SAISD PUBLIC SAFETY PATHWAY

FIRE AND POLICE ACADEMIES

SAISD has partnered with the City of San Antonio's Fire and Police Departments and San Antonio College (SAC) to offer a fast-track to careers in fire science and law enforcement. Learn more about this exciting program – come meet with Fire and Police professionals and SAISD officials.

WHEN: April 12 at 7:00 p.m.

WHERE: Edison High School
701 Santa Monica Dr.

Incoming juniors and seniors can apply to the programs which offer:

- ✓ College credits equal to a freshman year
- ✓ Industry certifications
- ✓ Internships, including ride outs with SAPD & SAFD
- ✓ Individual mentors
- ✓ Law Enforcement Explorers

Program Points

- ✓ Open to **all** SAISD incoming juniors and seniors
- ✓ Students must enroll at Edison HS to participate in program
- ✓ Transportation provided to Edison HS and Fire Academy classes; Fire science classes take place at SAC Fire Science Academy; Police Academy classes held at Edison HS

How Can I Sign Up?

- ✓ See your counselor right away and request an application
- ✓ Submit your completed application to Dalia Johnston, Magnet Coordinator at Edison High School

What is Required?

- ✓ Pass a Physical Fitness Exam
- ✓ Pass a College Entrance Exam (Accuplacer or THEA)
- ✓ Pass a Criminal Background Check
- ✓ Commit to complete two years in the program
- ✓ Participate in after-school and Saturday field experiences

Did you know . . .

- ✓ Forensic Crime Scene Investigators are identified by the U.S. Department of Labor as one of the fastest-growing career fields over the next 10 years.
- ✓ Most firefighters are required to earn an EMT (Emergency Medical Technician) certificate which qualifies them as experts in emergency medical care. You can earn this while in high school.

Is Public Safety a fit for you?

- ✓ Do the words "brave" and "adventurous" describe you?
- ✓ Do you enjoy new challenges every day?
- ✓ Do you want to serve your community?
- ✓ Do you want an exciting job?

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