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Latest News

Katy ISD Earns Recognized Rating from TEA for Second Straight Year

For the second straight year, outstanding student achievement produced a "Recognized" accountability rating for the Katy Independent School District. For the 2008-09 school year, 90 percent of Katy ISD campuses received a rating of recognized or above with 24 campuses receiving an exemplary rating (49%) and 20 campuses receiving a recognized rating (41%). [Read more...](#)

District Develops Preliminary 2009-10 Budget to Meet Student Needs

With a focus on meeting the academic needs of more than 58,000 students in 2009-10, Katy ISD is working on a nearly \$540 million preliminary budget that includes a three percent raise for teachers and no tax rate increase for taxpayers. [Read more...](#)

Impact of HB 3 Graduation Requirements in Katy ISD for 2009-10 School Year

The Texas Education Agency announced in July new graduation credit requirements that were put into effect by the State Legislature's passage of House Bill 3. These new requirements are designed to provide students who are in the Recommended High School Plan (RHSP) some flexibility in the courses they are required to take. This bill also allows districts to establish local graduation requirements beyond those of the state. [Read more...](#)

Katy ISD Announces New Principals

Twelve Katy Independent School District schools will have new leaders at the helm for the 2009-10 school year, and 15 campuses will welcome a total of 22 new assistant principals. [Read more...](#)

2009-10 Registration

Registration for the 2009-10 school year begins on Monday, Aug. 10. For a full list of registration dates and times, as well as registration requirements, see the [registration page](#) on the Katy ISD Web site.

Pre-Enrollment

Katy ISD parents who plan to enroll new students for the 2009-10 school year now have the option to [pre-enroll their children online](#). By pre-enrolling online, basic information about your child will already be in the system when you enroll your child. The main purpose for

this option is to cut down on paperwork and clerical errors, and will save parents time when they enroll their children in August. **Pre-enrollment is NOT a substitute for regular enrollment. You must still enroll your child at the campus they will attend in person during the August registration.**

- [School Supply Lists](#)
- [Open House Dates \(secondary\)](#)
- [Orientation Dates \(secondary\)](#)
- [Attendance Zone Locator](#)

Upcoming Events

- [Summer Graduation](#) - Aug. 10
- [College Funding Workshops - Summer series](#) - Aug. 11
- [Bullies to Buddies](#) - Aug. 13

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