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Applying to Colleges & Universities

Complete and submit the correct application to each of your colleges or universities.

<u>Apply Texas</u> is for state colleges and some private ones. <u>The Common Application</u> is used for many in and out-of-state private colleges. Some small private colleges still use their own online application. Check with the individual college's website if they are not on ApplyTexas or The Common Application.

Please click on link below to view instructions on how to fill out the Apply Texas

Apply Texas Instructional Video

Please click on link below to view instructions on how to fill out the Common Application

Common App first-year application 2022–2023 walkthrough | Common App

Supporting Items required to submit along with Application to each school:

High School Transcript
College Transcript if you have taken Dual Credit Classes)
College Exams Scores (TSIA or SAT/ACT)
Letters of Recommendation
College Essays
Resume



Texas SAT/ACT Score Requirements Fall 2023

CLASS RANK	Test	Top 6%	Top 7-10%	1st O (To	p 11-25%)	2nd O (To	op 26-50%)	3rd Q (To	op 51-75%)	4th O (To	p 76-100%)
UNIVERSITY	Optional	SAT/ACT	SAT/ACT	SAT	ACT	SAT	ACT	SAT	ACT	SAT	ACT
Angelo State University	Yes	No Min	No Min		Min	920	17		vl Rw	4.11	v Rw
Concordia University Texas	Yes					GPA of 2	.5 (4.0 scale)			
Houston Baptist University	Yes			107	70/21		,	Ind	vl Rw	Ind	vI Rw
Huston-Tillotson University	Yes		3.5+ GPA	or 1080/22			2.5+ G	PA or 2.3-2	.49 GPA and	900/16	
Lamar University	Yes	No Min	No Min		Min	No	Min	1080	21	1080	21
Lubbock Christian University	Yes					12	100/25	1000		1000	
Midwestern State University	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	1070	21	1140	23	1180	24
Prairie View A&M	No	No Min	No Min	No	Min	800	15	800	15	800	15
Sam Houston State University	Yes	No Min	No Min	3.5-4.0 G	PA 930/17	3.0-3.49 G	PA 1010/19	2.5-2.99 G	PA 1110/22	2.25-2.49	PA 1210/2
Stephen F. Austin State University	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	1030	20	1170	24	Ind	v Rw
Sul Ross University	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	No	Min	1040	20	1040	20
Tarleton State University	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	No	Min	Ind	vi Rw	Ind	vi Rw
Texas A&M- College Station	Yes	No Min	No Min	Ind	/I Rw	Indv	l Rw	Ind	vi Rw	Ind	vI Rw
Texas A&M- Commerce	Yes	No Min	No Min	No Min (Top 30%)	1060	21	1060	21	1060	21
Texas A&M- Corpus Christi	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	1080	21	1170	23	1270	27
Texas A&M- Galveston	Yes	No Min	No Min	Ind	/I Rw	Indv	l Rw	Ind	vl Rw	Ind	vI Rw
Texas A&M- International	No	No Min	No Min	No	Min	No Min (Top 40%)	980	19	980	19
Texas A&M- Kingsville	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min			2.7 GPA	or 1000/19		
Texas A&M- San Antonio	Yes	No Min	No Min	No Min 3.25 GPA or 1100/22							
Texas Southern University	Yes	No Min	No Min	2.5 GPA or 900/17							
Texas State University	Top 75%	No Min	No Min	No	Min	1090	22	1250	26	1330	29
Texas Tech University	Yes	No Min	No Min	1180	24	1240	26	1280	27	Ind	vI Rw
Texas Woman's University	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	1080	21	Ind	vl Rw	Ind	vI Rw
University of Houston- Main Campus	Yes	No Min	No Min	1080 / 21	TO: ≥ 3.40	1170 / 24	TO: ≥ 3.45	Ind	vl Rw	Ind	vi Rw
University of Houston- Clear Lake	Yes	No Min	No Min	1030 / 20	TO: ≥ 3.30	1130 / 23	TO: ≥ 3.45		TO:	≥ 3.5	
University of Houston- Downtown	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	2.5 GPA	or 930/18	930	18	930	18
University of Houston- Victoria	Yes	No Min	No Min			Must n	neet 2: Top 5	0%, 2.0 GP	A, 940/18		
University of North Texas	GPA Based	No Min	No Min	1030	20	1130	23	1250	26	Ind	vI Rw
UT- Arlington	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	1130	22	Indv	/I Rw	Ind	vI Rw
UT- Austin	Yes	No Min	Indvl Rw	Ind	/I Rw	Indv	l Rw	Ind	vI Rw	Ind	vI Rw
UT- Dallas	Yes	No Min	No Min	Ind	/I Rw	Indv	l Rw	Ind	vi Rw	Ind	vI Rw
UT- El Paso	No	No Min	No Min	No	Min	920	19	970	20	1010	23
UT- Permian Basin	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	Indv	l Rw	Ind	vi Rw	Indi	vi Rw
UT- Rio Grande Valley	Yes	No Min	No Min	Indv	/I Rw	Indv	l Rw	Ind	vI Rw	Ind	vl Rw
UT- San Antonio	Yes	No Min	No Min	No	Min	1170	24	Indv	/I Rw*	Indv	I Rw*
UT- Tyler	Yes	No Min	No Min	No Min		2.75	2.75 GPA				
West Texas A&M	Yes	No Min	No Min			Must m	eet 1: Top 3	0%, 3.0 GP/	A, 1060/21		



College, Career & Military Readiness Exams and Testing Calendars

TSIA College Readiness Exam



The Texas Success Initiative (TSIA2) is a state legislated program designed to improve student success in college by requiring all students attending public institutions of higher education, unless considered TSIA2 Exempt, to complete assessment in reading, writing and mathematics before enrolling in classes. Preparing for assessments is encouraged since test scores determine course placement. Students scoring below college level readiness are required to enroll in developmental courses which do not apply towards a degree or certificate.

