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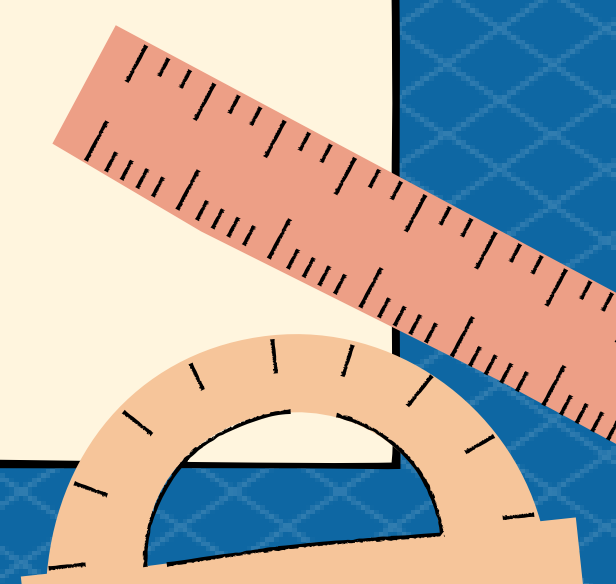
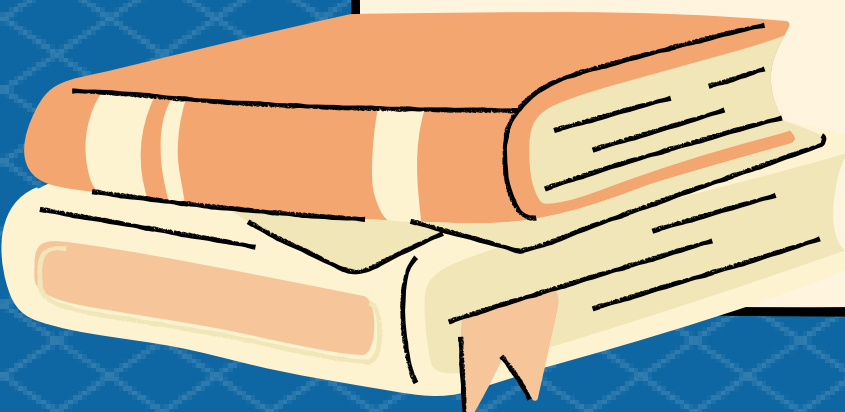
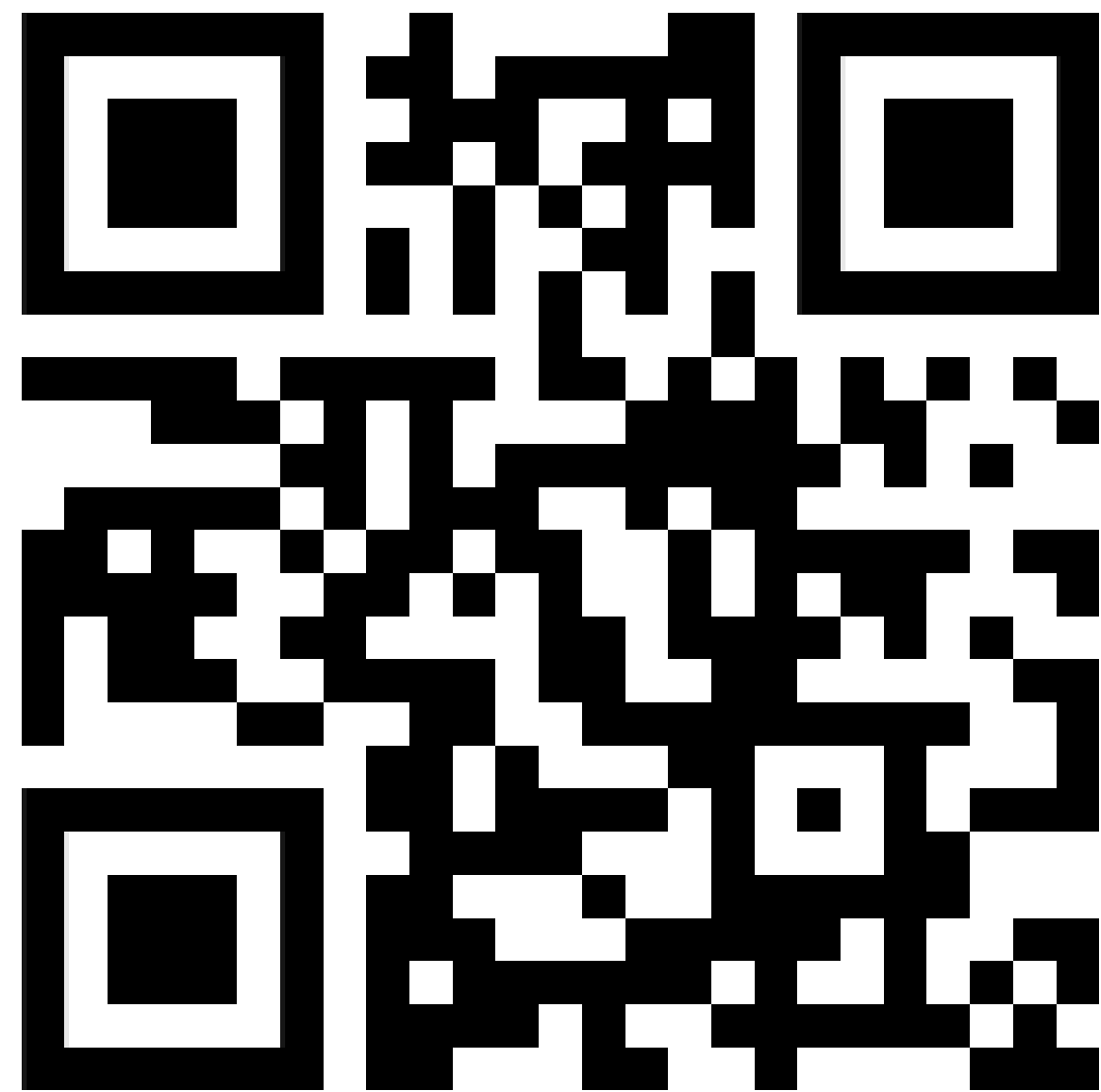
Class of 2026 & 2027



Welcome Parents!

