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Fort Worth school trustees take step toward all-girl school

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FORT WORTH — School trustees took the first step toward establishing the district's first all-girl school Tuesday night when they approved a memorandum of understanding with the Dallas-based nonprofit Foundation for the Education of Young Women.

The board's vote was unanimous and was taken without discussion.

The foundation has offered the district a grant of \$250,000 a year for four years to establish the school, which would accept girls from all over the district in grades six through 12.

The curriculum would emphasize math, science and technology for college-bound students from low-income families. Leadership skills would also be emphasized.

The first academic year would be 2010-11 for sixth and seventh grades. Other grades would be added later.

A site has not been selected.

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