

FBISD

# Senior Parent Meeting



**Lead**  
**THE PAC**

# What Do You Want to Do?

- College?
- Military?
- Trade School?
- Workforce?
- Still thinking about it?



## There Is A Place For Everyone!



Home



Student



Explore



Plan



Engage



Career



College

# SchoolLinks – Where all Roads Lead

SchoolLinks is the FBISD software platform that supports students as they navigate their college and career planning process

- Students access SchoolLinks through Clever (1Link)
  - Parents can also access SchoolLinks with a claim code from their student
- Students will use SchoolLinks for
  - Submitting verification for financial aid
  - Researching and applying for scholarships
  - Managing their college applications
  - Requesting their transcripts & letters of recommendation
  - Submitting enrollment decisions and requesting final transcripts

**schoolinks** 



# REQUIRED SchoolLinks Tasks

## Fall

- Create a SMART Goal for this year
- Update Profile and Resume
- Explore Careers
- Update Post-secondary Goal
- Set up Scholarship Match Profile
- Complete FAFSA/TASFA

## Spring

- Upload Proof of FAFSA/TASFA Completion
- Record College Acceptances
- Add College Financial Aid Letters & Scholarships
- Setup Personal Account for Alumni Access
- **\*\*Senior Year End Activity\*\***

**\*\*This is how you will request your FINAL transcript and tell us where it needs to be sent!\*\***

# How to Setup College Application Manager

- <https://youtu.be/LySZPqqwTVE?feature=shared>



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**Military**



# Military Service

- Military academies are highly competitive and prepare students for service in the officer corps of the Army, Navy or Air Force
  - The US Military Academy at West Point, the US Naval Academy, the US Air Force Academy
- The Reserved Officer Training Corps is a college-based program for training commissioned officers of the United States armed forces.
  - The ROTC scholarship is viable at many different colleges and universities and includes full tuition benefits
- Enlistment in active duty or in the reserves requires a commitment for 4-5 years, depending on the branch
- Ms. Walea can assist with:
  - Connecting you with a local recruiter
  - Helping to identify the variety of MOSs available that are tailored to your skill set
  - Registration for ASVAB administration to identify an appropriate military career

# Interested in taking the ASVAB?

- **Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery** - an exam given for those interested in military enlistment to show aptitudes for an individual.
  - Scores determine what military jobs a student may be able to pursue.
- **ACHS plans to host the ASVAB early next semester. (Date to be determined)**
- **Students can register to be on the list of students testing by scanning the QR Code**
- [ASVAB Registration Link](#)



# Career

# Considering going into the Workforce?



- **Research Careers That Match Your Interests**
  - Use tools like SchoolLinks, Texas Reality Check or CareerOneStop
  - Ask yourself: What am I good at? What do I enjoy?
- **Build Your Resume**
  - Include part-time jobs, internships, volunteering, and leadership roles
  - Track your skills and accomplishments
- **Gain Experience**
  - Look for summer jobs, apprenticeships, or job shadowing
  - Attend career fairs or industry panels
- **Learn About Certification Programs**
  - Explore trade schools and community college programs
  - Check out dual credit or CTE pathways ACHS offers
- **Talk to People in the Field**
  - Conduct informational interviews
  - Ask teachers, family, or mentors about their career paths



**So What Should I  
Do...and When?**

# Q1

## March-August 2025

- Make your college or trade school list based on your goals
- Request fee waivers for college entrance exams or application fees
- Take or schedule your ACT and/or SAT
- Write your college essays
- Update your resume
- Tour your schools if you haven't already
- Consider which teachers you will approach about writing letters of recommendation
- Create your account on your application platform of choice

# September-October 2025

- Reapply for free/reduced lunch if you qualify
- Continue to work on your applications on your platform of choice
- Attend the district college fair on October 1 (Bush HS) or 8 (Hightower HS)
- Complete your FAFSA/TASFA (October) and upload proof in SchoolLinks to satisfy graduation requirement
- Update your SchoolLinks account with your personal email address
- Request teacher letters of recommendation in SchoolLinks
- Request counselor recommendations and/or School Reports in SchoolLinks
- Request initial transcripts in SchoolLinks

# November 2025 - February 2026

# Q3

- Start applying for school-based scholarships
- Submit applications to colleges with November-February deadlines to ensure you don't miss out on scholarships
- Take the ASVAB if you are planning on joining the military
- Ensure mid-year transcripts are sent to your schools who require them (mid-January)
- Bookmark all portals and save the passwords to them

# Q4

## March 2025 - May 2026

- Apply for housing
- Take the TSI if necessary
- Submit all scholarships earned into SchooLinks
- Make final transcript request in SchooLinks
- Register for New Student Orientation at your university
- Schedule your meningitis shot
- Request OnRamps or Dual Credit transcripts from UT or HCC
- Graduate and celebrate!



# Helpful Handouts

# Senior Timeline

## The FOUR QUARTERS of Senior Year Sheet



### The FOUR QUARTERS of Senior Year

#### 1st Quarter - March - August

- Make your college or trade school list based on your goals
- Request fee waivers for college entrance exams or application fees
- Take or schedule your ACT and/or SAT
- Write your college essays
- Update your Resume
- Tour your schools if you haven't done so already
- Consider teachers you will approach about writing letters of recommendation
- Create your account on your application platform of choice

#### 2nd Quarter - September - October

- Reapply for free/reduced lunch if you qualify
- Continue to work on your applications
- Attend the district college fair in October
- Update your SchoolLinks account with your personal email address
- Request teacher letters of recommendation in SchoolLinks
- Request counselor recommendations per campus procedure and/or School Reports in SchoolLinks
- Request initial transcript in SchoolLinks
- Complete your FAFSA in October and upload proof of completion in SchoolLinks to satisfy graduation requirement

#### 3rd Quarter - November - February

- Start applying for school-based scholarships
- Submit applications to colleges with November-February deadlines to ensure scholarship opportunities are not missed
- Take the ASVAB if you are planning on joining the military
- Ensure mid-year transcripts are sent to your schools who require them (mid-January)
- Bookmark all college application portals and save the passwords

#### 4th Quarter - March - May

- Apply for housing
- Take the TSIA if needed
- Submit all scholarship earned into SchoolLinks
- Make final transcript request in SchoolLinks
- Register for new Student Orientation at your university
- Schedule your meningitis shot
- Request OnRamps or Dual Credit transcript from UT or HCC
- Graduate and celebrate!!