Join CP PTO

PTOTWCP.COM



Meet the Administration



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Principal



DR. DEBRA CREEL

Headmaster Academy of
Science & Technology

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Administration/Discipline



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DAVIS
Facility Operations



DR. SUSAN
HERSPERGER
Curriculum &
Instruction

Assistant Principals



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MCKNIGHT

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MR. LEE
KOSLOSKY

Cat – Fle



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ROBBINS

Huh – Mas

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Mat - Pl



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LAMMERS

Pm - Sot



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Sou - Z

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FLORES

Lead Counselor



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College & Career
Counselor

9th Grade Counselors



MRS. LAURA
HOLLIS

A - KI



MRS. SARAH
KELLY

Km - Z

10th-12th Grade Counselors



MRS. CINDY DOUD
A – Cas



MRS. AMANDA
MCDOWELL
Cat – Fl



MRS. SHERI
RUTLEDGE
Fm – In



MRS. REAGAN
LOCKE
Io – Ma

10th-12th Grade Counselors



MRS. JENNIFER
CARDENAS

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MRS. JAMIE
SLABAUGH

Ps - Son



MR. CYRIL PAJESTKA

Soo - Z

Keys to Success



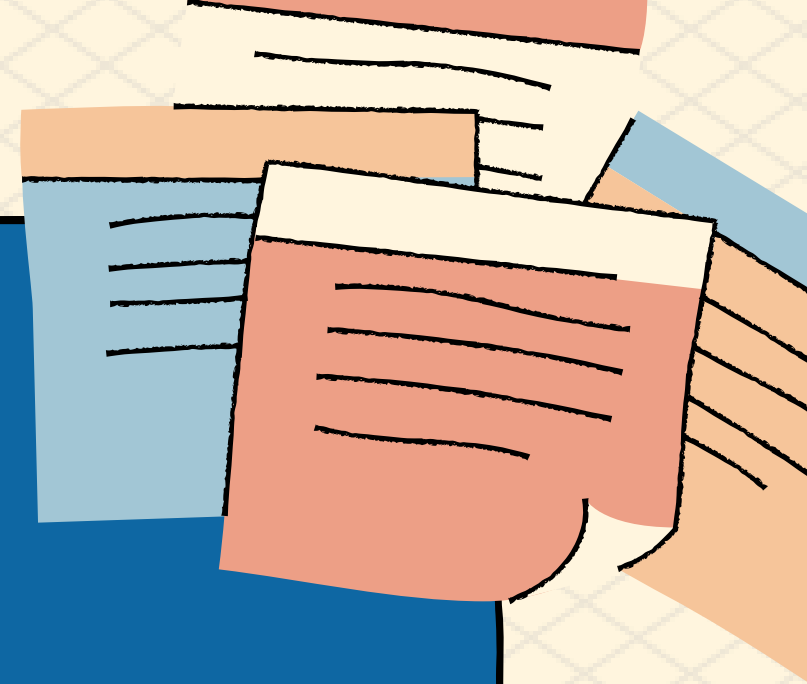
SELF ADVOCACY


POSITIVE ATTITUDE

TIME MANAGEMENT

ORGANIZATION

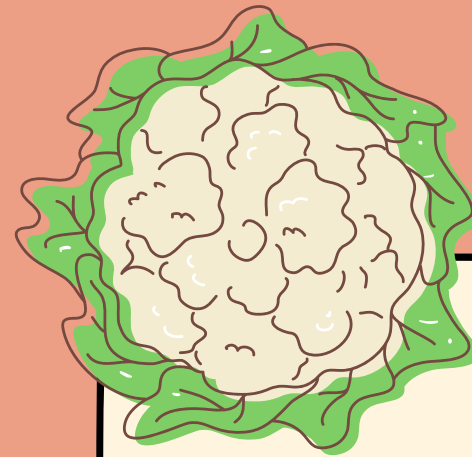
GOAL SETTING





CPHS Wednesdays

- SUICIDE AWARENESS
- COLLEGE READINESS
 - ANTI-BULLYING
 - GOAL SETTING



- FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY
- TEEN DRIVER SAFETY
- POSITIVE SELF-TALK
 - PERSEVERANCE
 - STUDY TIPS



Role of a School Counselor

Over the 4 years of high school, your counselor will:



- MEET INDIVIDUALLY WITH STUDENTS ONCE PER YEAR
- 4-YEAR AND POST SECONDARY PLANNING

- COLLEGE AND CAREER GUIDANCE
- ACADEMIC COUNSELING

- CLASSROOM GUIDANCE
- CRISIS COUNSELING

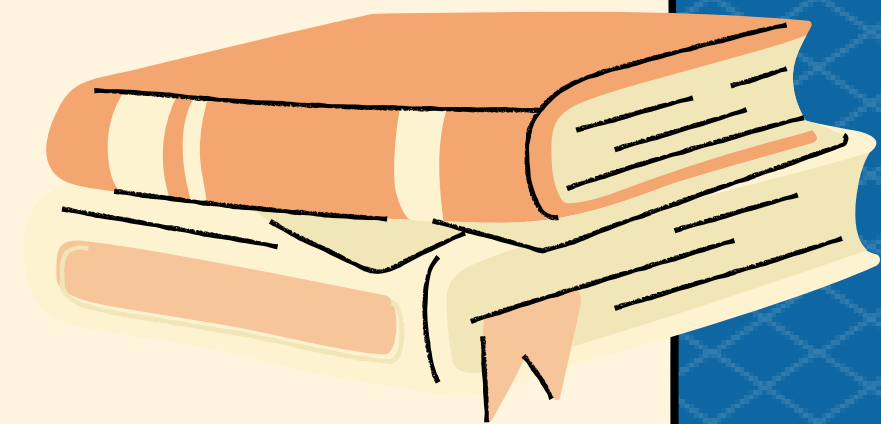
Graduation Requirements



Foundation Graduation Plan + Endorsement

THESE REQUIREMENTS ARE FULFILLED BY:

- ENGLISH I, 2, 3, AND 4
- ALGEBRA, GEOMETRY, ALGEBRA II, AND ONE ADDITIONAL MATH COURSE
- BIOLOGY, CHEMISTRY, PHYSICS, AND ONE ADDITIONAL SCIENCE COURSE
- WORLD GEOGRAPHY, WORLD HISTORY, US HISTORY, GOVERNMENT AND ECONOMICS
- TWO CREDITS OF A FOREIGN LANGUAGE (IN THE SAME LANGUAGE)
- ONE FINE ARTS CREDIT
- ONE PE CREDIT
- HEALTH CREDIT (.5)
- FIVE AND A HALF ELECTIVE CREDITS



What is an Endorsement?

AN ENDORSEMENT IS AN AREA OF INTEREST OR FOCUS

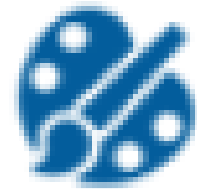
ELECTIVES DETERMINE THE ENDORSEMENT

THERE ARE FIVE ENDORSEMENT AREAS

Endorsement Areas



BUSINESS & INDUSTRY



ARTS & HUMANITIES



PUBLIC SERVICES



S.T.E.M.

(SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATHEMATICS)



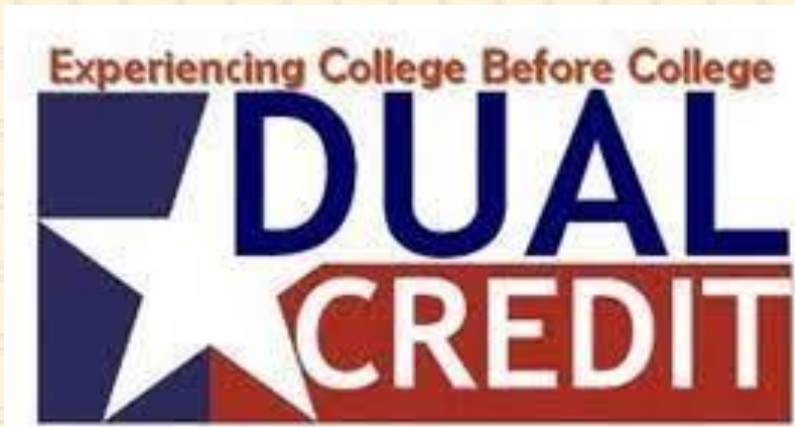
MULTIDISCIPLINARY STUDIES



Distinguished Level of Achievement

- Foundation High School Program
- An Endorsement
- Algebra II

Performance Acknowledgements



**AT LEAST 12 COLLEGE ACADEMIC HOURS
THROUGH DUAL CREDIT**

BILINGUALISM AND BI-LITERACY



A SCORE OF A 3 OR ABOVE ON AN AP EXAM

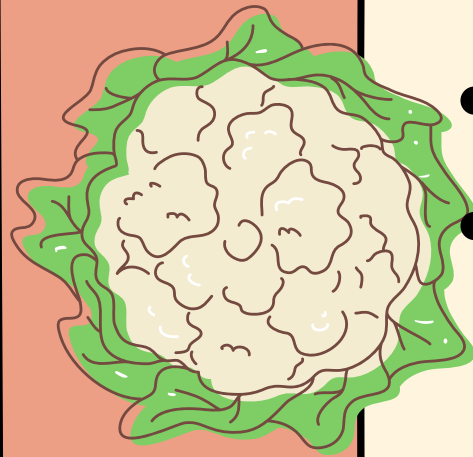
**OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE ON PSAT, SAT
OR ACT**