TSIA is the most used exam/tool to qualify students for Dual Credit courses.

iSVA offers the TSIA Exam free of charge and allows its students the opportunity to take it virtually from the comfort of your home.

For more information on the TSI Exam including format, preparation, and registration follow the link below:

TSI-A2

Did you know that your STAAR Exam scores can exempt you from taking the **TSIA** Exam, and automatically make you eligible to participate in Dual Credit courses? Follow the TSI exemption link below to find out more information.

TSI Exemptions and Waivers



TSI Fall 2023 Testing Calendar

Students interested in taking the TSIA2 Exam can click on the link below for available testing dates, times, and registration information.

TSIA Dates & Registration

A student interested in testing should contact the College, Career, Military Ready Center for registration requirements at: **ISVA CCMR**

SAT University Admissions Exam



The SAT offers colleges a detailed profile of student skills and strengths, informing strategic recruiting efforts and admissions decisions.

Students who take the SAT demonstrate knowledge and skills in areas that current research tells us are most critical for college readiness and success. About two million students take the SAT every year, and it's accepted at four-year colleges and universities in the U.S.

Visit the links below for more information on registering, what to expect on the SAT, how to prepare, what to expect on test day, and your scores.

SAT Registration

What's on the SAT?

SAT Practice and Preparation

What to Bring and Do on SAT Test Day

SAT Scores



SAT 2023-2024 Testing Calendar

2023–24 School Year Test Dates				
SAT Test Date*	Registration Deadline	Deadline for Changes, Regular Cancellation, and Late Registration		
Aug 26, 2023	July 28, 2023	August 15, 2023 Register		
Oct 7, 2023	Sep 7, 2023 Register	Sep 26, 2023		
Nov 4, 2023	Oct 5, 2023 Register	Oct 24, 2023		
Dec 2, 2023	Nov 2, 2023 Register	Nov 21, 2023		
Mar 9, 2024 (<u>Digital</u>)**	Feb 23, 2024	Coming soon		
May 4, 2024 (<u>Digital</u>)**	Apr 19, 2024	Coming soon		
June 1, 2024 (<u>Digital</u>)**	May 17, 2024	Coming soon		

ACT University Admissions Exam



The ACT is an entrance exam used by most colleges and universities to make admissions decisions. It is a multiple-choice, pencil-and-paper test administered by ACT, Inc.



Visit the links below for more information on registering, what to expect on the SAT, how to prepare, what to expect on test day, and your scores.

Reasons You Should Take the ACT

ACT Registration | ACT Testing Dates | The ACT Test

The ACT Test for Students

ACT 2023-2024 Testing Calendar

Test Date	Regular Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	Photo Upload and Standby Deadline
	Late Fee Applies After This Date		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
September 9, 2023	August 4	August 18	September 1
October 28, 2023	September 22	October 6	October 20
December 9, 2023	November 3	November 17	December 1
February 10, 2024	January 5	January 19	February 2
April 13, 2024	March 8	March 22	April 5
June 8, 2024	May 3	May 17	May 31
July 13, 2024*	June 7	June 21	July 5

Testing Accommodations

Special services are available to succeed on testing, application assistance, advising, and opportunities post High School. For more information on accommodations for college ready exams, please visit the sites below.

College Board Accommodations

<u>Texas Success Initiative Assessment, 2.0 (TSIA2) - Accommodations Guidelines for Students with Documented Disabilities</u>



Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)



The ASVAB is a standardized test that reveals areas of strength and ability in science, math, and language. Taking the test is one of the first steps before you enlist into the United States Military. You will work with your recruiter to schedule the test when you're ready. The test at a registered testing site.

For more information on the ASVAB Exam including format and preparation click on link: **ASVAB**

Acceptable College Readiness Exams

Assessment	ELAR	Essay	Mathematics
TSIA2 Assessment	Score of 945+ or <945 and 5 (Diagnostic)	Score of 5	Score of 950+ or 6 (ABE-M)
STARR	English II: 4000+ on Reading and Writing	N/A	Algebra I: Level II 4000+ and Passing Grade in Algebra II HS Course
Assessment	Composite	English	Mathematics
ACT	23	19	19
Assessment	Composite	Evidenced-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW)	Mathematics
SAT (Taken after March 5, 2016)	Not Required	480	530
Assessment	Composite	English	Mathematics
ACT-Aspire		435	431
PLAN	23	19	19
PSAT/NMSQT		460	510

A student only needs qualifying scores on 1 of the exams in the table above to qualify for Dual Credit and be College Ready.



iSVA Success Center Tutoring Services



The Success Center offers free online and in-person tutoring for iSVA students. With free tutoring, homework assistance, and study sessions geared towards test-taking, The Success Center is here to help ALL virtual learning students succeed.