# College Information Tracker

**COLLEGE INFORMATION TRACKER**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ STUDENT ID: \_\_\_\_\_

RANK: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ QUARTILE: \_\_\_\_\_ SAT SCORE: MATH \_\_\_\_\_ EBRW \_\_\_\_\_

COLLEGEBOARD USERNAME: \_\_\_\_\_

COLLEGEBOARD PASSWORD: \_\_\_\_\_

APPLYTEXAS USERNAME: \_\_\_\_\_

APPLYTEXAS PASSWORD: \_\_\_\_\_

COMMONAPP USERNAME: \_\_\_\_\_

COMMONAPP PASSWORD: \_\_\_\_\_

FAFSA/TASFA USERNAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PASSWORD: \_\_\_\_\_

CHALLENGE QUESTION ANSWERS: Q1: \_\_\_\_\_ Q2: \_\_\_\_\_

Q3: \_\_\_\_\_ Q4: \_\_\_\_\_

GUARDIAN'S:

FAFSA/TASFA USERNAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PASSWORD: \_\_\_\_\_

CHALLENGE QUESTION ANSWERS: Q1: \_\_\_\_\_ Q2: \_\_\_\_\_

Q3: \_\_\_\_\_ Q4: \_\_\_\_\_

| COLLEGE NAME | COLLEGE ID | PORTAL USERNAME | PORTAL PASSWORD | TEST SCORE SUBMITTED     | TRANSCRIPT SUBMITTED     | FEE WAIVER SUBMITTED     | FINANCIAL AID SENT       |
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## Finding Rank, Quartile, & GPA

- Login to SchoolLinks
- Go to “Student”
- Click “Scores & Performance”
- It will be at the top!



## Finding SAT Score

- Follow the steps below;

**Option 1:**

1. **Download the app “BigFuture School”**
2. **Enter your phone #**
3. **Click Scores to view**

**Option 2:**

1. **Login to CollegeBoard.org**
2. **Click “MySAT”**
3. **Scroll down to view**

# Automatic Admission Requirements

Fall 2025 Automatic Admission Policies  
(For students applying for Fall 2025 US Freshman Admissions)