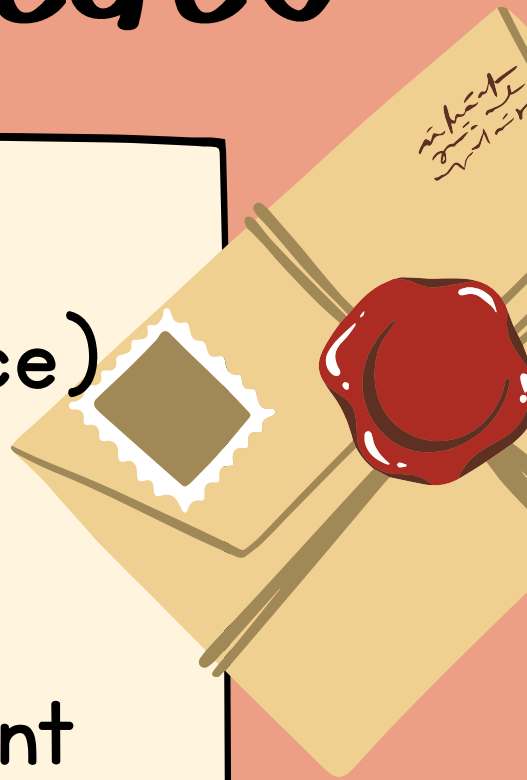
**EARNED BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY
CERTIFICATION OR LICENSE**

Texas Requirements vs. Out of State

- Specific course requirements per subject area
- 26 credits needed to graduate
- Specific additional requirements other than core classes
- Grade classification based on credits earned
- 6 credits = 10th grade
- 12 credits = 11th grade
- 18 credits = 12th grade



- General course names. (Ex: Math, Social Studies, Science)
- Different credit systems
- Not all elective credits transfer--must be equivalent to a Texas course
- Less than 7 classes a year may cause a student to be behind



How does this impact college admissions?

THE CHANGING LANDSCAPE OF **COLLEGE** ADMISSIONS

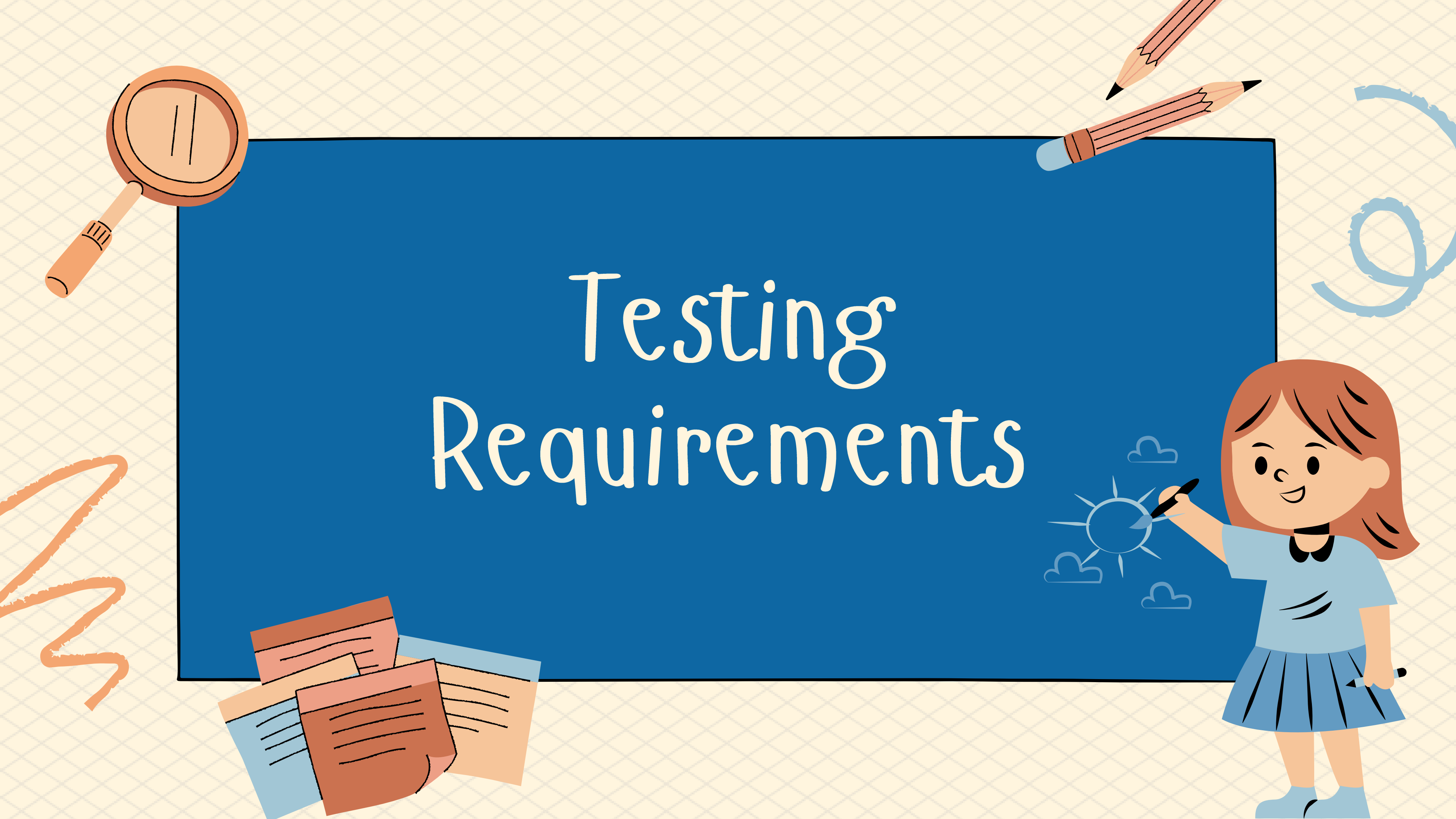


COLLEGES WANT
STUDENTS TO
COMPLETE THEIR
STATE
GRADUATION
REQUIREMENTS.

THEY LOOK AT
CONTENT OF
CLASSES TAKEN
AS WELL AS
GRADES IN THOSE
CLASSES.

CHECK
ADMISSIONS
REQUIREMENTS AT
EACH UNIVERSITY
PRIOR TO
APPLYING.