The Success Center offers tutoring in the content areas shown in the list below.

Our hours of operation are M-W-F 9am-5pm and T-Th 11am-7pm.

Feel free to visit the Success website below:

https://sites.google.com/responsiveed.com/Success-Center

English I* & English II* English III & English IV AP English Language/ Literature and Composition Creative Writing Speech Grades 6-8 ELAR* TSI: ENGLISH prep	Algebra 1* & Algebra 2 Geometry Math Models Pre-Calculus Personal Financial Literacy Grades 3-8 MATH* TSI: MATH prep
Biology* Aquatic Science Environmental Systems Medical Microbiology World Health Research Grades 5 & 8 Science*	World Geography World History US History* AP US History Grade 8 Social Studies*

Be sure to reserve your spot soon!

Students are booked on a first come, first serve basis. Don't wait! Once the sessions are full, students will be placed on a waiting list until other openings become available



Sessions are conducted via Google Meet. If you live within 30 miles of San Antonio, you are welcome to come in for face-to-face tutoring. We are located at 6218 Northwest Loop 410, San Antonio 78238.

If you would like to view information about the Success Center, please visit the link below.

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If you are interested in booking tutoring, please reach out by completing this form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLScGtarGp5bv6qJlvGx7VbXBfUI9M0poUz8 ERTpnIAl_uc2DFQ/viewform

If you have any questions, please call or email Amy Dugelby, Director: 210-284-1105. mailto:adugelby@responsiveedtx.com

Financial Aid & Scholarships



The Free Application for Federal Student Aid, or FAFSA, is the form that the federal government, states, colleges and other organizations use to award financial aid.

Submitting it is your key to accessing grants, scholarships, work-study programs and federal student loans.

Completing the FAFSA is the first step for anyone making college plans.

Heads up:

- The redesigned FAFSA is expected to launch in December 2023 for the 2024-25 academic year a delay from the typical Oct. 1 release date.
- Beginning in 2024-2025, FAFSA completion will be a multi-step process rather than a single event. Students and parents will have to complete their portions of the FAFSA separately rather than co-signing a single application. The way this works is that a student will complete the portion of their FAFSA that pertains to them specifically – their basic information and their own financial information if they happened to work or file taxes – and then hit submit to complete the student portion. When this is done, FAFSA will send an email to the parent or parents required on the FAFSA asking them to login and complete their portion of the



application, which will be separate from the student and completely inaccessible by them. The parent will click on that link in their email, log in with their FSA ID, complete their section, and hit submit also, which will finish the application and send it to the student's selected schools.

iSVA will be conducting FAFSA presentations throughout the year. Presentations will be crucial for parents and students to understand this complicated process and required items needed to properly fill it out.

iSVA in partnership with Lone Star College Financial Aid Office will also host FAFSA Workshops throughout the year. These workshops will assist students and families in filling out the application. The student and family will receive immediate results upon completing the application.

All 12th graders are required to submit this document for graduation purposes.

January graduates will have access to the FAFSA course on September 11, 2023. You will complete your FAFSA application during this required course or submit an Opt Out Form. The course has to be completed by the end of Semester 1 as it is a graduation requirement.

All June graduates will have access to the FAFSA course in January, 2024.

What can students and families do to help the process go smoothly?

Practice the 4 "P"s: be Proactive, be Prepared, be Patient, and be Problem-Solvers.

Proactive – Start attempting to do the FAFSA as early as you can to allow wiggle room in case you encounter difficulties.

Prepared – The student and at least one parent need to create their FSA IDs at least a few days before beginning a FAFSA application. If the parents didn't file jointly that year, *both* parents must create FSA IDs. If anyone has an FSA ID from a prior FAFSA and can't get into it using password reset emails or texts, they can call the FSA ID Help line at 1-800-433-3243 for assistance. Parents should check all of their information, especially their emails and legal last names, to ensure they are accurate and don't need to be updated. If parent information on their FSA ID needs to be updated, do that on https://studentaid.gov at least 3 days before attempting to do the FAFSA. Also, everyone should still have their tax returns with them (physical or electronic) just in case the IRS Data Retrieval fails and you have to enter information manually.

Patient – Don't rush through the application, don't get frustrated by website errors (there will likely be many, given all the changes), and don't give in to the temptation to start mailing signature pages at the first sign of difficulty. Parents and students should make every possible effort to get their FAFSA signed electronically in case there is a paperwork bottleneck at FAFSA's processing



center when it comes to mailed signature pages. Read the application carefully and slowly, enter the exact information requested, and read any error messages carefully.

Problem-Solvers – 90% of FAFSA issues come down to two problems:

- Information entered on FSA ID is out of date or incorrect Name should be each person's legal name on file with the Social Security Administration. No nicknames, shorthand, middle names used as first names, old last names that didn't get updated after a marriage or divorce, etc.
- Information on the FAFSA doesn't match information on FSA ID The student or parent got their personal information right in one place, then wrong in another. When possible, check the FSA ID first by logging in on https://studentaid.gov, hovering over the person's name, clicking "Settings," then clicking "Personal Information." If the information there is wrong, correct and wait 1-3 days for confirmation that it went through okay. If the FSA ID information there is right, check the FAFSA and correct it there.