| CLASS RANK                           | Test<br>Optional | Top 6%<br>SAT/ACT                                                                                               | Top 1-49%<br>SAT/ACT                                                 | 1st Q (Top 11-25%)<br>SAT | 2nd Q (Top 26-50%)<br>SAT                                                      | 3rd Q (Top 51-75%)<br>SAT                 | 4th Q (Top 76-100%)<br>SAT | Additional Comments                                                                                   |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Angelo State University              | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | 920 / 17 (2.3 & 2.5)                                                           | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Test scores recommended for scholarship purposes. Verified 07/13/2024                                 |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Concordia University Texas           | Yes              |                                                                                                                 |                                                                      |                           | 920 or 22 (3.4 & 3.6)                                                          | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Verified 07/23/2024                                                                                   |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Houston Christian University         | Yes              |                                                                                                                 |                                                                      | 107/21                    |                                                                                |                                           |                            | TO: Recommended to submit supplement doc. All ranks w/ 1270 SAT/ 26 ACT Auto Adm. Verified 08/13/2024 |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Houston-Titusus University           | Yes              | Designated Admit: 10.5 or 10.80 or 22; Automatic Admit: 12.5 or 16                                              | Test Score (no min required); Regular Admit: 2.5 & 4.0 GPA or 900/16 |                           |                                                                                |                                           |                            | Verified 7/23/2024                                                                                    |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Lamar University                     | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | 1080                                      | 21                         | 1080                                                                                                  | 21                                                                                                                   | DC students w/ 18 college credits & a 2.0 GPA are auto adm. Must send in college transcript. Verified 07/17/2024 |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Lubbock Christian University         | Yes              |                                                                                                                 |                                                                      |                           |                                                                                | 3.0 GPA (4.0 scale)                       |                            |                                                                                                       | Test scores recommended for students below a 3.0 GPA. Verified 08/05/2024                                            |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Midwestern State University          | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | 1075                                                                           | 21                                        | 1140                       | 23                                                                                                    | 1180                                                                                                                 | 24                                                                                                               | TO: 3.0-4.0 Auto. 2.75-2.99 Unconv Adm (must have 2 advanced courses) 2.5-2.74 Cond Adm. Verified 7/17/2024      |                                                                                                              |
| Prairie View A&M University          | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Top 30% or 3.0 GPA or 1000/17             |                            |                                                                                                       | Test Scores Required for Scholarships. Verified 7/24/2024                                                            |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Sam Houston State University         | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | 3.5-4.0 GPA 930/17        | 3.0-3.49 GPA 1010/19                                                           | 2.5-2.99 GPA 1110/22                      | 2.25-2.49 GPA 1210/25      | TO: 3.5-4.0 Auto Adm. 3.49 & Below Review Only & Personal Statement Required. Verified 07/17/2024     |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Stephen F. Austin State University   | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | 1030                                                                           | 20                                        | 1170                       | 24                                                                                                    | TO: Top 25% Unconv. 26-100% Indiv Rw. Test scores required for some scholarships. Verified 07/17/2024                |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| St. Rose State University            | Yes              |                                                                                                                 |                                                                      |                           |                                                                                | GPA of 2.0 (3.0 & 3.0 scale)              |                            |                                                                                                       | Test scores required for some scholarships. Verified 07/17/2024                                                      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Tarleton State University            | Top 75%          | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Desired/Cond Adm. Psa                                                                                 | 4th Q: Possible Sum Bridge w/ ACT/SAT. Test scores not required but encouraged for scholarships. Verified 07/18/2024 |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas A&M - College Station          | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | Indiv Rw                  | Indiv Rw                                                                       | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | Verified 08/08/2024                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas A&M - Commerce                 | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min (Top 30%)          | 1080                                                                           | 21                                        | 1080                       | 21                                                                                                    | Test scores encouraged for students not in Top 30%. Verified 07/22/2024                                              |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas A&M - Corpus Christi           | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | Test scores strongly encouraged. Verified 07/16/2024                                                                 |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas A&M - Galveston                | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | Indiv Rw                  | Indiv Rw                                                                       | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | Test scores required for some scholarships. Verified 7/22/2024                                                       |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas A&M - International            | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min (Top 40%)                                                               | 980                                       | 19                         | 980                                                                                                   | 19                                                                                                                   | Provisional Admissions (for fall) 920/17. Verified 07/18/2024                                                    |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas A&M - Kingsville               | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Top 25% or 2.1 GPA or 1000/19             |                            |                                                                                                       | Verified 07/22/2024                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas A&M - San Antonio              | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Top 25% or 3.0 GPA or 1100/22             |                            |                                                                                                       | Additional Auto Admissions Info available on website based on core course grades. Verified 07/23/2024                |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas A&M - Texarkana                | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Top 30% or 2.75 GPA or 1000/21            |                            |                                                                                                       | Test score required for highest level merit scholarships. Verified 07/28/2024                                        |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas Southern University            | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | 2.8 GPA or 900/17                         |                            |                                                                                                       | Verified 07/29/2024                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Texas State University               | Top 75%          | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | 1080                                                                           | 22                                        | 1250                       | 26                                                                                                    | 1330                                                                                                                 | 29                                                                                                               | If applying TO, only Top 35% will be reviewed for merit scholarships. Verified 08/06/2024                        |                                                                                                              |
| Texas Tech University                | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | 1180                      | 24                                                                             | 1240                                      | 26                         | 1280                                                                                                  | 27                                                                                                                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                                         | TO: Highly recommended to submit "optional supplemental documents". Verified 07/25/2024                          |                                                                                                              |
| Texas Woman's University             | Top 50%          | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | Indiv Rw                                                                                                             | Test scores recommended for honors & scholarship awards. Minimum GPA 2.5. Verified 08/05/2024                    |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| University of Houston - Main Campus  | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | 1080 / 21 TO: 3.40        | 1170 / 24 TO: 3.40                                                             | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | TO requires additional supp doc. Must self-report grades in MyUH portal. Verified 7/28/2024                          |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| University of Houston - Clear Lake   | Top 50%          | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Top 50% or 3.0 GPA or 2.8 GPA or 1000/20  |                            |                                                                                                       | Verified 7/28/2024                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| University of Houston - Downtown     | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | 2.5 GPA or 920/18                                                              | 900                                       | 18                         | 930                                                                                                   | 18                                                                                                                   | 930                                                                                                              | 18                                                                                                               | Test scores encouraged for merit scholarships. Minimum GPA 2.5. Verified 08/07/2024                          |
| University of Houston - Victoria     | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Top 25% or 2.1 GPA or 900/19              |                            |                                                                                                       | Adm w/ Req. 2.0-2.49 GPA or 940/18 must follow a success plan & meet w/ counselor each week. Verified 7/28/2024      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| University of North Texas            | GPA Based        | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | 1030                      | 20                                                                             | 1130                                      | 23                         | 1250                                                                                                  | 26                                                                                                                   | 1250                                                                                                             | 26                                                                                                               | Assured admissions 3.0 Unweighted GPA. Test scores strongly encouraged. Minimum GPA 2.5. Verified 07/29/2024 |
| UT - Arlington                       | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | 1130                                                                           | 23                                        | 1250                       | 26                                                                                                    | 1250                                                                                                                 | 26                                                                                                               | 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Quarter Auto Adm. 3.25 GPA. Submit test scores for merit scholarship 1280/27. Verified 7/28/2024 |                                                                                                              |
| UT - Austin                          | No               | No Min                                                                                                          | Indiv Rw                                                             | Indiv Rw                  | Indiv Rw                                                                       | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | Indiv Rw                                                                                                             | Test scores required for admission. Top 6% Auto Adm. Verified 07/29/2024                                         |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| UT - Dallas                          | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | Indiv Rw                  | Indiv Rw                                                                       | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | Indiv Rw                                                                                                             | Indiv Rw for all majors. Strongly recommend to submit all supplemental doc & test scores. Verified 08/06/2024    |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| UT - El Paso                         | No               | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | 920                                                                            | 19                                        | 970                        | 20                                                                                                    | 1010                                                                                                                 | 21                                                                                                               | Can be reviewed/admitted based on college level TSA2 scores. Verified 08/07/2024                                 |                                                                                                              |
| UT - Permian Basin                   | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | Indiv Rw                                                                       | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | Indiv Rw                                                                                                             | Auto Adm. 3.0+ GPA. Test scores used for placement & scholarship awards. Verified 08/08/2024                     |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| UT - Rio Grande Valley               | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | Indiv Rw                  | Indiv Rw                                                                       | Indiv Rw                                  | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | Indiv Rw                                                                                                             | Verified 07/29/2024                                                                                              |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| UT - San Antonio                     | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | 1170                                                                           | 24                                        | Indiv Rw                   | Indiv Rw                                                                                              | Indiv Rw                                                                                                             | Recommended Scores for Indiv Rw: 2nd Q: 980/18, 3rd Q: 1080/21, 4th Q: 1170/24. Verified 07/28/2024              |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| UT - Tyler                           | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | 2.75 GPA                                  |                            |                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                      | Minimum GPA 2.75. Verified 07/29/2024                                                                            |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| West Texas A&M                       | Yes              | No Min                                                                                                          | No Min                                                               | No Min                    | No Min                                                                         | Must meet 1st: Top 30% 3.0 GPA or 1000/21 |                            |                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                      | Test scores strongly recommended for scholarship consideration. Minimum GPA 2.0. Verified 07/28/2024             |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
|                                      |                  |                                                                                                                 |                                                                      |                           |                                                                                | NON TS students                           |                            |                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Air Force State University           | Yes              |                                                                                                                 |                                                                      |                           | Must meet one: Top 25% 3.0 GPA ACT 24 SAT 1180                                 |                                           |                            |                                                                                                       | Verified 07/17/2024                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Kansas State University              | Yes              |                                                                                                                 |                                                                      |                           | 3.25 GPA or 1080 SAT/ 21 ACT and/or 1140 or a min. 2 College GPA               |                                           |                            |                                                                                                       | Test Optional for admissions. Some scholarships require ACT/SAT scores. Verified 7/17/2024                           |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Missouri State University            | Yes              |                                                                                                                 |                                                                      |                           | 2.0 GPA based on College Prep Application (CPA)                                |                                           |                            |                                                                                                       | TO: For admissions, test scores required for some automatic merit scholarships. Verified 07/17/2024                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| Oklahoma State University            | Yes              |                                                                                                                 |                                                                      |                           | 3.0 GPA or 1050 SAT/ 21 ACT or 3.0 GPA or 1080 SAT/ 21 ACT or 1160 SAT/ 24 ACT |                                           |                            |                                                                                                       | Test scores required for merit scholarships. Students are encouraged to submit test scores. Verified 06/26/2024      |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |
| University of Mississippi (Ole Miss) | Yes              | 3.25 GPA or 1090/21 or a 2.0 GPA or 1040 SAT and School of Business. Other programs have different requirements |                                                                      |                           | 3.2 GPA based on CPA; Less than 3.2 GPA test scores HIGHLY recommended         |                                           |                            |                                                                                                       | Merit scholarships based on GPA. Verified 7/17/2024                                                                  | TS "very important" for merit scholarships. Admission based on availability. Apply Early. Verified 07/28/2024    |                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                              |

## What's a quartile?

- A quartile is just a fancy word for **one-fourth** (25%) of your class. Think of your class like a pizza cut into 4 equal slices:

- **Top 25% = 1st Quartile**
- **Top 50% = 2nd Quartile**
- **Top 75% = 3rd Quartile**
- **100% = 4th Quartile**

## How do you figure out your quartile?

1. Take your **class rank**
2. Divide it by the **total number of students** in your class
3. Turn that number into a percentage

- **Example:**  
If you're ranked **322** out of **552** students:  
 $322 \div 552 = 0.58 \rightarrow$  That's **58%**  
You are in the **3rd quartile** (because you're between 50% and 75%)





# **Making a List of Colleges and Trade Schools in SchoolLinks**

# How To Make A College List



- Plan to make a list of 5-7 schools
  - Two Target Schools, 1 Reach School, two Safety/Likely Schools
- In SchoolLinks, click on Colleges/School Search
- Adjust the filters to meet your needs, based on School Type, Campus Location, Acceptance Rates and more
- Click the heart to add any school to your list of favorites
- Go to Final List and add the colleges from your Favorites list to one of the four categories



