

KEALING MAGNET PROGRAM



Kealing Middle School is a FREE AISD School with an application-based Magnet Program. We offer accelerated curriculum in all FOUR core subject areas, pushing students to learn BEYOND the standards. We offer 80+ unique electives extending student's learning from **Harry Potter & Conspiracy Theories to Genetics & Origami!** We also have an award-winning Fine Arts Program and cutting-edge career & technology based courses. Bus transportation is provided from all corners of AISD!

APPLICATION PROCESS:

STEP 1: Complete the AISD Common Application in the [AISD Parent Portal](#). The common application will send the following pieces of your application to our school:

- 2022 [Assessment Scores](#) (STAAR or MAP)
- 2022 Fall Semester [Report Card](#) (current school year)
- TWO Teacher [Recommendation forms](#): 1 from ELAR/SS; 1 from Math/Sci

STEP 2: Upload Video Presentation and Sign up for an Admissions Essay Session in the [Kealing Magnet Application Form](#).

- [Video Presentation](#) – Students will record a TWO minute video presentation introducing themselves to the selection committee and answer a specific prompt.
- [Admissions Essay Session](#) (in December) – Students will complete a 30 minute timed essay response. Sessions with Kealing are virtual and sessions at Lively are in person. (Students can pick either location to test and only need to submit the essay once to be shared between both programs.)

Applications available online at:

<https://kealing.austinschools.org/our-programs/magnet>