Texas First Diploma Program

Graduate Early! Distinguished Level of Achievement! Guaranteed Scholarship!



We're excited to introduce the TEXAS FIRST DIPLOMA. This prestigious opportunity enables you to graduate early with the Distinguished Level of Achievement AND receive a scholarship for college.

As one of Texas' top students, you may be eligible to accelerate your path to college and receive a scholarship for one or two semesters at one of these Texas universities:

- Texas A&M University
- Texas State University
- Texas Tech University
- The University of Texas at Arlington
- The University of Texas at Austin
- The University of Texas at Dallas
- The University of Texas at El Paso
- University of Houston
- University of North Texas
- The University of Texas at San Antonio

For more information. scan the QR code below!



Talk to your counselor today to see if this exciting new opportunity is the right path for you!

THE FINE PRINT

- · Texas residency
- FAFSA completion
- At least 22 high school credits and a final GPA equivalent to 3.0 If you graduate one semester or higher
- Additional academic requirements, participating university. scores, STAAR exam participation. You may also be eligible for and demonstration of mastery in various subjects

Scan the QR code above for a detailed list of eligibility requirements.

semesters early, you'll receive a two-semester scholarship, worth admission for students. Consult several thousand dollars, to a participating university.

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additional financial aid at most of these institutions!

The Texas First Diploma does not guarantee automatic your counselor for guidance on whether your grade point average at graduation qualifies you for automatic admission under the state's top 10 percent law.

You can apply to any college or university you choose. However, the scholarship will only apply toward participating universities, listed above.

Use it or lose it! The scholarship offer will expire at the end of the first academic year following your graduation, so we encourage you to attend college directly after high school.

Don't forget to talk to your counselor to see if this is the right path for you!



For more information on this incredible opportunity please contact: ISVA CCMR



Dual Credit Program



Dual Credit enables a high school student to earn credit towards high school graduation while simultaneously earning college credit towards an Associate's degree or workforce program certificate. In the LSC-Online dual credit program, students demonstrating college readiness through a college placement exam can receive both college credit and high school credit while still enrolled in high school or homeschool.

Advantages of Dual Credit

- Earn high school and college credit at the same time.
- Take classes online on your time.
- Dual credit courses transfer to Texas public colleges and universities, and some out-of-state and private colleges and universities.
- Complete college-level certifications while in high school that can lead to immediate job opportunities.
- Save money on college tuition.
- Accelerate time to degree completion by getting a head start in college you could earn up to a year or more of college credit.
- Build confidence by easing the transition to college life and expectations.
- Access Lone Star College-Online student support services library, tutoring, career services, and disability services.

Dual Credit Presentations, Support & Tutoring

Click on link below to view an overview of Dual Credit

Dual Credit With LSC-Online

Click on link below to view the Lone Star College Academic Calendar

2023-2024 Academic Calendar



Click on link below to view iSVA Dual Credit Presentation

Copy of Dual Credit Powerpoint

Click on link below to view Dual Credit Questions / Policies / Registration Forms

Copy of Dual Credit Questions / Policies / Forms

Click on link below to view Tutoring Options

Tutoring Options for Online Students

Lone Star Virtual Dual Credit Informational Sessions

*These information sessions are available courtesy of Lone Star College. As a result, they are open to all LSC Dual Credit students. We strongly encourage students and parents to attend the <u>iSVA Dual Credit Informational Sessions as they are exclusively for iSVA students only.</u>

LSC-Online Dual Credit





Join our dual credit team virtually to learn what dual credit is, the benefits of becoming a dual credit student with LSC-Online, the eligibility requirements, how to apply and the registration process.

Click on a link below to attend:

August	September	October	
Friday, August 25th at 10:00am	Tuesday, September 12th at 11:00am	Monday, October 2nd at 4:00pm	
Friday, August 25th at 1:00pm	Tuesday, September 12th at 4:00pm	Monday, October 2nd at 5:30pm	

Or use the QR code below to join the meeting:



Dual Credit Eligibility Requirements

- Be enrolled at iSVA.
- Obtain approval from the high school designee for dual credit enrollment
- Complete Lone Star College admissions requirements
- Meet minimum college readiness test scores in reading, writing, math and/or prerequisites for the course(s) you want to take for dual credit



Dual Credit Student Enrollment Flow Chart & Application Tips

DUAL CREDIT STUDENT ENROLLMENT FLOWCHART



APPLICATION

- LoneStar.edu/Apply
- ⊙ 20-30 minutes
- Review "Application Tips for Dual Credit Students" at LoneStar.edu/Apply

PRE-ASSESSMENT ACTIVITY

- My.LoneStar.edu (Admissions Tile)
- Required if not exempt from TSI; see exemptions below

PLACEMENT TESTING/TSI

- Student's high school or LSC campus Testing Center (testing ticket is required to take the TSI at an LSC
- 3 hours
- Required if not exempt from TSI; see exemptions below; scores on placement testing impact course placement for Dual Credit students

DUAL CREDIT STUDENTS ARE EXEMPT FROM TSI WITH THE FOLLOWING TEST SCORES

SAT: Evidence-Based Reading/Writing: 480, Math: 530 ACT: Composite: 23, English: 19, Math: 19 STAAR EOC: Level 2 score of 4000 on English III; Level 2 score of 4000 on Algebra II

