

# Information for Parents and Teachers

(Information below is sent to the HORIZONS office as part of the GT Listserv process to communicate services available for academically advanced or gifted students. )

To subscribe to the Gifted and Talented Education Listserv do the following:

- Go to <http://www.tea.state.tx.us/list/>
- Click on "Select a List" for pop-up menu of listserv names
- Scroll down, select "Gifted and Talented Education," and click on "Join the List"
- Enter your e-mail address
- Enter your name
- A confirmation e-mail will be sent to e-mail address listed
- Respond to confirmation e-mail with "OK"

Go back to <http://www.tea.state.tx.us/list/> if you want to change, delete or add an additional e-mail address to the mailing list.

## **Education in Action's 2008-2009 Call for Outstanding Student Nominations**

Nominate your outstanding 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders to join delegations of distinguished students from across the state of Texas at the Lone Star Leadership Academy, a weeklong, TEKS-based, experiential leadership development program to Dallas/Fort Worth, Austin or Houston/Galveston during summer break. The Lone Star Leadership Academy provides opportunities for students to experience grade level curriculum during visits to historically, politically, scientifically and environmentally significant sites with a focus on leadership throughout. Participants must be in 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade, maintain an 85 or higher average, be active in school and/or community activities and receive an educator recommendation (your nomination) based on demonstrated leadership ability. There is no limit to the number of students you may nominate as long as they meet the eligibility requirements. For more information visit [www.educationinaction.org](http://www.educationinaction.org).

**Nominations may be made online at**

<http://www.educationinaction.org/~eiatx84/educators/nominations.php>.

**FALL NOMINATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2008.**

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