Testing Requirements



PSAT

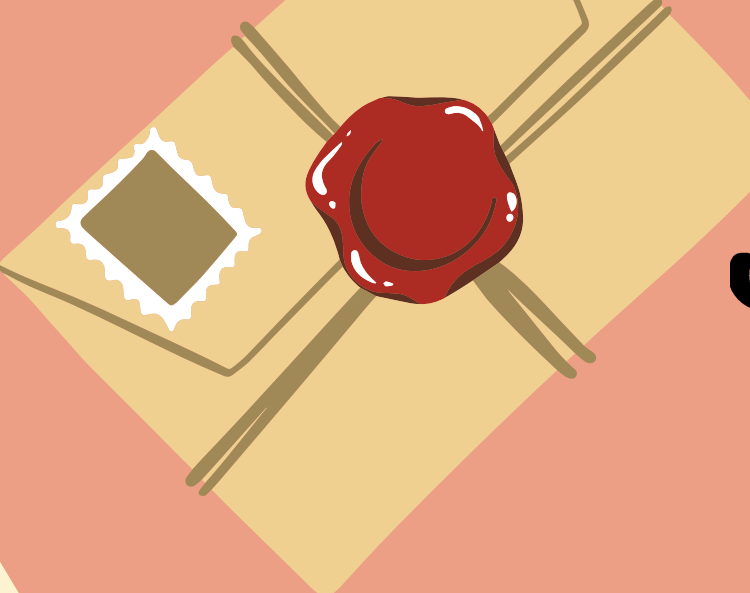
- Practice for SAT
- Given to all 10th and 11th grade students
- Qualifying test for Juniors for the National Merit scholarship competition
- Tuesday, October 17th – 9th graders
- Tuesday, October 24th – 10th graders
- Cost for 10th and 11th grade students is paid for by Conroe ISD
- Limited number of 9th graders may sign up and pay online to take the test through School Cash Online. Registration ended on September 8th.



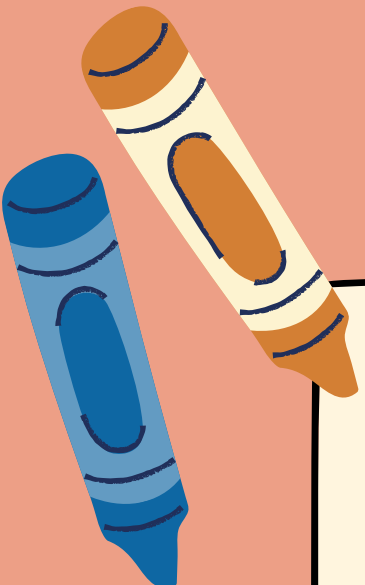
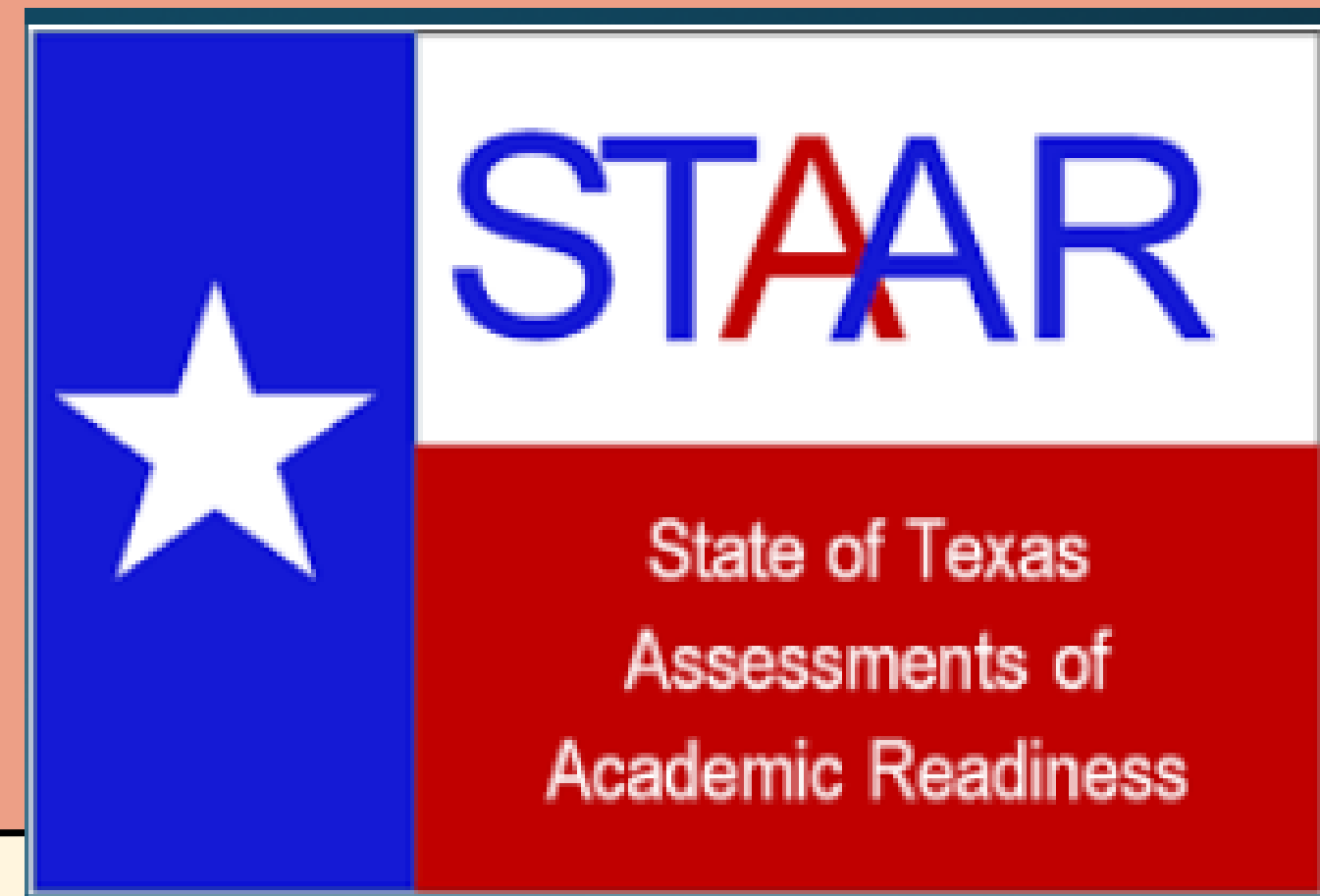
PSAT Score Report

- Scores will be released in December
- Access code is available on score report and through Naviance
- My College Quick Start:
personalized study plan for SAT,
college major and career matches

