



TEXAS WOMAN'S UNIVERSITY DUAL CREDIT

High School Advantage Program

Mission

The Dual Credit program provides a collegiate experience and pathway for exceptional high school students, who are college bound and who meet eligibility requirements, to successfully bridge from high school to college.



Benefits of the High School Advantage Program

- ◉ The Dual Credit Program is a great way to get a head start on your college education!
 - > Courses meet High School requirements, while at the same time earning college credit
 - > Courses meet Texas Common Core requirements and are fully transferable to any public college or university in Texas
 - > Low cost – Dual Credit courses cost less than regular college courses (\$50 per credit hour – 3 hours = **\$150**)
 - > Convenience – Texas Woman’s University brings dual credit courses right to your campus!
- ◉ TWU admits men into all of its programs

Eligibility

- Meet Texas Success Initiative (TSI) requirements
- Maintain a “C” or higher in each dual credit course



Texas Success Initiative (TSI)

It's the Law

- TSI is a matter of state law (Texas Education Code 52.3062) and compliance is mandatory for all students who wish to attend a Texas Public institution of higher education. The law requires all entering college students to be assessed for college readiness in reading, mathematics, and writing unless the student qualifies for an exemption.
 - Pursuant to Texas Administrative Code 4.85, a high school student is eligible to enroll in dual credit courses if the student demonstrates college readiness by achieving the minimum passing standard under the provisions of the Texas Success Initiative.

Official Texas Success Initiative (TSI) Requirements

ASSESSMENT	MATHEMATICS	READING	WRITING
ACT	19 Math <i>and</i> 23 Composite	19 Verbal <i>and</i> 23 Composite	19 Verbal <i>and</i> 23 Composite
SAT (prior to March 5, 2016)	500 Math <i>and</i> 1070 Composite*	500 Verbal <i>and</i> 1070 Composite*	500 Verbal <i>and</i> 1070 Composite
SAT (on/after March 5, 2016)	530 Math	480 Evidenced Based Read/Write	480 Evidenced Based Read/Write
TSI Assessment	350 Math	351 Read	363 M/C <i>and</i> 4 Essay; <i>or</i> 5 Essay

TSI Testing at Braswell HS

- TWU will be offering the TSI exam at Braswell HS

Test Date	Location	Check-In Time	Begin	End*
Wednesday, April 19, 2017	F204	8:30a	8:50a	4:00p
Thursday, April 20, 2017	F204	8:30a	8:50a	4:00p

- Students will need to complete the **TSI Pre-Assessment Activity**, **register**, and **pay** for testing online.
- TSI exam can be completed anywhere, but official scores **must** be sent to TWU



TSI Testing at TWU

- TWU will be offering the TSI exam at the Denton campus on the following dates:
 - ▣ Students will need to review the **TSI Pre-Assessment Information & Resources (PAIR)**, register, and pay for testing online.

Test Dates

SATURDAY, MARCH 4,
SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 2017
SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2017
SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2017
SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2017
SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2017
SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2017
SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 2017
SATURDAY, JULY 8, 2017
SATURDAY, JULY 22, 2017

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Braswell HS Fall 2016

Course Options

HS Course Name	TWU Course Name	TWU Course Number	TSI Subject Test Needed
English 3	Composition I	ENG 1013/1023	Reading & Writing
English 4	English Lit. Masterpieces/ World Lit. Masterpieces	ENG 2013/2033	Reading
US History	History of the US: 1492-1865	HIST 1013/1023	Reading

Application Process for Admission

- ◉ Take the TSI exam
- ◉ Complete TWU High School Advantage Signature Permission form.
 - ◉ Include official high school transcript **and** official test scores
- ◉ Submit the **ApplyTexas application**
 - > <http://www.applytexas.org/>
- ◉ Pay **\$50 non-refundable application fee**
 - > **Online-** at applytexas.org
 - > **Mail** – Office of Admissions Processing
P.O. Box 425649
Denton, TX 76204-5589



Deadlines

- ◉ Each school has assigned their own deadlines
- ◉ Registration for classes will take place in August.
 - ◉ Registration for courses completed online via your TWU Portal
 - ◉ Payment must be made prior to August 22nd at 5pm



Visit Our Website

Our website has more information on:

- Registration
- Application Instructions
- FAQ's

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Dual Credit



The Dual Credit - High School Advantage Program is a great way to get a head start on your college education! Not only can students attend courses that will apply toward both their high school and college graduations, but they also benefit from the college learning environment. As a result, High School

Questions on Application Documents?

- Contact the Office of Admissions Processing (OAP) to check on:
 - ▣ Application materials received?
 - ▣ Application Status?
- **All** documents items will be submitted directly to OAP

Office of Admissions Processing

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Questions on TSI Exemptions & College Ready Scores

- Contact the Assessment & Testing Office:
 - ▣ Questions on college ready scores
 - ▣ Did we receive your TSI scores?
 - ▣ Have scores been entered?
- TSI scores can be sent directly to the Assessment & Testing Office

Assessment and Testing Office

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Contact Us!

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