COURSE APPROVAL AND PARENTAL CONSENT AND WAIVER FOR DUAL CREDIT/EXCEPTIONAL ADMISSION STUDENTS AGE 17 OR YOUNGER

- LSC Campus with Dual Credit Advisor or with high school counselor or designee
- Form must be signed by student and parent/ guardian of students who are age 17 or younger, submitted with other Dual Credit registration forms, and processed before student may be registered

OPTIONAL

AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE EDUCATION RECORDS

- LSC Campus with Dual Credit Advisor or with high school counselor or designee
- ⊕ 5 minutes
- Optional form which must be signed by the student designating individual(s), such as parent(s)/ guardian(s), to whom LSC may disclose their information such as grades, courses, etc., and specifying what information may be disclosed, as per the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 as Amended (FERPA)

REGISTER FOR CLASSES

- High school counselor or designee or LSC Dual Credit Advisor
- 5-30 minutes
- Meet with your high school counselor or designee to select courses for the upcoming semester; they will register you

PAY FOR CLASS (IF APPLICABLE)

- My.LoneStar.edu
 (Student Tile) or at LSC campus Business
 Office
- ⊕ 5-30 minutes
- Payment should be made after tuition made after fution waiver is applied to the student's account; check with LSC Dual Credit Advisor or high school counselor or designee

THE STEPS IN THIS BOX CAN BE DONE IN ANY ORDER

GET STUDENT ID/ LIBRARY CARD

- Library/Learning Resource Center
- 5−30 minutes
- After fees are paid and registration is complete

BUY BOOKS

- Online or any campus book store
- 5−30 minutes
- ② Check with your high school counselor o designee regarding

REQUIRED FOR DUAL CREDIT STUDENTS WHO ENROLL AT AN LSC CAMPIIS

BACTERIAL MENINGITIS VACCINATION REQUIREMENT

- My.LoneStar.edu (Admissions Tile)
- 5 minutes (with complete shot record/ CO form)
- This requirement must be completed before New Student Orientation

REQUIRED FOR DUAL CREDIT STUDENTS WHO ENROLL AT AN LSC **CAMPUS OR ONLINE**

NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

- SC campus (schedule on my.LoneStar.edu Admissions Tile)
- 2-3 hours; academic advising available during on-campus sessions

REQUIRED AFTER HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION TO ENROLL AT AN LSC CAMPUS OR ONLINE

HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT

- Student requests from high school after graduation
- Once received by LSC, within 2 business days via TREx or 1 week by PDF/paper

CHSRMA TRAINING

- My.LoneStar.edu (Admissions Tile)
- 90 minutes
- ② Link to training available through New Student Checklist and also sent to my.LoneStar email about 1 week after registering

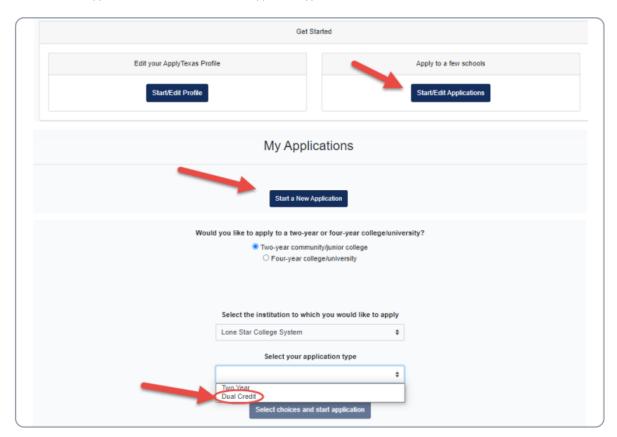




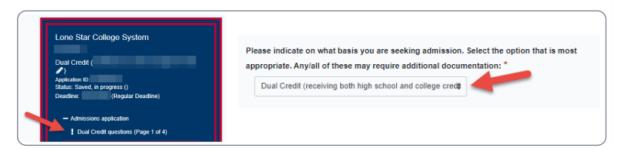
READY TO APPLY TO LONE STAR COLLEGE AND BECOME A DUAL CREDIT STUDENT?

Below are some tips to help Dual Credit applicants complete the ApplyTexas application. The tips follow the order they appear; however, there are also questions applicants will be required to answer to complete the application.

After selecting Two-year community/junior college and Lone Star College in the "Start/Edit Applications" section of the application, select Dual Credit as the application type.



TIP 2 In the "Dual Credit questions" section, select Dual Credit (receiving both high school and college credit) as the basis for which you are seeking admission.

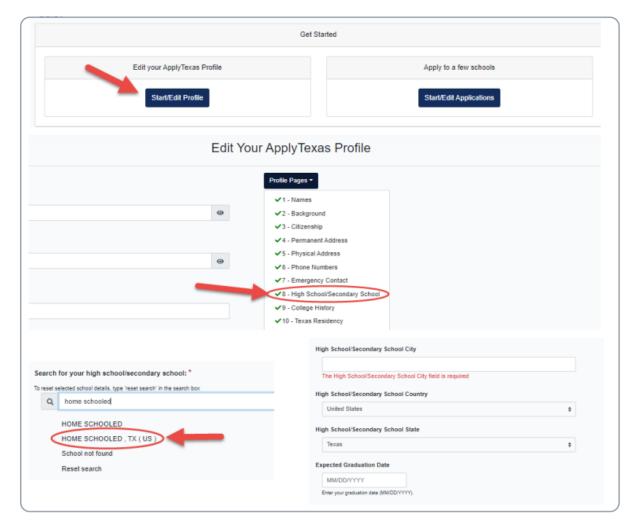




APPLICATION TIPS FOR DUAL CREDIT STUDENTS



TIP 3 On page 8/10 of the ApplyTexas Profile, home school applicants should type in "home schooled" and select "home schooled, TX (US)." The applicant should then enter the home school city and expected graduation date.



