

## **ED POLICY BRIEF**



# Thank You for Supporting Advanced Math Pathways for Texas Students

We are delighted to announce the passing of <u>SB 2124</u>, a new law allowing more Texas students to access advanced math pathways in middle school. We sincerely thank **Senator Creighton**, **Representative Howard**, and their legislative staff for supporting and leading this work. We also thank our school district partners, **Hays CISD** and **Round Rock ISD**, who advocated with us during the 88th Legislative Session.

**E3 Alliance research** has found that students who take four years of math in high school are twice as likely to get a postsecondary credential, such as a certificate or degree. Moreover, students whose fourth year of math is a college-aligned course are six times as likely to get a postsecondary credential, driving economic mobility for the next generation.

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SB 2124 is a bold step forward for Texas education. It is a policy based on evidence, equity and opportunity. It is a policy that will help ensure that all Texas students have the chance to reach their full potential and pave the way for other states to follow. We invite you to listen to KUT's coverage below.







NEXT UP:

# Kids are probably better at math than they think. A new Texas law could help them realize it.

KUT 90.5 | By Becky Fogel Published June 28, 2023 at 6:01 AM CDT











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### Save the Date | October 12 | E3 Alliance Event

Our E3 Alliance team will return to the Legislative Conference Center at the Texas Capitol on the morning of October 12 for a powerful presentation on Texas education. We will share data and the next steps on SB 2124, plus dual credit and discussions on assessment and accountability. Please stay tuned for more information.







Legislative Conference Center at the Texas Capitol Thursday, October 12, 2023

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Thank you for your dedication to every student in Texas. Please contact <u>Jennifer</u> <u>Cavazos Saenz</u> for data or policy inquiries.

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