



Early College High School Fact Sheet

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Over 92% of early college students graduate
- 88% of early college graduates earn college credits
- 40% of early college graduates who enter as 9th graders earn at least one *year* of college credit
- 25% of early college graduates earn both a high school diploma and an Associate's degree
- 81% of early college graduates enroll in a two or four year college
- More than 25% early college high school graduates earn merit-based college scholarships

SAVINGS

- \$6,600 – the average savings to a student earning a year of free college credit (based on the cost of public higher education).
- \$13,100 – the average savings to a student earning two years of free college credit or an Associate's degree (based on the cost of public higher education)

DEMOGRAPHICS

- 40,000 students are currently enrolled in Early College High Schools
- 201 schools in 24 states are part of the initiative/50 schools in Texas
- 74% of early college students are students who are underserved

For more information: Early College High School at www.earlycolleges.org
For more information about Quest ECHS visit www.humbleisd.net/quest.