TIP 4 Below are three tips to help you successfully answer the questions in the "Texas Residency" section:

- You are a dependent if a parent/guardian or multiple parents/guardians provide financial support for you (examples: you live in or sometimes stay at their house where they pay the bills, they pay for your food, clothes, etc).
- If you are a dependent then the majority of financial support for you is provided by a parent/guardian or multiple parents/guardians (examples: you live in or sometimes stay at their house where they pay the bills, they pay for your food, clothes, etc).
- The Texas Independent School District (ISD) where you reside is the ISD where your house or apartment is located. This may be different from the ISD where you go to school. If you or your parents own a house, select the ISD to which property taxes are paid. If you or your parents rent a house or apartment, the landlord or apartment complex management can help you determine which ISD you reside in.



Dual Credit Pathways

Each student could have **3** distinct pathways to pursue Dual Credit through the iSVA and Lone Star College partnership depending on their eligibility through the Texas Success Initiative.

The pathways include: General Dual Credit, Dual Credit Core Complete, and Dual Credit- Collegiate Academy.

Each pathway shares benefits to support the educational goals of students but also has unique features.

Each pathway allows high school students to enroll in college courses for credit prior to high school graduation.

College credits earned through these pathways can be applied toward high school and college graduation and can be transferred to other colleges or universities.

General Dual Credit Pathway:

The goal of this pathway is for students to complete between 3-24 credit hours.

The following courses (24 credit hours) included in this option are:

9th grade	TSI Prep	TSI Prep
10th grade	TSI Prep	TSI Prep
11th grade	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1302
	HIST 1301	HIST 1302
12th grade	ENGL 2322	ENGL 2323
	GOVT 2305	ECON 2301

This pathway is ideal for students that <u>are</u> TSI met in Reading and Writing by the end of their Sophomore year.



Dual Credit Core Complete Pathway:

The goal of this program is for students to complete 45 credit hours.

The following courses (45 credit hours) included in this pathway are:

9th grade	TSI Prep	TSI Prep
10th grade	ARTS 1301	SPCH 1311
	TSI Prep	PHED 1164
11th grade	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1302
	HIST 1301	HIST 1302
	GOVT 2306	MATH 1314
12 th grade	ENGL 2322	ENGL 2323
	GOVT 2305	ECON 2301
	BIOL 1408	BIOL 1409

This pathway is ideal for students that <u>are</u> TSI met in Reading and Writing by the end of their Freshman year and TSI met in Math at the end of their Sophmore year.

Dual Credit Collegiate Academy Pathway:

The goal of this program is for students to complete 60 credit hours and earn an Associate's degree through Lone Star College.

The following courses (60 credit hours) included in this pathway are:

9th grade	TSI Prep	TSI Prep
10th grade	ARTS 1301	SPCH 1311
	EDUC 1300	PHED 1164
		Elective
11th grade	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1302
	HIST 1301	HIST 1302
	GOVT 2306	MATH 1314
	Elective	Elective
12th grade	ENGL 2322	ENGL 2323
	GOVT 2305	ECON 2301
	BIOL 1408	BIOL 1409
	Elective	Elective

This pathway is ideal for students that <u>are</u> TSI met in Reading and Writing by the end of their Freshman year, and TSI met in Math at the end of their Sophmore year.



Career & Technical Education Workforce Dual Credit (Coming Spring 2024)



iSVA is excited to announce its brand new Dual Credit Career Technical Education (CTE) Program launching in the Spring of 2024.

Workforce Dual Credit will focus on offering students the opportunity to earn both Dual Credit while also earning an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree & Workforce Certificates/Industrial Based Certificates (IBC). These in-demand programs of study will give students a huge advantage in the workforce immediately proceeding graduation and in some cases prior to graduation. These programs and certificates also transfer toward four-year degrees.

Dual Credit Eligibility Requirements

- Be enrolled at iSVA
- Obtain approval from the high school designee for dual credit enrollment
- Complete Lone Star College admissions requirements
- Meet prerequisites for the course(s) you want to take for dual credit



^{*} Unlike the standard Dual Credit program, the CTE Dual Credit program does not require the TSIA Exam to enroll in courses.