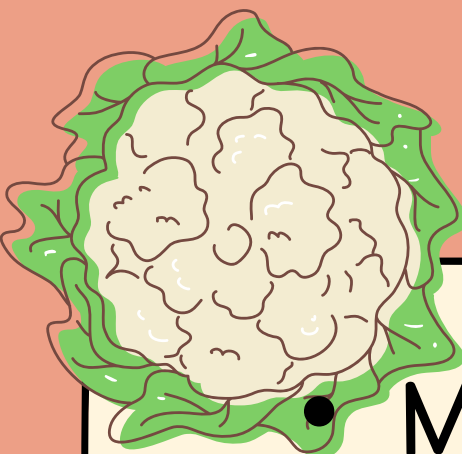






STAAR – EOC Exams



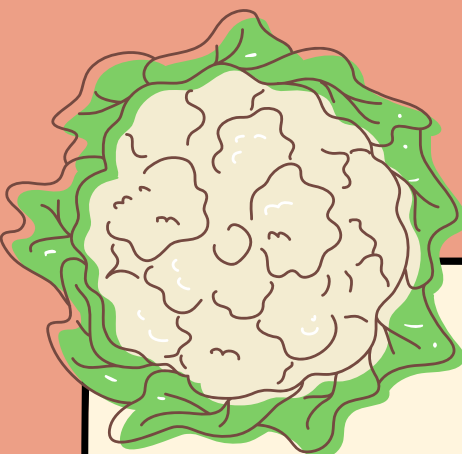
ENGLISH I
ENGLISH II
ALGEBRA I
BIOLOGY
US HISTORY

- 
- Must take and pass as part of graduation requirements
 - Out of state students may be exempted from STAAR exams if they have earned credit.
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SAT and/or ACT



These exams are typically taken in the Spring semester of the student's Junior year



Test Prep courses are offered through the College Readiness office at Conroe ISD



An illustration of two spiral-bound notebooks. The top notebook is orange with a blank yellow rectangular label on its cover. The bottom notebook is blue. To the right of the notebooks is a large black plus sign. The background is a light cream color with a vertical black line and a horizontal pink line intersecting at the bottom left.

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Do all CP Graduates attend a 4 year college?

CLASS OF
2023



**60% CURRENTLY ATTENDING A
4-YEAR COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY**

**33% CURRENTLY ATTENDING A 2-
YEAR COLLEGE
3% CURRENTLY ATTENDING A
TRADE SCHOOL**

**1% JOINED THE MILITARY
3% WORK OR OTHER**

Resources to help students determine future options?



NAVIANCE
Family Connection

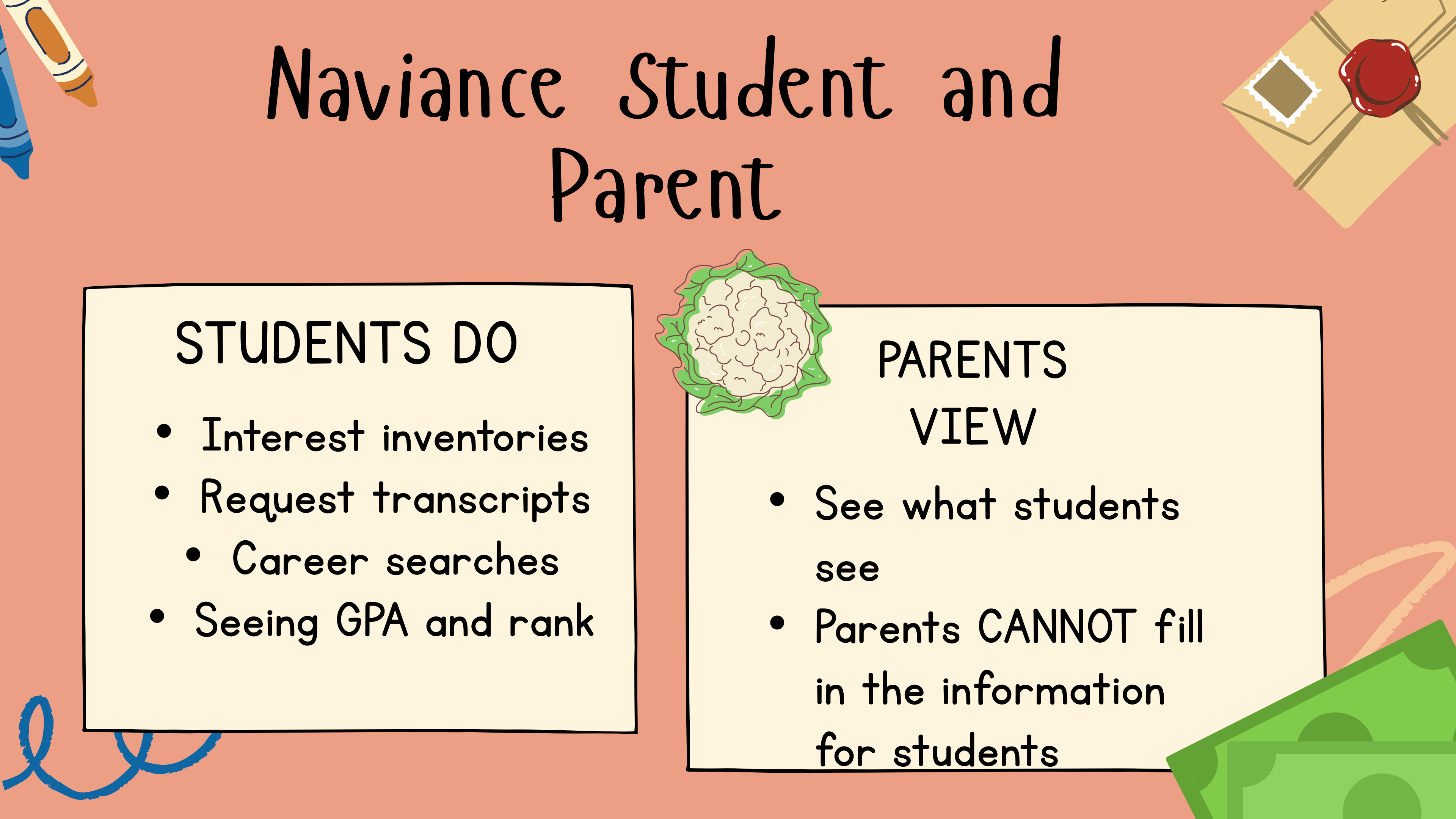


- High School career and college planning
- Supports guidance curriculum
- College acceptance data enrolled in College Park
- Counseling department communication tool for students/parents

Naviance for Parents



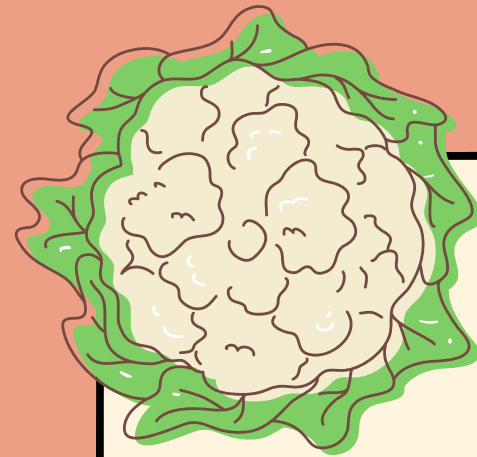
Use this QR code to go directly to the Naviance website
for parents!