# **College Admissions and Enrollment Exams**

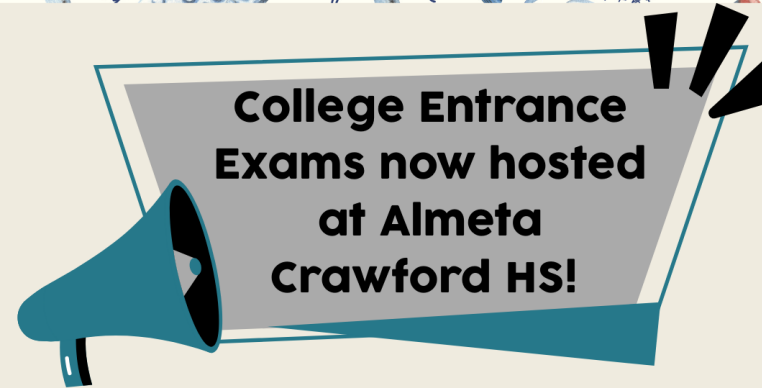
# College Entrance Exams



- Some schools are test-required, some are test-optional
  - Be sure you know what is required for your schools of choice
- Students send their own scores via [MySAT.org](https://mysat.org) or [MyACT.org](https://myact.org)
  - ACHS cannot send them. Same goes for AP exam scores.
- Most schools accept either the SAT or the ACT
  - All FBISD juniors took the SAT on March 5, 2025
  - Test scores can be used for merit-based scholarships
  - Test scores can be used for TSI exemption at public Texas schools
- Students on free/reduced lunch are eligible for a fee waiver
  - Reach out to Ms. Walea for fee waivers



# ACHS SAT/ACT Flyer



| SAT <sup>®</sup>                                       |                                               | ACT <sup>®</sup>                                       |                                               |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <u>Test Date:</u><br>Cost = \$68                       | <u>Registration Deadline:</u><br>Late = +\$38 | <u>Test Date:</u><br>Cost = \$68                       | <u>Registration Deadline:</u><br>Late = +\$40 |
| 9/13/25                                                | 8/29/25                                       | 10/18/25                                               | 9/12/25                                       |
| 10/4/25                                                | 9/19/25                                       | 12/13/25                                               | 11/7/25                                       |
| 12/6/25                                                | 11/21/25                                      | 2/14/26                                                | 1/9/26                                        |
| 3/4/26<br>(Juniors Only: In-School)                    | ACHS registers the students                   | 4/11/26                                                | 3/6/26                                        |
| 5/2/26                                                 | 4/17/26                                       | 7/11/26                                                | 6/5/26                                        |
| Register via <a href="https://mysat.org">Mysat.org</a> |                                               | Register via <a href="https://myact.org">Myact.org</a> |                                               |

## Online Test Prep

[Khan Academy](https://www.khanacademy.com) (SAT prep)  
[Kaplanquizzes.com](https://www.kaplanquizzes.com) (SAT or ACT)  
[VarsityTutors](https://www.varsitytutors.com) (ACT prep)  
[Union Test Prep](https://www.uniontestprep.com) (ACT prep)  
[4tests.com](https://www.4tests.com) (practice tests)

## School Information

**SAT Coordinator:** Ms. Dutton  
[tanja.dutton@fortbendisd.gov](mailto:tanja.dutton@fortbendisd.gov)  
**CEEB Code:** 575119  
**ACT Coordinator:** Ms. Walea  
[dejah.walea@fortbendisd.gov](mailto:dejah.walea@fortbendisd.gov)



# Apply for F/R Lunch!

- If your student qualifies for F/R lunch, their SAT and ACT fees along with many college application fees could be waived!
- Eligible students must indicate their desire to use a fee waiver in SchoolLinks for College apps.

**5 REASONS**  
FOR COMPLETING THE  
**FREE & REDUCED**  
**LUNCH APPLICATION**

ONE FORM. BIG IMPACT.



FBISD

- 1** Increased funding to support student education and services 
- 2** May result in free or discounted fees to participate in athletics 
- 3** Financing of dual credit courses for students who are eligible for Free or Reduced Lunch 
- 4** May qualify you for reduced registration fees for AP, SAT, and/or ACT tests 
- 5** May qualify you for discounted rates on internet services 

# College Enrollment Benchmarks

- Many schools require that students demonstrate college readiness in order to enroll in classes
  - Enrollment is different than admission
- Texas public colleges and universities require students to exhibit this through test scores

**ACT**<sup>®</sup>

Reading & Writing 40  
Math 22

**SAT**<sup>®</sup>

EBRW 480  
Math 530

**TSI** 

TEXAS SUCCESS INITIATIVE

English 945/5 or 910-949/5/5  
Math 950 or 910-949/6

# CCMR Cords

- Students who meet any of the CCMR requirements also earn their name on the CCMR Wall of Fame!



# CCMR GRADUATION CORDS

Class of 2026

Ready for What's Next!

Meet the requirements in one CCMR category

- Meet Texas Success Initiative (TSI) Criteria in RLA and Math
  - Reading: TSIA2:  $\geq 945$  AND Essay  $\geq 5$  OR Math: TSIA2:  $\geq 950$
- Dual Course Credits:  $\geq 3$  hours of dual-course credits in ELA OR Math OR  $\geq 9$  hours of dual course credits cumulated across subjects
- Score 3 or better on Advanced Placement (AP) Examination
- Earn an Associate Degree while in high school
- Complete an OnRamps course AND qualify for  $\geq 3$  hours of college credit
- Earn an Industry-Based Certification (IBC) AND Complete a CTE program of study
- Graduate with Completed Individualized Education Program (IEP) and Workforce Readiness
- Graduate Under an Advanced Diploma Plan and be Identified as a Current Special Education Student:
- Earn a Level I or Level II Certificate (*P-Tech Students only*)
- Enlist in the Armed Forces or Texas National Guard
- SAT Criteria: ELA:  $\geq 480$  or Math:  $\geq 530$
- ACT Criteria: English: English & Reading (E+R) Combined Score  $\geq 40$  or Math:  $\geq 22$
- College Prep ELA or College Prep Math: Course Credit earned during 11th or 12th Grade

# Texas College Bridge

- Online college preparatory courses meant to set students up for post-secondary success.
- Plus, when they graduate high school, students can earn a TSI exemption at more than 100 partnering colleges and universities across Texas.
- To enroll, students should go to their counselor's office for an Off-Campus or Office Aide form. After the form is submitted, the counselor will review it and determine on a case-by-case basis if the class can be added to the student's schedule.