Dual Credit Student Enrollment Flow Chart & Application Tips

LONE STAR COLLEGE **DUAL CREDIT** STUDENT ENROLLMENT FLOWCHART **APPLICATION** PRE-ASSESSMENT PLACEMENT TESTING/TSI ACTIVITY Student's high school or LSC campus Testing Center (testing ticket is required to take the TSI at an LSC campus) LoneStar.edu/Apply My.LoneStar.edu (Admissions Tile) Review "Application Tips for Dual Credit 3 hours ⊙ 20-30 minutes Students" at Required if not exempt from TSI; see exemptions ? Required if not exempt from TSI; see exemptions below LoneStar.edu/Apply below; scores on placement testing impact course placement for Dual Credit students DUAL CREDIT STUDENTS ARE EXEMPT FROM TSI WITH THE FOLLOWING TEST SCORES SAT: Evidence-Based Reading/Writing: 480, Math: 530 ACT: Composite: 23, English: 19, Math: 19 STAAR EOC: Level 2 score of 4000 on English III; Level 2 score of 4000 on Algebra II COURSE APPROVAL AND PARENTAL CONSENT AND WAIVER FOR DUAL CREDIT/EXCEPTIONAL ADMISSION **AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE EDUCATION RECORDS** STUDENTS AGE 17 OR YOUNGER USC Campus with Dual Credit Advisor or with high school counselor or designee USC Campus with Dual Credit Advisor or with high school counselor or designee 9 5 minutes 9 5 minutes Optional form which must be signed by the student designating individual(s), such as parent(s)/ guardian(s), to whom LSC may disclose their information such as grades, courses, etc., and specifying what information may be disclosed, as per the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 as Amended (FERPA) ② Form must be signed by student and parent/ guardian of students who are age 17 or younger, submitted with other Dual Credit registration forms, and processed before student may be registered THE STEPS IN THIS BOX CAN BE DONE IN ANY ORDER REGISTER FOR CLASSES PAY FOR CLASS (IF APPLICABLE) **GET STUDENT ID/ BUY BOOKS** High school counselor or designee or LSC Dual Credit Advisor My.LoneStar.edu (Student Tile) or at LSC campus Business Office LIBRARY CARD Online or any campus Library/Learning Resource Center book store 5−30 minutes ⊙ 5-30 minutes ⊙ 5–30 minutes ⊙ 5–30 minutes Meet with your high school ① Check with your high Payment should be After fees are paid school counselor or designee regarding counselor or designee to select courses for and registration is complete made after tuition waiver is applied to the student's account; check with LSC Dual Credit Advisor or the upcoming semester; they will register you high school counselor or designee REQUIRED FOR DUAL CREDIT STUDENTS WHO ENROLL AT AN LSC REQUIRED FOR DUAL CREDIT STUDENTS WHO ENROLL AT AN LSC CAMPUS OR ONLINE TO ENROLL AT AN LSC CAMPUS OR ONLINE CAMPUS HIGH SCHOOL **CHSRMA TRAINING BACTERIAL MENINGITIS NEW STUDENT** TRANSCRIPT My.LoneStar.edu (Admissions Tile) VACCINATION ORIENTATION Student requests REQUIREMENT LSC campus (schedule on my.LoneStar.edu Admissions Tile) from high school after graduation 90 minutes My.LoneStar.edu (Admissions Tile) ② Link to training available through New Student Checklist and Once received by LSC, within 2 business days via TREx or 1 week by 5 minutes (with complete shot record/ CO form) 2–3 hours; academic advising available also sent to PDF/paper my.LoneStar email about 1 week during on-campus sessions This requirement must be completed before New Student after registering

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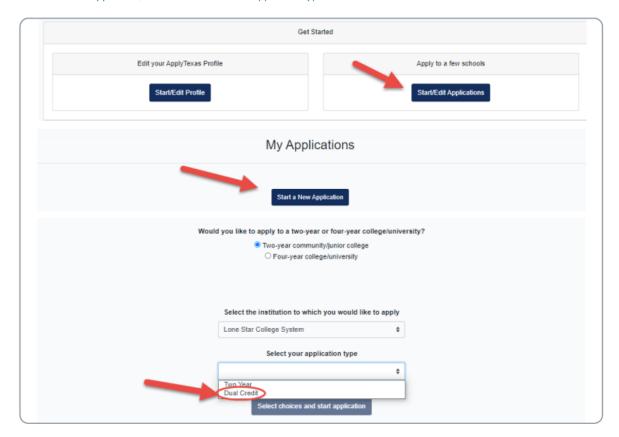
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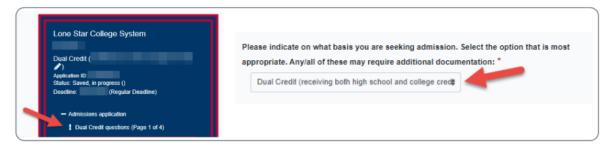
READY TO APPLY TO LONE STAR COLLEGE AND BECOME A DUAL CREDIT STUDENT?

Below are some tips to help Dual Credit applicants complete the ApplyTexas application. The tips follow the order they appear; however, there are also questions applicants will be required to answer to complete the application.

After selecting Two-year community/junior college and Lone Star College in the "Start/Edit Applications" section of the application, select Dual Credit as the application type.



In the "Dual Credit questions" section, select Dual Credit (receiving both high school and college credit) as the basis for which you are seeking admission.

