



Class of 2020 Planning for Graduation and beyond



Welcome Class of 2020!

Today you will:

- Discuss the timeline of senior year
- Discuss the options available after graduation
- Know the process and steps in applying to college



Meet your Counselor/Administrator



Alpha Breakdown

Counselor

Administrator

A-C

Mr. Lydia

Mrs. Thaggard

D-H

Mrs. Kading

Mrs. Keeler

I-N

Mrs. Langat

Mr. Perez

O-R

Mrs. Ashton

Mr. Smith

S-Z

Mrs. Peltier

Mr. Goggins

Career Counselor

Mrs. Holladay



Timeline of 12th grade year



September

- 9th- NorTex College Fair @ Golden Triangle Mall
- Form a plan/start your applications
- Register for ACT and/or SAT tests/send test scores to colleges you plan to apply
- Mock ACT/SAT Sept 14th

October

- Take the ACT/SAT test
- 24th- FAFSA Night @ DHS
- Complete the FAFSA
- IF you need a recommendation, ASK who you would like
- Complete the Denton Public School Foundation Scholarship-November DEADLINE

November

- Complete your applications and SUBMIT
- Send test scores to colleges
- Request Transcripts via Naviance

December

- 1st-DEADLINE for UT-Austin and A&M
- Scholarships, Scholarships, Scholarships

January

- Apply for housing and pay deposit

February

- 20th- FAFSA Night @ DHS

March

April

- Accept admission offer
- Accept financial aid offer

May

- 1st-Commit to a school
- 22nd-Graduation

June

- Attend college orientation



Options After Graduation



Work

- If you need assistance with finding a job or exploring a career option, please sign up for DHS Works in Spring or see [Mrs. Holladay-DHS Career counselor](#)

Military

Take the ASVAB offered at DHS

- October 29 OR
- March 4



[Sign up with Career Counselor](#) Mrs. Holladay or QR Code in hallway or <https://tinyurl.com/y352skxb>

Be sure to let your counselor know if you are pursuing a military path

JobCorp

Largest nationwide residential career training program in the country
The program helps eligible young people ages 16 through 24 complete their high school education, trains them for meaningful careers, and assists them with obtaining employment.

If you are interested in this program, make an appointment to meet with your counselor for more information



Options After Graduation



Technical Training School

- Training for a specific career
- Cosmetology, Auto Tech, Nursing, Welding, etc
- Typically apply directly to the school
- Financial Aid will be accepted at these schools

SOME programs are also offered at community colleges for a ***cheaper tuition***

If you need assistance, please request to meet with your alpha counselor, or [Mrs. Holladay, Career Counselor](#)



Options After Graduation

Community College/University

Visit schools you are interested in.

You have 2 days that are available for college visits.

Turn in your visit letter to attendance office





College Application Process

TESTING- TSI/SAT/ACT

IF you are planning 4-year UNIVERSITY- you have to take either an ACT or SAT

If you are enrolled in Free or Reduced lunch, you qualify for 2 FEE WAIVERS to cover the cost of the exam. Request to see your counselor to get the fee waiver.

Once you test with a fee waiver, you also qualify for college application fee waivers. In your collegeboard.org account for SAT, ACT-see your counselor

You need to submit your scores to the colleges you are applying to-do this when you register for the test, otherwise it will cost you additional money

TSI-*required for community college-used as a placement assessment

*qualifying ACT/SAT scores may exempt student from TSI requirement



College Application Process

MOCK SAT OR ACT Testing



Sylvan Learning Center will provide a

MOCK SAT OR ACT at DHS on

September 14, 9a-12p

Complete registration form by Sept. 11

COST: \$20 cash-due day of test

Personalized score report provided during a seminar on Sept. 18 @ 6pm





College Application Process



Applications

Apply online via

- [Applytexas.org](https://www.applytexas.org)- ALL public schools in Texas and SOME privates in Texas
- [Commonapp.org](https://www.commonapp.org)- MANY private schools and SOME public schools outside of Texas
- [coalitionforcollegeaccess.org/](https://www.coalitionforcollegeaccess.org/)- MANY private schools and SOME public schools outside of Texas
- Directly on the school website



College Application Process



Transcripts

After you have submitted your application, request transcript VIA Naviance

Log in

Username: ID #

Password: Birthday (mmddyyyy)

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://student.naviance.com/dentonhs>. The page header is a teal bar with the Naviance logo and the text "Naviance | Student". Below the header, there is a large light gray area on the left and a white area on the right. In the white area, there is a logo of a horse and the text "Welcome to Naviance Student". Below this, there are two input fields: "Email or Username" and "Password". To the right of the input fields, there is a link "Are you new here?" and a link "I need to register". At the bottom right, there is the school name "Denton High School" and the address "1007 Fulton".



