, student-led and supported by a campus-based staff member, participate in organizing and hosting newcomer social events, facilitating guided tours of the campus, and accompanying new students to lunch the first week of school.

Question 9:

Provide the following information for the campus-based staff member who supports the studentled transitional program.

Name:

Position:

District Name:

District Number:

Campus Name:

Campus Number:

Email Address:

Question 10:

Provide information on the student-led transitional program activities held throughout the school year as required by <u>TAC</u>, <u>§61.1063</u>. You can include photos, social media or newspaper articles, presentation materials, etc.

(File attachment upload)

Note to Question 11:

Please indicate which of the following military connected student initiatives your campus participated in.

Multiple Choice Question:

(a) A resolution showing support for military connected students and families.

(b) Participation in Military Child or Military Family month to celebrate, recognize, and support military connected students for their strength and sacrifices.

(c) Campus may partner with School Liaison Officers to encourage and provide opportunities for active duty members to volunteer in the local schools.



Question 11:

Submit photos, newspaper or social media articles, presentation, or any additional information demonstrating the participation of the military connected student initiative.

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Closing:

Thank you for submitting your application for the Purple Star Campus Designation. Designations will be announced <u>October 2020</u>.

All campuses will be given an opportunity to appeal the decision of non-selection. Information about the appeal process and timeline for appeals will accompany non-selection letters.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Abby Rodriguez, <u>abby.rodriguez@tea.texas.gov</u>, Statewide Coordinator for Military Connected Students.

Thank you,

Texas Education Agency