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Gregory-Portland High School

SCHOLARSHIP NEWSLETTER

**School Code: 442990**

Please Feel Free to Visit the Counseling Department for any questions about college & scholarships

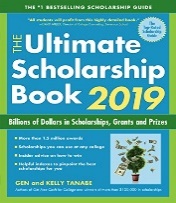
Lead Counselor: Mrs. West A – Go College & Career Counselor: Mrs. Teel

****Counselor: Mrs. Corpus Gr – O College Center Mentors:

Counselor: Mrs. Harley (P-Z) Gabby Bidwell (M-W-F)

PEIMS Clerk: Mrs. Austell Marco Campos (Monday)

Registrar: Mrs. Powers

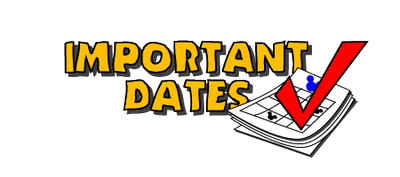
 Need help with applying to college, scholarship essays, ACT/SAT sign ups?

Make an appointment with your Go Center Mentor

Buy at AMAZON ([www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com)) Kindle $20.28 or Paperback $21.35

**SCHOLARSHIPS**

| NAME | REQUIREMENT | AMOUNT | DEADLINE | WEBSITE | UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE |
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| Texas A&M Corpus Christi |
| Texas A&M College Station |
| University of Texas at Austin |
| Texas A&M University Kingsville |
| CARR P. COLLINS | ATTEND BAYLOR UNIVERSITY TOP QUARTER RANKING LETTER OF NOMINATION FROM STAFF MEMBER  RESUME ESSAY: HOW HAVE LEADERSHIP AND COMMUNITY SERVICE IMPACTED YOUR LIFE | MIN $5,200 | 01/31/19 |  |  |
| TEXAS STUDENT HOUSTING | MUST ATTEND ONE OF THE FOLLOWING SCHOOLS - UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS, -UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN, -TEXAS WOMENS UNIVERSITY, -TEXAS A&M COLLEGE STATION | TO BE DETERMINED | 01/31/19 |  |  |
| TAMUCC Presidential Scholarship | ACT 28 and up OR SAT 1260 and up Top 10% | $16,000 | 12/01/18 | <http://scholarships.tamucc.edu/freshmen.html> |  |
| TAMUCC Achieve Scholar | ACT 25 – 27 or SAT 1160 – 1250 Top 15% | $12,000 | 12/01/18 | <http://scholarships.tamucc.edu/freshmen.html> |  |
| TAMUCC Island Scholar | ACT 21 – 24 or SAT 1100 – 1150 Top 20% | $8,000 | 12/01/18 | <http://scholarships.tamucc.edu/freshmen.html> |  |
| TAMUCC Impact Scholar | least a 3.0 cumulative high school GPA Top 25% | $4,000 | 12/01/18 | <http://scholarships.tamucc.edu/freshmen.html> |  |
| UT Floy Agnew Scholarship | For deserving high achieving students | $3,000 | 12/01/18 | <https://finaid.utexas.edu/types-of-aid/scholarships/> |  |
| UT E.R and Patti C. Breaker Scholarship | FAFSA required Renewable 2.0 GPA required to renew | $5,000 | 12/01/18 |  |  |
| UT First Generation | Parents who attend some college but did not get a degree Requires FAFSA | $500 - $5000 | 12/01/18 |  |  |
| UT Sidney and Pearl Hotchkiss | Parents must be deceased FAFSA must be completed | $500 - $1500 | 12/01/18 |  |  |
| UT The Ruth Martin Endowed | PRIORITY GIVEN TO CORPUS STUDENTS SAT of 1200 Counselor recommendation recommended Top 10% FAFSA Required | $2,500 | 12/01/18 |  |  |
| UT C.R. Smith Endowed Presidential | For exceptionally high achieving students | $10,000 - $12,000 | 12/01/18 |  |  |
| TAMU President’s Endowed Scholarship | 1360 SAT ACT 30: 27 in Math 27 English | $3,000 | 12/01/18 | <https://scholarships.tamu.edu/FRESHMEN/University-Scholarships#1-OpportunityAward> |  |
| TAMU Lechner Scholarship | 1360 SAT ACT 30: 27 in Math 27 in English | $2,500 | 12/01/18 |  |  |
| TAMU McFadden Scholarship | 1360 SAT ACT 30: 27 in Math 27 in English | $2,500 | 12/01/18 |  |  |
| TAMU Century Scholars Program | Extra Curriculars are considered | $5,000 | 12/01/18 |  |  |
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| TAMU President’s Achievement Scholar | Extra Curriculars are Considered | $2,500 | 12/01/18 |  |  |
| TAMUK Javelina Meritorious Scholarship | National Merit scholarships TAMUK is first Choice Be enrolled full time | $1,000 - $8,000 | 11/15/18 | <http://www.tamuk.edu/scholarships/merit%20scholarships.html> |  |
| TAMUK Presidential Scholarship | 31 ACT Score 1420 SAT Score | $1,000 - $8,000 | 11/15/18 |  |  |
| TAMUK Provost Scholarship | 27 – 30 ACT 1280 – 1420 SAT | $1,000 - $8,000 | 11/15/18 |  |  |
| TAMUK Dean’s Scholarship | 23 – 26 ACT 1020 SAT | $1,000 - $8,000 | 11/15/18 |  |  |
| TAMUK Academic Excellence | 20 ACT 1020 SAT Top 10% First Generation College Students | $1,000 - $8,000 | 11/15/18 |  |  |
| Association of Texas Leaders for Education |  |  | April 15, 2019 | [www.CFWTX.org](http://www.CFWTX.org) |  |
| Archway to Opportunity |  | Up to $2500/yr |  | [www.archwaystooportunity.com](http://www.archwaystooportunity.com) |  |
| PROUD TEXAN SCHOLARSHIP |  | $2,500 | 12/30/18 | <https://hildasibrian.com> |  |
| ELK National Foundation Scholarship | Applicants need not be related to a member of the Elks. Applicants will be judged on scholarship, leadership and financial need. Must be pursuing a four-year degree, on a full-time basis. | $1,000 to $12,500 | 11/15/18 | [www.elks.org/scholarships](http://www.elks.org/scholarships) |  |
| Allied Van Lines Scholarship | Students must submit a 400 – 8 00 word essay, in personalized informal tone, explaining why a career in logistics/supply chain management is their college major of choice. | $1,000 | 12/01/18 | [scholarships@sirva.com](mailto:scholarships@sirva.com) |  |
| Rebekah Assembly of Texas | Texas resident to attend any accredited two or four year college/university. Scholarship is based on academic ability, community service, personal development, and financial need. | $1,000 | 12/31/18 | Irma Gesche Scholarship Committee  c/o Rebekah Assembly of Texas Attn: Rosie McMillin, Secretary, 16400 KC Road 4060, Scurry, Texas 75158 |  |
| Wm. C. Doherty and John T. Donelon Scholarhsip |  |  | 12/31/18 | [www.nalc.org/member-benefits/benefits-for-members/scholarships](http://www.nalc.org/member-benefits/benefits-for-members/scholarships) |  |
| Charles Butt Scholarship for Aspiring Teachers | Education Majors | $8,000/year | Multiple Deadlines | RaisingTexasTeachers.org |  |