Naviance Student and Parent

STUDENTS DO

- Interest inventories
- Request transcripts
- Career searches
- Seeing GPA and rank



PARENTS VIEW

- See what students see
- Parents CANNOT fill in the information for students



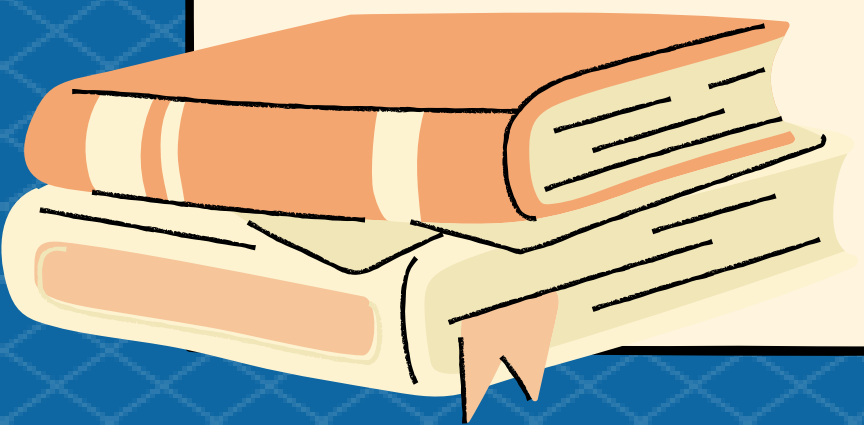
- Where should I apply?
- How do I get in?
- When should I begin planning?



QUESTIONS
ASKED
ABOUT
COLLEGE...

Automatic Admissions

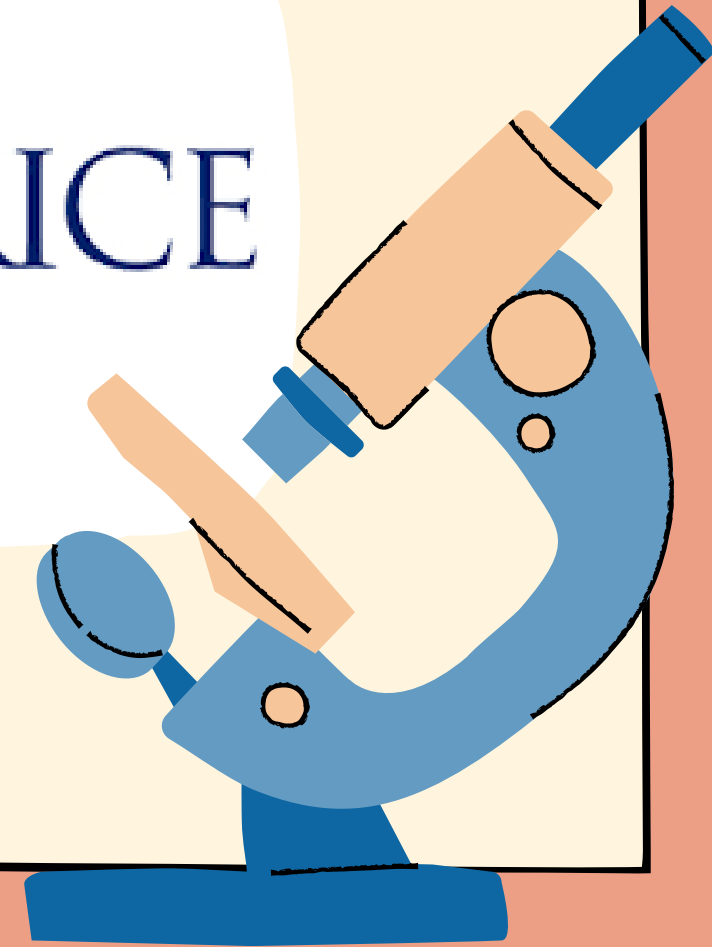
- Graduate with the Distinguished Level of Achievement
- Graduate in the top 10% of your high school class
- Enroll in college, no more than 2 years after graduation
- Submit an application by the institution's deadline
- University of Texas automatic admit – top 6%



Selective/Review Admissions

Factors that are considered in the admissions process:

- Curriculum studied
- Admissions tests (SAT/ACT) **
- Class rank and GPA
- Activities
- Volunteer hours
- Demonstrated interest
- Essays
- Letters of Recommendation



When should I begin planning for college?





The image displays three screenshots of the Naviance Student interface, connected by large teal arrows indicating a navigation path.

Top Screenshot: Shows the main navigation bar with links: Home, Colleges, Careers, About Me, and My Planner. A teal arrow points from the 'Colleges' link to the middle screenshot.

Middle Screenshot: Shows a dropdown menu for the 'Colleges' link. The menu items are:

- CAREERS Home (with a house icon)
- CAREERS I'm thinking about (with a heart icon)
- EXPLORE Careers, Clusters and Pathways (with a graduation cap icon)
- ROADTRIP NATION Interview archive (with a graduation cap icon)
- Explore Careers and Interests (with a right arrow icon)

A teal arrow points from the 'CAREERS Home' item to the bottom screenshot.

Bottom Screenshot: Shows the 'My Stuff' section, accessible via the 'About Me' link. It includes a 'Back' button and a list of items:

- My Surveys
- Resume
- Test Scores
- Portfolio
- Documents Shared With Me
- Journal

How to pay for college?



STATE FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS

- Texas Be-on-Time (BOT)
- Top 10% Scholarship
- Texas Grant

UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE SPECIFIC FINANCIAL AID

LOANS

SCHOLARSHIPS

- You can begin looking now - some are grade level specific

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- ## High School years only



Clubs & Organizations



How to help your 9th Grader?

FRESHMAN
year

- KEEP UP GRADES IN PAC
- ENCOURAGE STUDENT TO BE A SELF-ADVOCATE

- COMMUNICATE WITH TEACHERS EARLY WITH CONCERNS (EMAIL, IN PERSON)
- CHECK CANVAS REGULARLY

- TUTORING
- ENCOURAGE STUDENT TO BE INVOLVED

How to help your 10th Grader?

SOPHOMORE
year

- KEEP UP WITH GRADES IN PAC
- COMMUNICATE WITH TEACHERS (EMAIL OR IN-PERSON)

- CHECK CANVAS REGULARLY
- MOTIVATE THEM TO CONTINUE TO WORK HARD

- PSAT IS OCTOBER 24TH
- CONTINUE TO ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO GET INVOLVED

LOGIN TO PARENT ACCESS CENTER (PAC)

GO TO CONROEISD.NET

 Calendars  Careers  Contact Us CISD S



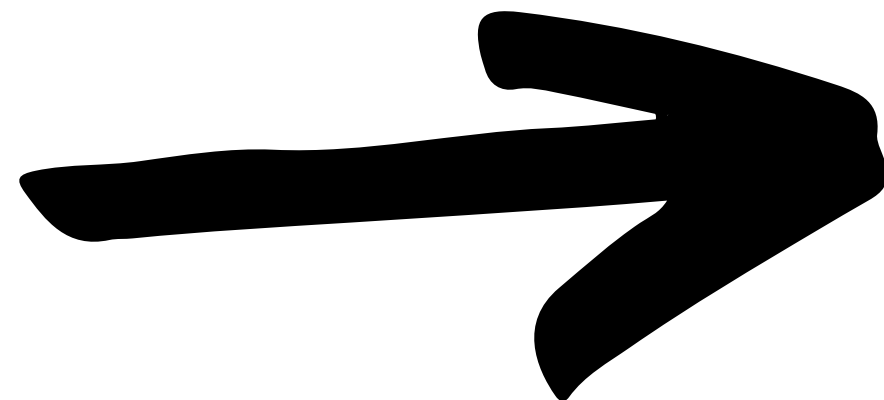
Parents/Students ▾

Employees ▾

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What Bus Do I Ride?