The following institutions of higher education signed the Texas College Bridge Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and are active participants:

- Alvin Community College
- Amarillo College
- Angelina College
- Angelo State University
- Blinn College
- Brazosport College
- Central Texas College
- Cisco College
- Clarendon College
- Coastal Bend College
- College of the Mainland
- Dallas College
- Del Mar College
- Frank Phillips College
- Galveston College
- Grayson College
- Hill College
- Houston Community College
- Howard College
- Kilgore College
- Lamar Institute of Technology
- Lamar State College Orange
- Lamar State College Port Arthur
- Lamar University
- Laredo College
- Lee College
- Lone Star College
- McLennan Community College
- McMurry University
- Midland College
- Midwestern State University
- Navarro College
- North Central Texas College
- Northeast Lakeview College
- Northeast Texas Community College
- Northwest Vista College
- Odessa College
- Palo Alto College
- Panola College
- Paris Junior College
- Prairie View A&M University
- Ranger College
- Sam Houston State University
- San Antonio College
- San Jacinto College
- South Plains College
- South Texas College
- Southwest Texas Junior College
- St. Phillip's College
- Tarleton State University
- Tarrant County College
- Temple College
- Texarkana College
- Texas A&M International University
- Texas A&M University
- Texas A&M University at Commerce
- Texas A&M University - Corpus Christi
- Texas A&M University - Kingsville
- Texas A&M University - San Antonio
- Texas Southern University
- Texas State Technical College
- Texas State University
- Texas Woman's University
- The University of North Texas
- The University of North Texas at Dallas
- The University of Texas at Arlington
- The University of Texas at El Paso
- The University of Texas at San Antonio
- The University of Texas Permian Basin
- Trinity Valley Community College
- Tyler Junior College
- University of Houston - Victoria
- Vernon College
- Victoria College
- Weatherford College
- West Texas A&M University
- Western Texas College
- Wharton County Junior College

This list is updated as new institutions of higher education sign the Texas College Bridge MOU.



# Creating Your Application

# College Application Platforms

- ApplyTexas
  - [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org)
  - All Texas public and most Texas private colleges and universities
- Common App
  - [www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org)
  - 20 Texas universities and more than 1000 others worldwide
- Coalition Application
  - [www.coalitionforcollegeaccess.org](http://www.coalitionforcollegeaccess.org)
  - Six Texas universities and more than 175 others nationally
- Common Black College Application
  - [www.commonblackcollegeapp.com/](http://www.commonblackcollegeapp.com/)
  - More than 50 HBCUs on one application
- College and university websites
  - Many schools have their own application process
- Regardless of which platform you choose, please create your account with your personal email address
  - Your school email address will shut down at graduation and you might need access to these sites afterward



# Helpful YouTube Videos

ApplyTexas Account Creation Video

- <https://youtu.be/2XIMav-6wS0?feature=shared>



Common App Account Creation Video

- <https://youtu.be/1m9ypUv9Lpk?feature=shared>



APPLY ★ TEXAS

# FREE COLLEGE APPLICATION WEEK

Apply to all Texas public colleges for FREE  
through [Apply Texas](https://www.applytexas.org)

FREE COLLEGE  
APPLICATIONS

OCTOBER 13-19,  
2025

● All Texas Public  
4-year colleges

Does not apply to ●  
Common App





# **The College Application Process**

# College Application Process

- Submit your application using your platform of choice
- Make sure that your application is listed in SchoolLinks
- Log in to your college portals as soon as you receive login information
- Pay your application fee or request a fee waiver in SchoolLinks
- Send test scores through College Board or ACT, if applicable
- Request teacher/counselor recommendations in person and follow up with SchoolLinks request

# College Application Deadline Types

- **Early Decision**
  - A binding commitment in which if you are accepted, you are obligated to attend
  - You can only apply to one school
  - Most ED deadlines are in November. Only apply if school is your top choice and you are sure you will attend
- **Early Action**
  - Non-binding commitment and you can apply to multiple schools
  - Most EA deadlines are in November-January
  - Restricted Early Action allows only one application but is not binding like ED
- **Priority**
  - Non-binding and you can apply to multiple schools
  - Most Priority deadlines are in November or December and will provide early consideration for scholarships
- **Regular**
  - Deadlines are in January or February and you can apply to multiple schools

# What is Holistic Review?

- Holistic review looks at the entire student in and out of the classroom
- The review committee will examine the traditional test scores and classroom grades, but will also assess the applicant's achievements, work experience, extracurricular activities, essays and more
  - It looks at who the student is in their heart and in their head
- Pro: It provides colleges an expanded look at a student beyond the traditional
- Con: It takes longer to receive admissions decisions as the committees take adequate time to review
- While some schools still have auto-admit based on numbers, more and more are incorporating the holistic process to round out their student body

# College Apps in SchooLinks



- College apps must be added to SchooLinks in order to request transcripts, recommendations and application fee waivers and so that counselors can complete required Common App documentation
- Adding a college application to SchooLinks will automatically trigger a transcript request

The screenshot displays the SchooLinks interface with three main columns. The first column, '1 Incomplete', contains one entry for 'The University of Texas at San Antonio' with a '0/2' progress indicator. The second column, '6 Completed & pending', lists 'University of Houston', 'Texas State University', and 'Texas Tech University'. The third column, '6 Accepted', lists 'Houston Community College', 'Prairie View A & M University', and 'Sam Houston State University'. Each entry includes a college logo, name, and edit/delete icons. A large, faint 'SchooLinks' watermark is visible in the background.