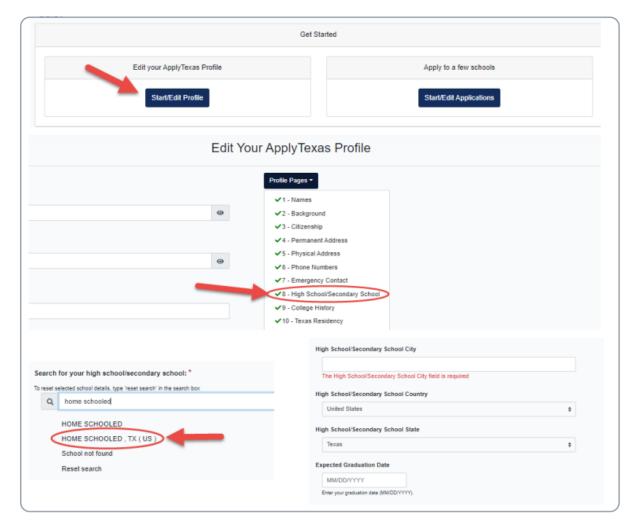




APPLICATION TIPS FOR DUAL CREDIT STUDENTS



On page 8/10 of the ApplyTexas Profile, home school applicants should type in "home schooled" and select "home schooled, TX (US)." The applicant should then enter the home school city and expected graduation date.



TIP 4 Below are three tips to help you successfully answer the questions in the "Texas Residency" section:

- You are a dependent if a parent/guardian or multiple parents/guardians provide financial support for you (examples: you live in or sometimes stay at their house where they pay the bills, they pay for your food, clothes, etc).
- If you are a dependent then the majority of financial support for you is provided by a parent/guardian or multiple parents/guardians (examples: you live in or sometimes stay at their house where they pay the bills, they pay for your food, clothes, etc).
- The Texas Independent School District (ISD) where you reside is the ISD where your house or apartment is located. This may be different from the ISD where you go to school. If you or your parents own a house, select the ISD to which property taxes are paid. If you or your parents rent a house or apartment, the landlord or apartment complex management can help you determine which ISD you reside in.



Please view the links below for more information on each prospective CTE Program Pathway:

Business Administration AAS with a Level I Certificate in Business Operations

<u>Business Administration AAS Degree</u>

Accounting AAS with a Level I Certificate in Accounting Accounting AAS Degree

Computer Programming AAS with a Level I Certificate in Computer Programmer Computer Programming Specialist AAS Degree

Logistics AAS with a Level I Certificate in First Line Logistics Leader Logistics Management AAS Degree

Dual Credit Support & Presentations

Click on link below to view an overview of Dual Credit

■ Dual Credit With LSC-Online

Click on link below to view the Lone Star College Academic Calendar

2023-2024 Academic Calendar

Click on link below to view iSVA Dual Credit Presentation

□ Copy of Dual Credit Powerpoint

Click on link below to view Dual Credit Questions / Policies / Registration Forms

- Copy of Dual Credit Questions / Policies / Forms
- Tutoring Options for Online Students



Lone Star Virtual Dual Credit Informational Sessions

*These information sessions are available courtesy of Lone Star College. As a result, they are open to all LSC Dual Credit students. We strongly encourage students and parents to attend the iSVA Dual Credit Informational Sessions as they are exclusively for iSVA students only.

LSC-Online Dual Credit



Join our dual credit team virtually to learn what dual credit is, the benefits of becoming a dual credit student with LSC-Online, the eligibility requirements, how to apply and the registration process.

Click on a link below to attend:

August	September	October
Friday, August 25th at 10:00am	Tuesday, September 12th at 11:00am	Monday, October 2nd at 4:00pm
Friday, August 25th at 1:00pm	Tuesday, September 12th at 4:00pm	Monday, October 2nd at 5:30pm

Or use the QR code below to join the meeting:





Military Readiness



Are you interested in serving your country, an incredible career, and 100% tuition?

iSVA has partnered with the Armed Services of the United States to offer some incredible opportunities to not only serve, but to benefit from some of the best opportunities available in our nation to support College & Career Readiness.

You can expect monthly presentations and seminars to learn more about these incredible opportunities in scholarships, benefits, 100% tuition for college, and rewarding careers.

Students at iSVA will also have access to Military Advisors who can answer any questions a student or family may have regarding military service, career pathways, and scholarship opportunities.

Visit the links below for more information on the many benefits of serving your country:

Military Benefits News and Resources

Montgomery GI Bill Information, Tuition Assistance | Military.com

Military Scholarships

For more information on the many military opportunities, please email the College, Career & Military Ready Team below.

ISVA CCMR



Advanced Placement (AP) Program



AP Eligibility Requirements

How to Sign Up for an AP Course

AP Support Links

- 2024 AP Exam Calendar
- AP Courses and Exams
- AP Exams Overview
- How to Access Your AP Resources
- AP Presentations



NCAA



Our virtual program is designed for student-athletes needing a flexible schedule with course credit. College-bound, NCAA students receive credit for courses completed at iSchool Virtual Academy of Texas. Students in sports such as hockey, tennis and gymnastics can enroll at iSchool to take advantage of our program's flexible pacing and on-demand classes as they prepare to play sports at the next level.

For more information please contact: ISVA CCMR

Senior Required Tasks



As a senior, you are required to complete these items before graduation:

- Complete FAFSA
- CPR Training
- Peace Officer Training
- Pass all 5 STAAR Exams
- Passing All Classes



For More Information

Follow us on social media to stay up to date and informed on all College, Career & Military Ready information, activities, important dates and student accomplishments. For more information, email us at **ISVA CCMR**.



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