



**HIRSCHI MAGNET HIGH SCHOOL
WICHITA FALLS ISD**



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Dear Parent:

I was recently notified that Hirschi High School has been included on the 2018-2019 Public Education Grant (PEG) list. The Texas Education Agency (TEA) places a school on this list for one of the following reasons:

- 1) *The passing rate on a subject area test of the state assessment is less than or equal to 50 percent in any two of the preceding three years: 2015, 2016, 2017; or*
- 2) *The school was rated Improvement Required by the state accountability system in 2015, 2016, or 2017.*

For the testing year of 2017 Hirschi High School passing rate for English Language Arts was less than 50%. Because of this the campus went into the Improvement Required category with the Texas Education Agency. We have created smaller class sizes and are implementing researched based instruction to assure all student will be successful.

Under the PEG transfer provision, parents of a student enrolled in a campus on the PEG list may apply to transfer from a school on the PEG list to a campus that is not on the list. Parents may apply for a PEG transfer for 2018-2019 by contacting the WFISD Student Assignment Office. Transfer applications are available in the Student Assignment Office at 1104 Broad Street, Room 300 or the form may be downloaded from the District website, www.wfisd.net, from February 5th to the 23rd. Applications must be submitted to the Student Assignment Office: 1) hand delivered, 2) faxed to (940)720-3104, 3) emailed to lmuehlberger@wfisd.net; or 4) mailed to P.O. Box 97533, Wichita Falls, TX 76307-7533.

All transfer approvals are contingent on space availability at the receiving campus. Parents of transfer students are responsible for transportation. If you would like further information, please don't hesitate to call or email.

Sincerely,

Doug Albus
Principal
Hirschi High School