**1 Incomplete**  
Edit an application below to **request recommendations** or **update checklist**.

**The University of Texas at San Antonio**

Regular Decision | Jun 1

0/2

**6 Completed & pending**  
Select a completed application below to **update results** or **track documents**.

6 Awaiting

**University of Houston**

**Texas State University**

**Texas Tech University**

**6 Accepted**  
Be sure to upload **award letters** and add an **enrollment decision**.

**Houston Community College**

**Prairie View A & M University**

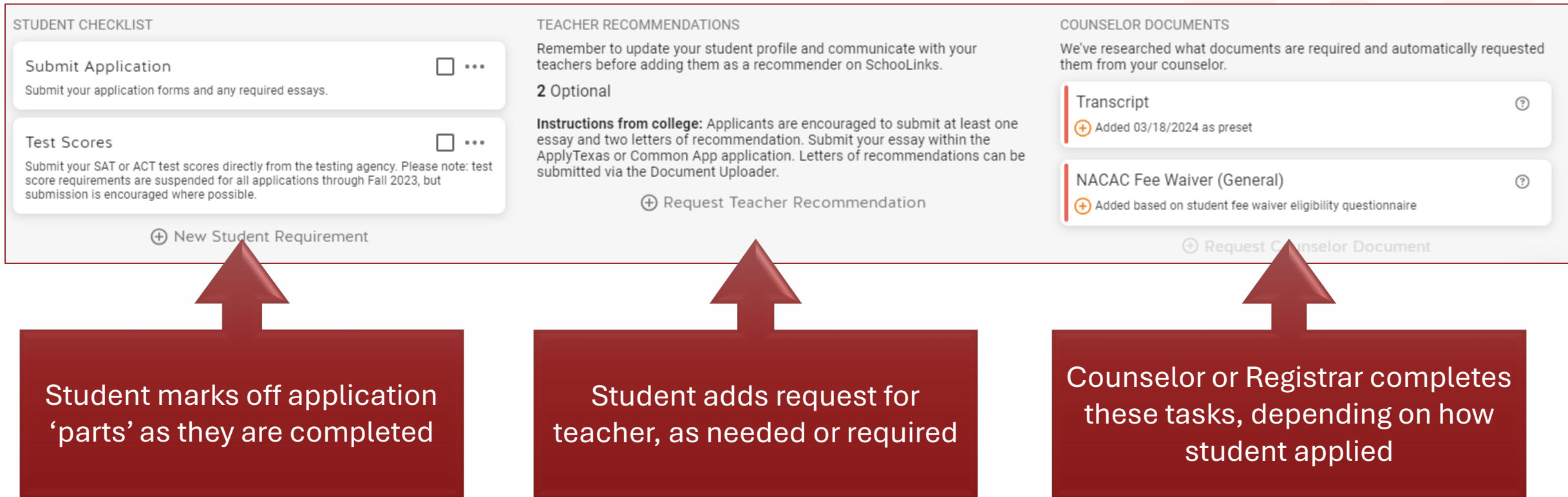
**Sam Houston State University**

**Enrolling**



# College Apps in SchoolLinks

- Expanded view of College Applications page



# Brag Sheet Requirement for LORs

The screenshot shows the SchoolLinks interface. On the left is a yellow sidebar with icons for Plan, Engage, Career, College, Track, Alumni, and Admin. The main content area has a 'Board' tab selected. Under 'Document manager', there are three items: 'Submission docs missing', 'Midyear docs missing', and 'Enrollment docs missing', each with a right-pointing arrow. Below this is the 'Recommendation tracker' section with buttons for 'Fulfilled', 'Pending', and 'Declined', and a 'View all requests' button. The 'Brag Sheet' section shows a status of 'INCOMPLETE' with a red label and a blue button labeled 'Complete brag sheet'. Below that is the 'FAFSA/TAFSA' section with a 'NOT FILED' status and an 'Update Status' button. At the bottom, there is a 'common app' logo and a 'NOT CONNECTED' status with a note: 'Your school opted out of the Common App integration. You must request application.' A pink arrow points from the 'Complete brag sheet' button to the 'INCOMPLETE' status label.

## REQUESTING LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATIONS IN SCHOOLINKS



- Please give recommenders at least 3 weeks to write letter of recs.
- Ask recommenders who know you well enough to highlight your strengths.
- Remember: quality letters take time, and our timeline has no exceptions.

1

- **Mandatory:** Complete your Brag Sheet in SchoolLinks (College --> College Applications--> Complete brag sheet)
  - This helps staff to write thorough, individualized letters.
    - If your recommenders can't see your responses, you can download it & share with them.
- Ask the staff member face to face

2

- Add the school(s) you have **already submitted**. (College --> College Applications--> Add application)
  - Be sure you've submitted your application because letters send automatically and need an application to attach to.

3

- Select the pencil icon next to the college.
  - If it requires letters of recommendations, click **+Add Recommender**
    - If its optional, it will say **+Request Teacher Recommendation**

4

- **Choose General**
  - Only choose College-Specific if you only want the letter to go to one specific school.
- Choose your staff member
  - For anyone outside FBISD, click **Add them manually**

5

- Write an email in the box making your request.
- Click **Add Recommender**

# Ranking, Transcripts and College Apps

- FBISD provides rank and quartile to a student separate from the transcript
  - The rank document will be provided to colleges from SchoolLinks
- Rank will not be included on the transcript as articulated in the rank policy EIC Local
- Students are allowed the ability to provide this information to the colleges of their choice and the opportunity to submit this information with scholarship applications via the Rank/Quartile Notification document
- Seniors were ranked 9/26/2025
  - A transcript was also ran that includes all coursework up to and including summer 2025
  - This transcript and rank will be used for most college applications
- Students will have the ability in SchoolLinks to select if they want their rank shared with colleges
  - **Please note that once a student has selected this option, they cannot change it**

# Transcripts



- Official Transcripts needed for Scholarships/NCAA/NAIA must be requested in SchoolLinks. To do this, click the "Student" tab, click "Record Request", then click "Send official Transcript".
  - Our registrar should process this request within 1 week.
- Need a Dual Credit or UT OnRamps Transcript? Request directly through HCC or UT for each school you are applying to AFTER you finish all of your HCC/UT classes.
- *FBISD Policy: A student/parent cannot request an official transcript to be handed to them. They may only access unofficial ones through Skyward.*





# **Scholarships and Financial Aid**

# What are Scholarships?

- Scholarships are free money that the student does not have to pay back
- They can bridge the gap between the Cost of Attendance (COA) and the amount of money the student has saved for college or trade school
- Academic scholarships are based on GPA, test scores and academic achievements
- Merit scholarships stem from success in sports, arts or community service
- Needs-based scholarships support students who demonstrate financial need
- Specialized scholarships are targeted at specific demographics, majors or career paths
- Scholarships can be funded by colleges or external organizations such as the Houston Rodeo

# Scholarships

<https://bit.ly/scholarshipsACHS>



## COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS

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Military

Student with Special Needs

Graduation Requirements

Students can begin their scholarship search as early as ninth grade and should apply for as many scholarships as they feel comfortable with.

*(Obviously, the more you apply for, the better your chances.)*

### SCHOLARSHIPS PER GRADE LEVEL

**MAKE SURE YOU MEET EVERY REQUIREMENT BEFORE APPLYING!!!!**

9th Grade

10th Grade

11th Grade

12th Grade

Students can apply for scholarships to help pay for the cost of college. There are a variety of ways to access scholarships. Students can find these scholarship opportunities through...

1. **SchoolLinks** - Go to "Finances" and then click "Scholarship Matching".
2. **Colleges and Universities** - Most colleges offer scholarships through their admissions office, financial aid office, and/or campus departments. Since each college varies students should contact the school directly or go to the college website to inquire about campus scholarships, the application process, and deadlines.
3. **Raise.Me** - A micro-scholarship site where students can earn money from colleges beginning in the 9th grade for making good grades, taking SAT and ACT tests, visiting colleges, etc. The money can add up quickly!
4. **Internet Scholarship Search** - Students can use websites to search for scholarships. Usually students need to create an account and profile so scholarships can be matched to the students' criteria and eligibility. Students should **NOT** have to pay for any resource to find scholarships.

