

Spring ISD / SHSU School Leadership Partnership

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The Plan

- Admit 20+ Spring ISD teachers interested in Principal Certification
- M.Ed. in School Leadership with Principal Certification (30 hours)
- TEA Certification: Principal as Instructional Leader (PAIL)
- Start the program June 1, 2023, with 2 courses and continue with 2 courses/semester, including one FTF TEA required training and a second TEA FTF optional training (TTESS)
- Finish program end of Fall 2024
- 2 certification exams completed during the last 2 semesters of the program
- Program is online with once or twice/month virtual meetings.



Application Information

Applications Due:

- Summer - March 15 – April 1

Complete: <https://goapplytexas.org/>

<https://www.shsu.edu/programs/graduate/school-leadership/>

Materials Deadlines:

- Summer - April 15
- Ashley Volkmer Picket Video (video will be sent)



Application Assistance Contact

- Ms. Ashley Volkmer Picket / Ms. Rachel Norton
- COEGradHub@shsu.edu



School Leadership Partnership Plan

Apply Texas and Program Application (Ashley's application video)

Tuition: around \$11,857

\$575 scholarship covering 2 certifications exams to the first 20 who complete the application

Scholarships available through SHSU

Financial aid available through SHSU



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Questions?



Appendix-1

Program Materials: Video Instructions

Interview Video Instructions

-Record a 5-8- minute video of yourself using YouTube unlisted that answers the following questions:

- A. What can you tell us about yourself and your experiences that make you a good candidate for the program?
- B. B. What does it mean to you to be understanding, respectful, and inclusive of diverse populations?
- C. C. How do you use reflection and thoughtfulness in your professional growth?
- D. Describe some effective school leadership practices.

-Paste the link of your unlisted YouTube recording into a word document and upload it in your SHSU Self-Service Center.

-Access your SHSU Self-Service Center to ensure your video has uploaded. Refer to Ashley's video for instructions.



Appendix-2

Program Materials: Document of Intent Instructions

In a one-page, double-spaced paper, 12-point font, please discuss and describe the following:

1. Your leadership goals.
2. The strengths and/or experiences you possess that will enable you to complete the program.
3. The contributions this degree/certification will allow you to make to your school/community.

