Vision:
The overall vision of “Student Sharing” is to offer more choices for students so that opportunity is not dictated by zip code or ability to qualify for a transfer. Two major factors to offering more choice and opportunity via student sharing; students are able to continue as loyal and dedicated home campuses fans and have full access to advanced Career and Technical Education (CTE) and Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) courses that may be limited at their home campus. Through the creation of “Campus Clusters,” or a collection of schools based on geographical proximity, schools would be able to maximize and leverage resources and current course offerings to provide greater opportunity to all students.

Purpose:
To provide opportunities for students to take courses of interest if the desired class or classes are not offered at their home campus.

Student Sharing will:
• Increase efficiency of space and resources to address new rules under HB5 for the foundation high school program.
• Ensure “all students will graduate ready for college, career, and life in a globally competitive economy”.
• Provide and create opportunities for students to take courses of interest in their selected endorsement not offered at their home campus.

Implementation Date: August 24, 2016

Schools Participating in Student Sharing: All of AISD’s Comprehensive High Schools

Transportation:
• AISD will provide transportation. Buses will depart Home Campus at 8:40AM
• Parents may drop their child off at the Shared campus
• Students may drive their own vehicle with written permission and liability waiver forms from a parent/guardian

Student Sharing Orientation: August 11, 2016 (students will have the opportunity to practice the process and procedures for Student Sharing transportation)

Additional Course Requirement: There are some pathways that require additional cost, zero hours class, and self-provided materials

Standardized Bell Schedule during Student Sharing Hours:
• Student Sharing North Region (LBJ ECHS, Reagan ECHS, Anderson, Lanier, Austin, McCallum) – A-Days, 1st Period – Lanier Cosmetology - Intro to Cosmetology A-Days only and Cosmetology 1-2 on A-B Days periods 4, 8, and 9 (period 9 staring at approximately 3 PM and ending at approximately 6 PM) and LBJ ECHS Firefighter Academy on A-B Days during 1 and 5 periods.
• Student Sharing South Region (Bowie, Eastside Memorial, Travis ECHS, Crockett, Akins) - 1st period on A-Days only (some instances may include 1st period A and B Days).

Standardized Block Schedule for Campuses: AB Block/with rotating A/B Fridays

Administrator: Designated Administrator per campus for Student Sharing, will manage DEEDS and SEEDS

Discipline/Attendance Issues and Concerns: Attributed to home campus

Lunch/Breakfast: Students traveling to a shared campus will eat breakfast at the home campus. (breakfast will be available if missed at the shared campus) Students will return to their home campus for the 2nd class of the day and have lunch there.

The Austin Independent School District offers career and technical education sequences of coursework based on the sixteen federally defined Career Clusters. Admission to these courses is based on interest and aptitude, age appropriateness, and class space availability. It is the policy of the Austin Independent School District not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or handicap in its vocational programs, services or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendment of 1972; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

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In Naviance click on courses/manage my course plan/requirements/student sharing or call your high school counselor. If signing up after Spring Break please see your Counselor.