

## How to Apply to Henry W. Longfellow Career Exploration Academy

Is your child applying to Henry W. Longfellow Career Exploration Academy? Our staff can help you with the on-line application. Come by Monday, January 7, 2019, 8:00 AM- 5:00 PM. We are at 5314 Boaz Street, Dallas, Texas 75209.

**Your child must have the preliminary requirement (STAAR Scores) in order to apply. Please bring a copy of the STAAR scores.**

### Preliminary Requirement

**Minimum STAAR raw scores by grade level are as follows:**

To apply for 6<sup>th</sup> grade – use 4<sup>th</sup> grade Math (1518) and Reading (1465)

To apply for 7<sup>th</sup> grade – use 5<sup>th</sup> grade Math (1572) and Reading (1501)

To apply for 8<sup>th</sup> grade – use 6<sup>th</sup> grade Math (1567) and Reading (1532)

**The student must have the following scores in reading if the STAAR was in Spanish:**

S indicates Spanish Version (6<sup>th</sup> grade only) - Use 4<sup>th</sup> grade Math (1467) and Reading (1413)

S indicates Spanish Version (7<sup>th</sup> grade only) - Use 5<sup>th</sup> grade Math (1500) and reading (1513)

**If your child meets these preliminary requirements (reading and math), please bring the following documents to our school January 7, 2019.**

### 75% Average in the Most Recent Report Card

Average is determined by adding the 4 core subjects (Language Arts, Math, Social Studies, and Science) and dividing them by 4.

### Student Work Samples

Three (3) to Five (5) student work samples are required at the time you submit your application. Sample work must be graded and include the name of the student and dated (current school year). If work samples are larger than a poster board (i.e. Science Fair Projects), please submit a picture of the project/activity.

Work samples which require to fill in the blanks, mark true/false, and other similar types of assignments will result in little or no credit. The idea is for us to see each student's ability to solve problems, consider complex issues and express their own thinking.

When you turn in your child's completed application, we will give you an appointment for the on-site essay.

### Proof of Residence

You will need to provide a current utility bill or other proof of residency when you turn in your application. **No phone/cell phone bills.**

We will see you Monday, January 7, 2019, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM. Please bring the required documents so we can schedule your child for the on-site assessment. Don't wait and make plans to stop by and apply.