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The Raul Yzaguirre School for Success is a U.S. News & World Report 2020 Best High School!



(Houston, TX, April 22, 2020) The Raul Yzaguirre School for Success (RYSS) STEM and Early College High School is a 2020 Best High School according to the U.S. News & World Report rankings published this morning. U.S. News & World Report numerically ranked nearly 18,000 schools nationwide. According to U.S. News & World Report, “the 2020 edition of Best High Schools includes a numerical ranking of nearly all public high schools in each state...as well as the Best STEM Schools ranking and best comprehensive Best Charter Schools and Best Magnet Schools rankings.” RYSS earned a national ranking in the top 40% of high schools nationwide. According to RYSS Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Adriana Tamez, “we are honored and delighted to earn the distinction as a 2020 Best High School, which is a testament to our students’ commitment to their personal academic achievement, and our faculty and staff’s belief that all students can succeed.”

A complete list of schools in the Houston region may be found at <https://www.usnews.com/education/best-high-schools/texas/rankings/houston-tx-26420>.

Founded in 1996, the Raul Yzaguirre School for Success (RYSS) was one of the first open-enrollment charter schools approved by the Texas State Board of Education. The RYSS district has a combined enrollment of nearly 1,330 at its two main campuses: in Houston, RYSS operates the Elite Primary Academy that serves children in grades K-5 and the Houston 6-12 STEM and Early College High School; and the Brownsville Raul Yzaguirre School for Success Preparatory (BRYSS) was founded in 2002, offering a K-8 college preparatory academic program.