Edit Page

Access Scholarships

College Answer

College Greenlight

Fast Aid

Fast Web

Get Schooled

Sallie Mae Scholarships

Scholarship America

Scholarships 360

scholarships.com

School Soup

Expand All

Around the Corner from College Scholarship (\$1,000) >

Too Cool to Pay for School Scholarship (\$1,000) >

5 Strong Scholarship Foundation >

Coca-Cola Scholarship >

College Board Scholarship >

Dell Scholar Program >

Hispanic Scholarship >



# Finding Scholarships in SchooLinks



<https://youtu.be/E8CrYTK3878?feature=shared>



# Applying for the FAFSA/TASFA

- Free Application for Federal Student Aid or Texas Application for State Financial Aid
- Enables students to apply for
  - Loans
  - Grants
  - Scholarships
  - Work-study programs
- Both open on October 1
  - Apply by January 15th to get priority aid!
- All seniors will complete a FAFSA, TASFA, or opt-out form as a graduation requirement



# FAFSA Eligibility for Non-U.S. Citizens

- **U.S. National**
  - Includes natives of American Samoa or Swains Island
- **U.S. Permanent Resident with a Form I-551 OR I-151**
  - Permanent Resident Card, Resident Alien Card, or Alien Registration Receipt Card, also known as a "green card."
- **Arrival-Departure Record (I-94) from U.S. Citizen & Immigration Services(USCIS) showing one of the following**
  - Refugee
  - Asylum Granted
  - Conditional Permanent Resident
  - Cuban-Haitian Entrant
  - Conditional Entrant (Valid only if issued before April 1, 1980)
  - Parolee
  - Modified Parolee
    - Ukrainian Citizens & nationals paroled into the U.S. between 2/24/22 & 9/30/24
    - Afghan Citizens & nationals paroled into the U.S. between 7/31/21 & 9/30/23

# FAFSA Eligibility for Non-U.S. Citizens

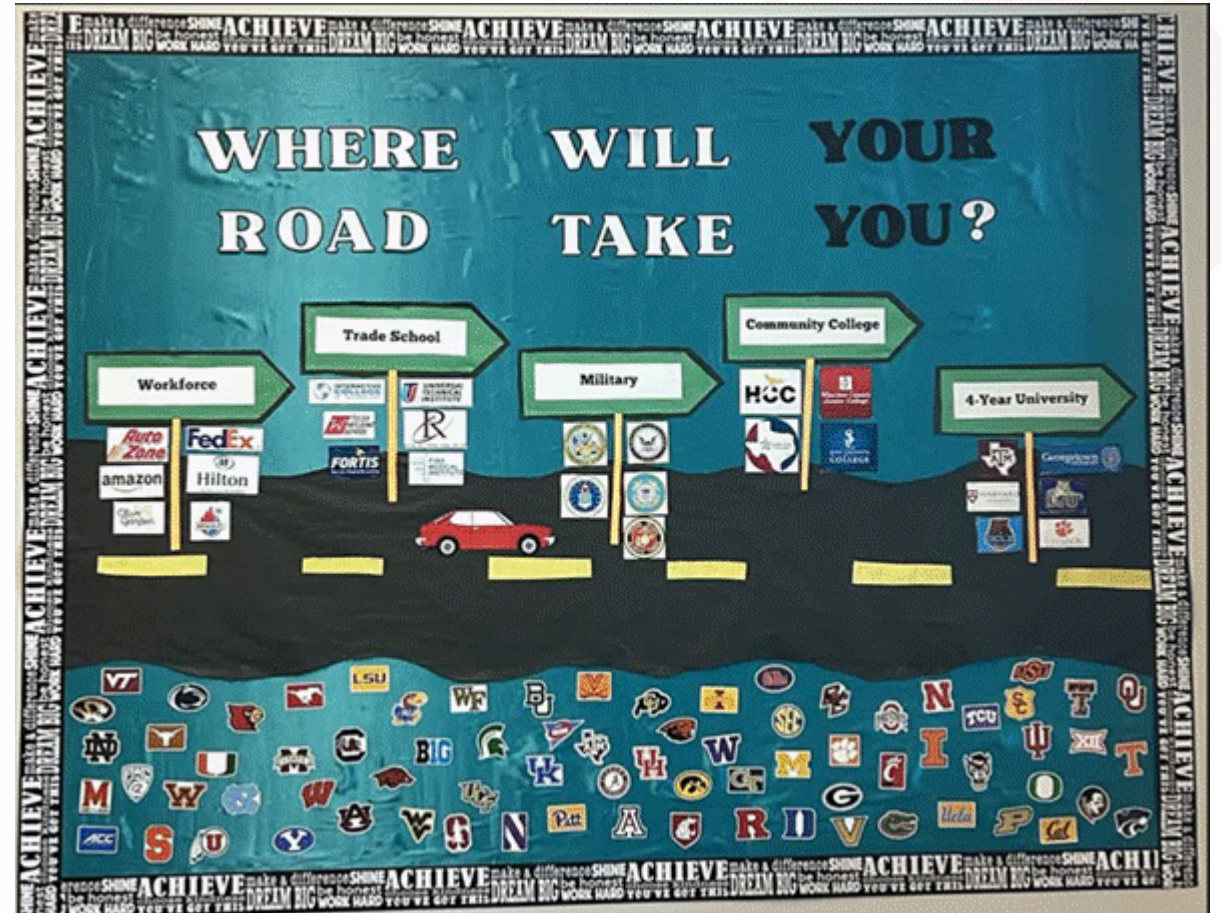
- Hold a T nonimmigrant status (T-visa) or your parent holds a T-1 nonimmigrant status
- Battered immigrant-qualified alien who is a victim of abuse by your citizen or permanent resident spouse, or you are the child of a person designated as such under the Violence Against Women Act
- You are a citizen of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, or the Republic of Palau.
  - If this is the case, you may be eligible for only certain types of federal student aid
    - `Eligible for Federal Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grants, & Federal Work study
- Certain Native American students born in Canada with a status under the Jay Treaty of 1794 may also be eligible for federal student aid.

The image features a solid red background with a subtle pattern of thin, curved, concentric lines. In the center, there is a white rectangular box. Inside this box, the word "Highlights" is written in a bold, dark red, sans-serif font. In the top right corner of the white box, there is a small, dark red icon resembling a stylized corner bracket or a folded piece of paper.

# Highlights

# Celebratory Wall

Any student who is accepted to a college or trade school, or who gets hired for a job, can take a celebratory photo in front of this backdrop!



# Birthday Announcements



We are pleased to announce that ACHS will offer marquee space for parents and guardians to recognize student birthdays.

**\*\*THE COST IS \$25!**

The birthday message must be for a currently enrolled ACHS student. The message must adhere to school and district guidelines and is subject to approval.

**\*\*Please submit your request at least two weeks prior to your student's birthday.**



# CHARGER BLANKETS!

PROCEEDS SUPPORT THE FACULTY FUND

ORDER VIA REVTRAK LINK OR QR CODE



**50" X 60"!**  
**SNUGGLY SOFT!**  
**VIBRANT COLORS!**  
**SCHOOL SPIRIT!**  
**GREAT KEEPSAKE!**  
**LIMITED EDITION!**



[HTTPS://FORTBENDISD.REVTRAK.NET/HS/ACHS/ACHS-FACULTY/#/V/ACHS-FACULTY-FUND-BLANKET-SALES](https://fortbendisd.revtrak.net/hs/achs/achs-faculty/#/v/achs-faculty-fund-blanket-sales)





# **Senior Information**

# Senior Activities

- Panoramic Shot
- Winter Brunch
- Senior Dinner
- Senior Trip
- Senior Field Day
- Powderpuff
- Prom
- Senior Sunset

## Charger Package

1 Sr Prom Ticket, 1 Senior Trip Ticket, 1 Senior Dinner Ticket, 1 Sr Brunch Ticket

1 Senior T-Shirt, 1 Yearbook, 1 Yard Sign

▪ Cost to students: \$660

## Teal Package

1 Sr Prom Ticket, 1 Senior Trip Ticket, 1 Sr Brunch Ticket

1 Senior T-Shirt, 1 Yearbook, 1 Yard Sign

▪ Cost to students: \$575

## Silver Package

1 Sr Prom Ticket, 1 Senior Trip

1 Senior T-Shirt, 1 Yearbook, 1 Yard Sign

▪ Cost to students: \$505

## White Package

1 Sr Prom Ticket, 1 Senior T-Shirt, 1 Yearbook, 1 Yard Sign

▪ Cost to students: \$305

▪ **1<sup>st</sup> payment made via RevTrack beginning May 2025, payment can be made at any time. Must be paid off by 12/31/25**

▪ **Non refundable, non transferrable, seniors can be disqualified**

We will only offer 4 packages to seniors for simplicity. All items will also be sold a la carte for a higher price than charged to Package members. Other events will take place during senior year & will be sold separately.