****TSI Tests are $20.00 (GPHS only) Cash or Check only

TSI Test Dates:

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| TSI TEST DATE/TIME | REGISTRATION OPEN | REGISTRATION ENDS | LOCATION | COST |
| JANUARY 2019 – **10th GRADERS** BEGINNING OF THE ALPHA | NO REGISTRATION NEEDED | EXACT DATE STILL TO BE DETERMINED | GPHS | FREE |
| JANUARY 2019 – 10TH GRADERS END OF THE ALPHA | NO REGISTRATION NEEDED | EXACT DATE STILL TO BE DETERMINED | GPHS | FREE |
| SATURDAY, FEB. 16, 2019 @ 8:30 A.M. | JAN. 30 2019 IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE | FEBRUARY 13, 2019 IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE | GPHS (TEACHERS’ PARKING LOT ENTRANCE) | $20 |
| SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2019 @ 8:30 A.M. | FEBRUARY 13, 2019 IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE | FEBRUARY 27, 2019 IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE | GPHS (TEACHERS’ PARKING LOT) | $20 |
| TSI TEST DATE/TIME | REGISTRATION OPEN | REGISTRATION ENDS | LOCATION | COST |
| SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 2019 @ 8:30 A.M. | FEBRUARY 27, 2019 IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE | APRIL 17, 2019 IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE | GPHS (TEACHERS’ PARKING LOT) | $20 |
| SATURDAY, MAY 18, 2019 @ 8:30 A.M. | APRIL 17, 2019 IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE | MAY 15, 2019 IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE | GPHS (TEACHERS’ PARKING LOT) | $20 |

Information on SAT or ACT Tests

* Use debit card to pay
* Register online [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org)