Click here to view bus route information! →



RESOURCES FOR PARENTS

- › Enrollment & Transfers
- › Communicating with CISD
- › Parent Access Center
- › Canvas
- › Policies, Handbooks & Forms
- › Transportation
- › Volunteer in CISD

RESOURCES FO

- › Outlook Email
- › School Meals
- › Student Acce
- › Student Inform
- › Safety Informa
- › SSO

Parents

IF YOU HAVE LOGGED IN
BEFORE

Parent Access Center

Parent Access Center is a free program available to all CISD parent/guardians that allows viewing of helpful information regarding student attendance, report cards, progress reports, daily grades, state test results, Students Achieving Excellence (SAE), discipline and available lunch money. Parents may also sign up to receive an email alert when an assignment score is inputted or updated.

Parents/Guardians wishing to access this service must have a valid email address.

> Login

> Register



FIRST TIME
TO LOGIN

LOGIN TO CANVAS

GO TO CONROEISD.NET
SAME LOGIN AS YOUR
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SCHOOL COUNSELOR

Counselor's Corner - Slabaugh
Counselor's Corner
23-24 YEARLONG

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CONROE
INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS DISTRICT

Dashboard

Account

Dashboard

Courses

Calendar

Inbox

History

Search

Commons

Studio

Help

Published Courses (6)

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Operations

Operations Dept
Operations Dept
23-24 Manual

BELIEVE

TWCP Faculty
TWCP

CP Counselors
CP

CLASS OF 2024

CP Class of 2024
CP 2024
23-24 Manual

Tutoring Options



FREE TUTORING OPTIONS

- Teacher tutorials
- Department tutorials
- Peer tutoring
- Late Night tutoring
- Honor Society tutoring

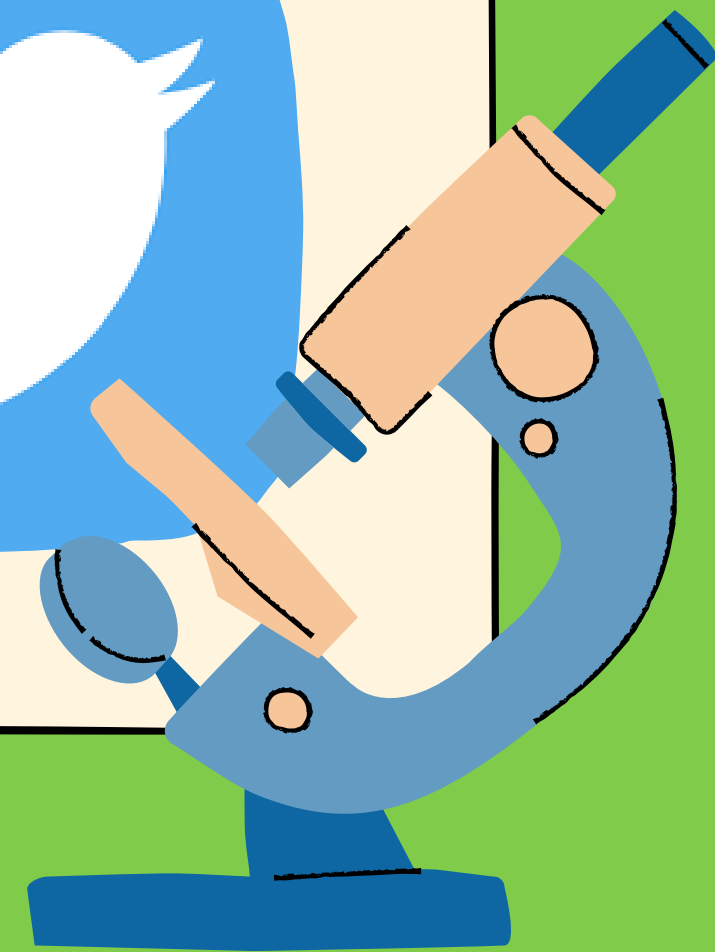
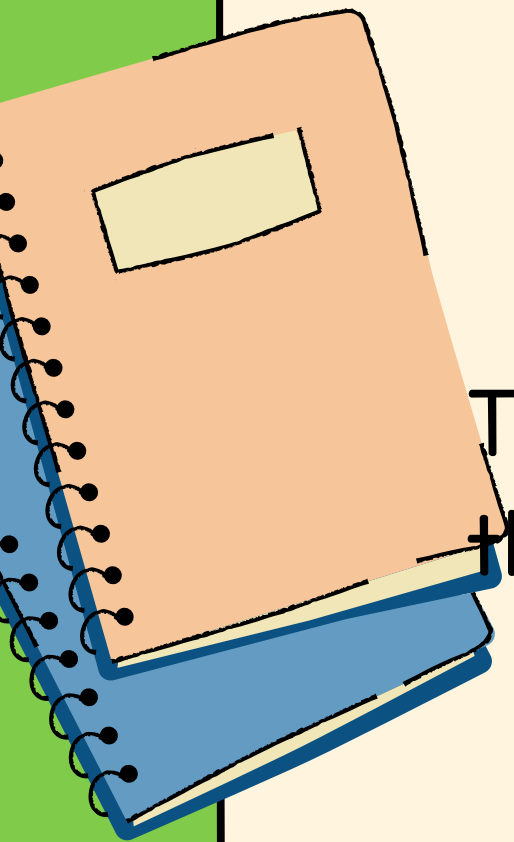
OTHER TUTORING OPTIONS