College Application Process



Email and Info

GPA & Rank found here

(Academic)

IB ACCOUNT
Ima Bronco

General Information | Parents/Guardians | Security

Personal	Contact
Nickname -	Home Phone -
Counselor Jari Peltier	Mobile Phone -
Year of Graduation 2019	Address - - -
ID # 999888	Email -
State ID -	

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College Application Process



Welcome, Demo Langat!

Search for Colleges



Type a college name

Homepage-Also

Gives you important
information/directions

CLICK on "Read more" for

Info on class size, rank, GPA

Seniors

Class of 2020! - [Click here to REQUEST A
TRANSCRIPT!!!](#)

****All transcripts are requested in Naviance and cost \$1 cash only, pay in**

[Read more](#)



CommonApp and Naviance



IF applying via CommonApp- you MUST match your account

The screenshot shows the Naviance Student website interface. At the top, there is a teal navigation bar with the text "Naviance | Student" and a search icon. To the right of the navigation bar are links for "Home", "Courses", "Colleges", "Careers", "About Me", and "My Planner". Below the navigation bar is a dark blue header for "Colleges I'm applying to" with a search icon and the text "Search for colleges". A prominent pink message box is overlaid on the page, containing the text: "It looks like you are not currently able to apply to Common App schools. Match your Common App account to Naviance Student account to get started." To the right of this message is a white button with the text "Match Accounts". At the bottom of the page, there are links for "Manage Transcripts" and "Compare Me", a red plus icon in a circle, and a footer with the text "+ = extended profile available" and "+ REQUEST TRANSCRIPTS REMOVE".



College Applications and Naviance



“COLLEGES I’M APPLYING TO”

ADD a school by clicking the +

Naviance | Student

Home Courses Colleges Careers About Me My Planner

Colleges I'm applying to Search for colleges

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STEP 1

Add Application

STEP 2

Request Transcript

Which college are you applying to?

University of North Texas



Colleges already in your application list would be unavailable for selection.

App type

Priority March 1



I'll submit my application

Direct to the institution



I've submitted my application

Add Application

ADD AND REQUEST TRANSCRIPT



What type of transcript are you requesting?

Initial

Mid year

Final

What additional materials, if any, do you want included?

Unofficial SAT Scores

Unofficial ACT Scores

Where are you sending the transcript/s?

No Preference

Request and Finish



TRANSCRIPT



After you request in Naviance, pay \$1 fee to DHS
Counseling Office

Allow at least 1 week for processing



Naviance and Letters of Recommendations



Some colleges require letters of recommendation. Request the letter via Naviance, from the College Homepage

Complete the BRAG SHEET and RESUME if you will need a letter

Naviance | Student HOME Courses Colleges Careers About Me My Planner

Letters of recommendation

Your Requests

You can request new letters of recommendation and track the most recent status of your requests here.

Add Request

Recommendation For ^	Deadline ^	Recommender(s)	Status ⓘ	Cancel Request
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Your recommendation requests will show up here.

Add Request



College Application Process



\$Money\$

Complete the FAFSA- *Free Application Federal Student Aid OR TASFA**

www.Fafsa.gov

Complete the Denton Public School Foundation Scholarship application

Complete the Scholarship application AT the schools you are applying to

Search for scholarships VIA Naviance

*Texas Application for State Financial Aid-for students who are ineligible for FAFSA, but are Texas residents, and went to high school for at least 3 years in Texas



Athletes



College Athletes MUST be registered/cleared with the Collegiate Athletic Association(s)

NCAA - D1 or D2

www.ncaa.org

NAIA

www.naia.org

*Meet with your coach and/or counselor for additional details



G-FORCE



Mentors from UNT

Assist Students with College process

On DHS campus 1x a week (Tuesday,
10:30am-1:30pm)

Request to meet with them through the online
counselor request form or indicate in Senior Survey.





Next Steps



Attend the NorTex College Fair on Monday,
September 9 @Golden Triangle Mall

- Start/Continue/Complete your applications
- During the next six weeks, your assigned counselor will meet with you individually (and invite your parent) to discuss YOUR status towards graduation
- Sign up to meet with G-FORCE

SEPTEMBER 9, 2019
NorTex
College Fair

6:30 - 8:30 PM
Golden Triangle Mall
2201 S Interstate 35, Denton, TX 76205
admissions.unt.edu/nortex-college-fair
#NorTex

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TEXAS WOMAN'S
UNIVERSITY


NORTH CENTRAL
TEXAS COLLEGE

Register at:
 GOTOCOLLEGEFAIRS.com
Simplifying College Fairs. Start to Finish



Handouts



- Naviance and the College Admissions Process Checklist/ Class of 2020 Events/Important Dates (yellow)
- Preparing for College: Senior Checklist (green)
- Application Checklist (white)
- NorTex College Fair flyer
- ASVAB Sign Up (white)
- ACT/SAT Test Dates (blue)
- MOCK ACT/SAT Registration forms (white)



Senior Survey



Please complete the survey-this helps us help you!

<https://forms.gle/a5ynzi2Fiuqs3Qdp8>