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# CLASS OF 2026 SENIOR PACKAGES

Purchase now and save for all of the most memorable parts of Senior year!

PAYMENT PLANS  
AVAILABLE!

## CHARGER PACKAGE

- ✓ Prom Ticket
- ✓ Senior Trip Ticket

- ✓ Senior Dinner Ticket
- ✓ Senior Brunch Ticket
- ✓ Senior Yard Sign
- ✓ Senior T-Shirt
- ✓ Yearbook

**\$660**

## WHITE PACKAGE

- ✓ Prom Ticket
- ✓ Senior T-Shirt
- ✓ Yearbook
- ✓ Senior Yard Sign

**\$305**

## TEAL PACKAGE

- ✓ Prom Ticket
- ✓ Senior Trip Ticket
- ✓ Senior T-Shirt
- ✓ Yearbook
- ✓ Senior Yard Sign
- ✓ Senior Brunch Ticket

**\$575**

## SILVER PACKAGE

- ✓ Prom Ticket
- ✓ Senior Trip Ticket
- ✓ Senior T-Shirt
- ✓ Yearbook
- ✓ Senior Yard Sign

**\$505**

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# CLASS OF 2026 SENIOR EVENTS AND MORE

Purchase a package to save! Other items will be sold a-la-carte for a higher price than charged to Package members.

## SENIOR PROM

April 18, 2026 Theme: Bridgerton Ball  
The ultimate formal dance event of the year!  
Seniors (and approved guests) dress to impress and dance the night away in a beautifully decorated venue.

## SENIOR BRUNCH

Winter 2026 Theme: le Brunch En Blanc  
A celebratory mid-morning meal exclusively for seniors. A chance to relax, reflect, and enjoy delicious food with classmates as they enter their last Spring as high school students.

## SENIOR DINNER

Spring 2026 Theme: Masquerade  
A semi formal evening event where seniors gather for a final dinner together. Includes a catered meal, student speeches, senior superlatives, and plenty of photo opportunities.  
A heartfelt evening.

## YEARBOOK

A full-color, hardcover book packed with photos, memories, and milestones from the Class of 2026's final year.

## SENIOR TRIP

An unforgettable day excursion with the Class of 2026! Ticket includes transportation, entry, and chaperone supervision.  
May 2026 location TBD

## SENIOR YARD SIGN

Show off your pride! A personalized "Class of 2026" yard sign for celebrating your graduate at home. Great for lawn displays and graduation photos.

## SENIOR T-SHIRT

A custom Class of 2026 t-shirt designed by and for seniors! Perfect for spirit days, photos, and as a keepsake. Available in a range of sizes.

Other events will take place during Senior Year and will be sold separately.

# ACHS Senior Information Website

<https://www.fortbendisd.com/Page/189367>





# **College & Career Readiness Events**

# Events

- ACHS will also have its own college fair November 12th 5-7pm!
- Financial Aid Workshop will be Oct 22nd from 5-7pm.
  - Make sure to create your FAFSA accounts before the event!



**Wednesday**  
**October 1, 2025**

6-8 p.m.

**GEORGE BUSH HIGH SCHOOL**  
6707 FM 1464  
Richmond, TX 77406

**Wednesday**  
**October 8, 2025**

6-8 p.m.

**HIGHTOWER HIGH SCHOOL**  
3333 Hurricane Ln  
Missouri City, TX 77459

Seniors and Juniors may register for any of the 2025 College Fairs at the registration link or QR code below.

Our College Fairs will provide you with the following opportunities and more:

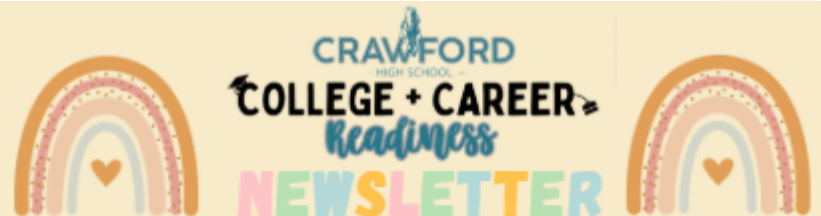
- Connect with Colleges and Universities from the Great State of Texas, the US and beyond
- Receive LIVE Admissions, Financial Aid, or general College/University advisement
- Schedule meetings, and chat with Admission Representatives (one-on-one or in a group)
- View College and University Brochures
- Apply to your selected College or University



# Rep Visits

## ACHS CCR Center Newsletter

- 10/28 (3rd Pd): [US Air Force Registration Link](#)
- 11/6 (4th-Lunch): [Sam Houston Registration Link](#)
- 11/11 (3rd Pd): [SFA Registration Link](#)
- 2/10 (3rd Pd): [Blinn Registration Link](#)



### College and Career Readiness Advisor

 [dejah.walea@fortbendisd.gov](mailto:dejah.walea@fortbendisd.gov)

 281-327-6855

 <https://bit.ly/ACHSccrWebsite>

**Dejah Walea**



 Student Appointment Request

 Guardian Appointment Request

### Upcoming Events

**Senior Events:**

- Every Friday – College Application Workshop
- 9/24 @ 6:30pm – Financial Aid Night Webinar
- 9/25 @ 5:30pm – Senior Parent Meeting
- 9/30 – Coca Cola Scholarship Deadline
- 9/30 – QuestBridge Scholarship Deadline
- 10/1 – FAFSA/TASFA opens up

**Rep Visits:**

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### Scholarships

Scholarships for 9th-12th graders!



[www.bit.ly/scholarshipsACHS](http://www.bit.ly/scholarshipsACHS)

### College Entrance Exams

Please click this Link to view the ACHS SAT/ACT schedule: [ACHS SAT/ACT Schedule](#)

For any students wanting to study for the SAT or TSIA2, please utilize these study resources.

- [SAT Registration Link](#)
- [ACT Registration Link](#)
- Seniors without their CCMR point will take TSIA2 10/28 & 10/30.

| Khan Academy                                                                          | SAT Test Prep                                                                         | TSIA2 Test Prep                                                                       |
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-  **Stay organized**
-  **Ask questions early**
-  **Meet your deadlines**
-  **Enjoy the moments**

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