



Frisco ISD K-12 Gifted and Talented Update

June 2012



Identification of GT Students

TEC § 29.122. Establishment

Using criteria established by the State Board of Education, each school district shall adopt a process for identifying and serving gifted and talented students in the district and shall establish a program for those students in each grade level. A district may establish a shared services arrangement program with one or more other districts.



Frisco ISD GT Identification Process

- Open Nominations
 - Phase I Testing
 - ⇒ CogAT
 - Phase II Testing
 - ⇒ Iowa Test of Basic Skills
 - ⇒ Student Products
 - ⇒ Teacher Inventory



Gifted and Talented Programming

- **Elementary**
 - Cluster Classrooms
 - Pull-Out Program
- **Middle School**
 - GT ILA
 - Pre-AP Courses
- **High School**
 - Pre-AP and AP Courses
 - ISM

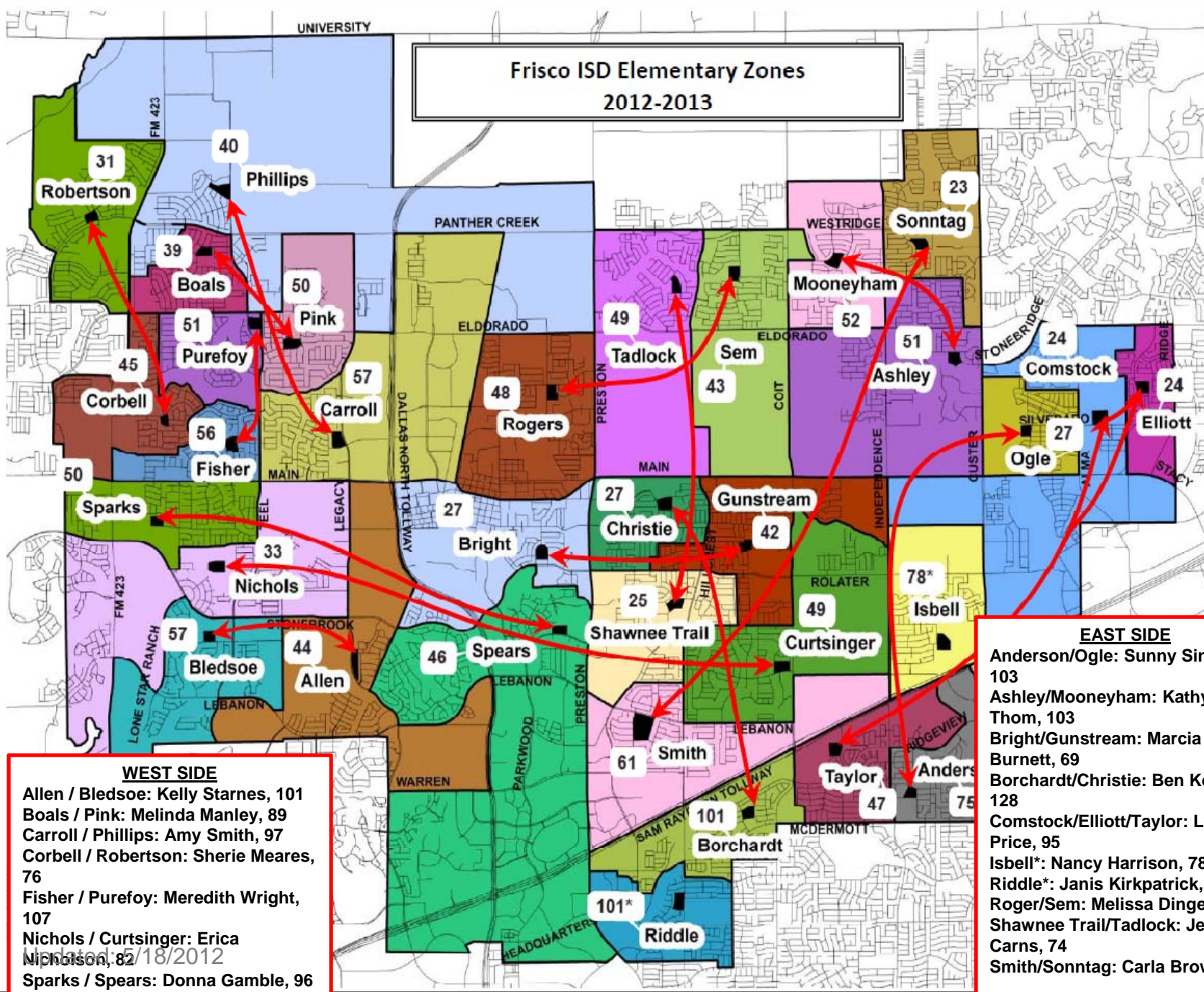


GT Committees for Programmatic Improvement

- Elementary and Secondary
- Goal: To examine the services we currently provide our GT students and to explore options for how FISD will enhance the opportunities our GT students have to interact with each other and with a rigorous curriculum



Frisco ISD Elementary Zones 2012-2013



WEST SIDE

Allen / Bledsoe: Kelly Starnes, 101
 Boals / Pink: Melinda Manley, 89
 Carroll / Phillips: Amy Smith, 97
 Corbell / Robertson: Sherie Meares, 76
 Fisher / Purefoy: Meredith Wright, 107
 Nichols / Curtsinger: Erica Nicholson, 82
 Sparks / Spears: Donna Gamble, 96

EAST SIDE

Anderson/Ogle: Sunny Sinclair, 103
 Ashley/Mooneyham: Kathy Thom, 103
 Bright/Gunstream: Marcia Burnett, 69
 Borchardt/Christie: Ben Koch, 128
 Comstock/Elliott/Taylor: Lynn Price, 95
 Isbell*: Nancy Harrison, 78
 Riddle*: Janis Kirkpatrick, 101
 Roger/Sem: Melissa Dinger, 91
 Shawnee Trail/Tadlock: Jessica Carns, 74
 Smith/Sonntag: Carla Brown, 84

Examples of Academic Competitions

- Academic Decathlon
- Octathlon
- Pentathlon
- Lone Star Challenge
- Destination Imagination
- Math and Science Team
- Geography Bee
- Spelling Bee
- Future City
- Forensics
- Science Fair
- Robotics