**SAT TEST @ G-PHS on NOVEMBER 3, 2018**

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| **SAT/ACT Practice** [**www.March2success.com**](http://www.March2success.com) **SAT DATES** | | | | |
| Test Date | Normal Deadline | Late Registration\* | Deadline for Changes | Online Score Release |
| Dec 1, 2018 | Nov 2, 2018 | Nov 13, 2018-mailed  Nov 20-online/phone | Nov 20, 2018 | Dec 14, 2018 |
| Mar 9, 2019 | Feb 8, 2019 | Feb 19, 2019-mailed  Feb 27,2019-online/phone | Feb 27, 2019 | Mar 28, 2019 |
| May 4, 2019 | Apr 5, 2019 | Apr 16, 2019-mailed  Apr 24, 2019-online/phone | Apr 24, 2019 | May 23, 2019 |
| Jun 1, 2019 | May 3, 2019 | May 14, 2019-mailed  May 22, 2019-online/phone | May 22, 2019 | June 20, 2019 |

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| **To Register go online to** [**www.sat.org/register**](http://www.sat.org/register) **ACT DATES** | | | |
| Test Date | Registration Deadline | Late Fee Required | Score Release |
| Dec 8, 2018 | Nov 2, 2018 | Nov 3 – 19, 2018 |  |
| Feb 9, 2019 | Jan 11, 2019 | Jan 12 – 18, 2019 |  |
| Apr 13, 2019 | Mar 8, 2019 | Mar 9 – 25, 2019 |  |
| Jun 8, 2019 | May 3, 2019 | May 4 – 20, 2019 |  |
| Jul 13, 2019 | Jun 14, 2019 | Jun 15-24, 2019 |  |

**TIPS FOR SUBMITTING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS**

1. SAT and/or ACT testing prior to the senior year provides time to retake the tests for improved scores and makes the test scores available when needed for scholarships and college entry.
2. Mail applications well in advance of the deadline.

**TIPS FOR SUBMITTING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS cont.**

1. Mail all required forms and documents in the same package to avoid lost forms, incomplete submissions and disqualification.
2. Submit only documents requested. Additional information is not used to determine the applicant’s status.
3. Submit all requested information in the form required (example: GPA in a 4-point un-weighted grade scale).
4. Basic musts for students and counselors: [1] Write clearly; [2] Complete all required information; [3] complete only those sections designated for you; [4] Secure all required signatures; [5] Read instructions carefully; and [6] Submit only the information requested.
5. When submitting tax information for financial aid, be sure the form shows the adjusted gross income, the number of dependents covered by that income, and any other required data. The first page of the standard Federal 1040 tax return provides the information. Submit only copies of tax forms unless originals are required.
6. Apply for Scholarships for which you are qualified.
7. Answer only the questions when given the opportunity for a written response. Additional information is not used to determine the applicant’s status.

*Scholarships, FAFSA and, Letters of Recommendations*

***Seniors!!!***

* Time to get started on your FAFSA. October 1st is when they begin accepting applications.
* Begin searching for scholarships. Many of scholarships require a letter of recommendation or an essay
* Make sure to ask teachers to proofread admissions and scholarship essays.
* Some schools have application deadline of December 1st. Stay on top of your deadlines.
* Keep track of everything you send to the schools.

***Juniors!!***

* Consider who you might ask for a letter of recommendation.
* Explore financial aid options and start talking to your parents about financial aid and other options available.

**ON-LINE PRACTICE FOR ACT/SAT IS AVAILABLE ON THE WEB AT:**

[www.act.org](http://www.act.org) and [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)

[www.number2.com](http://www.number2.com) and [www.studyhall.com](http://www.studyhall.com)

[www.collegefortexans.com](http://www.collegefortexans.com) use the TOPCAT link

NCAA FORMS ARE AVAILABLE ON-LINE:

[www.ncaaclearinghouse.net](http://www.ncaaclearinghouse.net)

FREE SCHOLARSHIPS SEARCHES:

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

[www.cashe.com](http://www.cashe.com)

[www.csfa.org](http://www.csfa.org)

[www.wiredscholar.com](http://www.wiredscholar.com)

[www.scholarships.com](http://www.scholarships.com)

[www.SchoolSoup.com](http://www.SchoolSoup.com)

[www.discovercolleges.com](http://www.discovercolleges.com)

<http://tea.texas.gov/Presidential_Scholar/>

<http://www.comptroller.texas.gov>

<http://matchthepromise.org/>)

<http://www.finaid.org/scholarships>

<https://www.cappex.com>

<https://collegeboard.org>

<https://www.scholarships.com>

MANY SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE AT THIS SITE:

[www.window.state.tx.us/scholars/aid/scholarship/scalhs.html](http://www.window.state.tx.us/scholars/aid/scholarship/scalhs.html)

Need Money for College?

Go to: [www.studentaid.ed.gov](http://www.studentaid.ed.gov)

[www.scholarshipexperts.com](http://www.scholarshipexperts.com)

[www.discussawards.com](http://www.discussawards.com)

Coastal Compass Education & Career Center, located in the La Palmera Mall

Emerging Leaders Initiative – for career options, alternative education option & more

[www.coastalcompass.org](http://www.coastalcompass.org)