- Private tutoring
- Tutoring companies

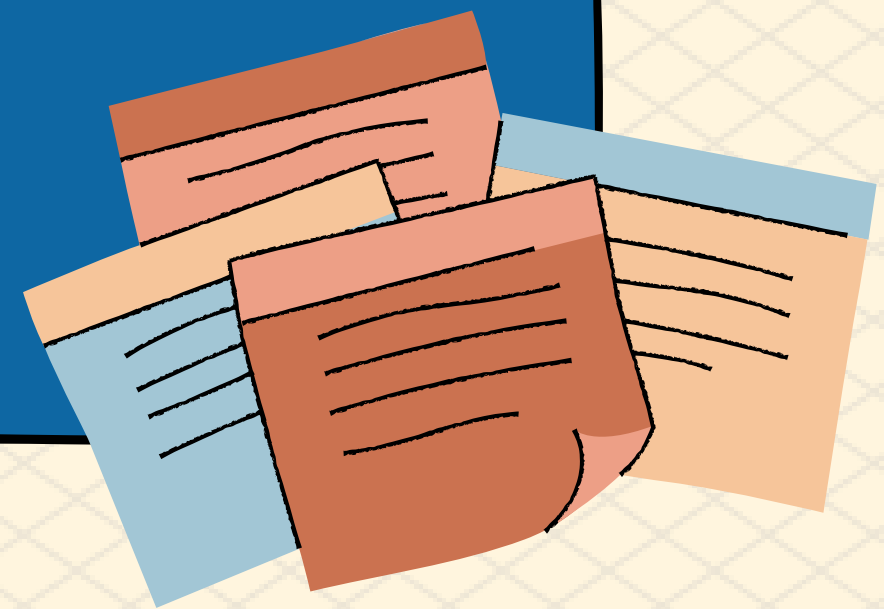
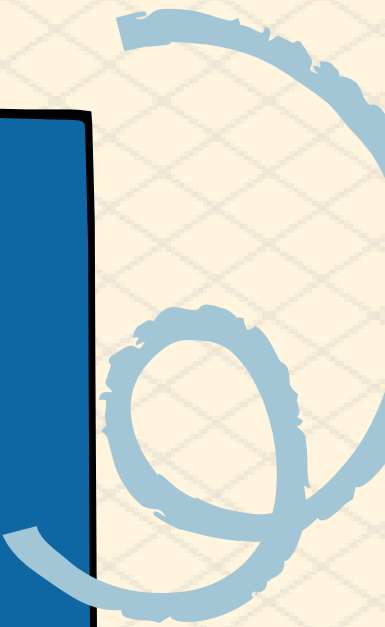
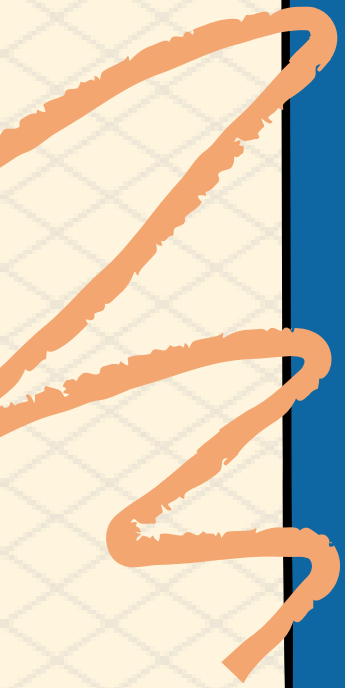
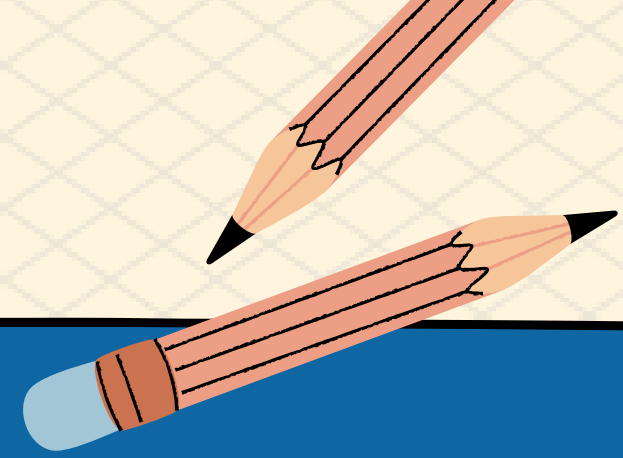
Communication is KEY...

Feel free to follow us on Facebook,
Twitter and Instagram to make sure
that you are up-to-date on important
information

@CPCounselors



Advanced Placement Exams



ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS

AP

1. Students Must Have A College Board Account – Their OWN account.
2. Students should have received a join code and joined the class.
3. Students will receive an AP Test Ordering Letter October 10, 2023 through their AP classes and by School Messenger.



Important: One account all 4 years; Student must be able to access!

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS



Ordering Deadlines

10/16/2023:	On line ordering Begins
10/16 to 11/6:	Regular test ordering
11/7 to 11/8:	\$10 late fee assessed
11/9 to 11/10:	\$20 late fee assessed
11/6/2023:	Regular Exam Ordering ENDS

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS



AP

Ordering Deadlines

11/11/23 to 3/6/24:

\$40 LATE FEE Paid to
College Board

3/1/23:

Last day to order second
semester AP Exam

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS

AP



Costs:

AP Exams: \$102/exam

AP Seminar/AP Research: \$150/exam

Late Fees: \$10/exam – 11/7 to 11/8

\$20/exam – 11/9 to 11/10

\$40/exam – 11/11 to 3/6

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS

AP

Free and Reduced Lunch
\$20 per exam
Must qualify



ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS

AP



A student will initially be able to select "YES" they want to take the exam on College Board, however, an exam will NOT be ordered unless they also pay for it through School Cash.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS



AP

Exam Cancellation:

Prior to 3/6/23 = \$40.00 Refund

After 3/6/23 = No Refund

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS

EXAMS: English III, US History, AB Calculus

ORDERED BY: 11/6/2023 Cost on School CASH: \$300

ORDERED BY: 11/8/2023 Cost on School CASH: \$330

ORDERED BY: 11/10/2023 Cost on School CASH: \$360

ORDERED BY: 3/6/2023 Cost on School CASH: \$420



AP

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS

Average Cost of English 1301 & 1302



AP Exam Earning a 4 or 5 = \$102 (Cost of Exam)

@ LoneStar College = \$448 plus additional fees

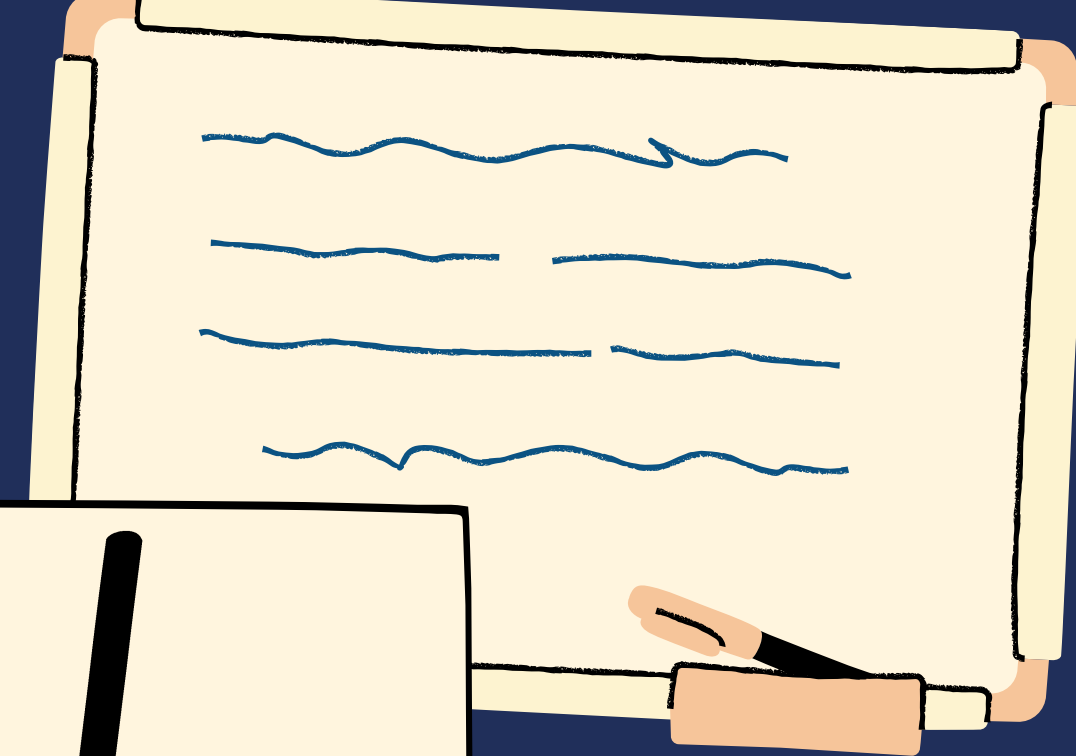
@ Texas Tech = \$1,458 plus additional fees

@ Texas A&M = \$2,286 plus additional fees

@ U of Houston = \$2,300 plus additional fees

@ UT Austin = \$2,523 plus additional fees

AP



Thank You!



QUESTIONS?
PLEASE CONTACT YOUR CHILD'S COUNSELOR IF
YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS.

