

# LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Class of 2026

Scholarships open at  
12 noon TODAY





# What is the Local Scholarship Program?

To help you in your search, GCCISD has a scholarship program to advertise many of our local area scholarships and give you one area in which to apply.





## Things to Remember...

- Donors are organizations, groups, and individuals in the local area
- The information you provide is the best first impression of you. **FIRST IMPRESSIONS MATTER!**
- If you receive a scholarship, you should send them a thank-you note.





## Things to Remember...

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- **DO NOT USE A.I. TO WRITE YOUR MATERIALS.**





## Get Prepared

- **Unofficial Transcript**
  - Scan and save it using the Notes app on your iPad (Directions will be given to you)
- **Personal Statement/Essays**
- **Letters of Recommendation**
  - Don't procrastinate this step!! Do it ASAP!
- **Some scholarships require additional documents.**



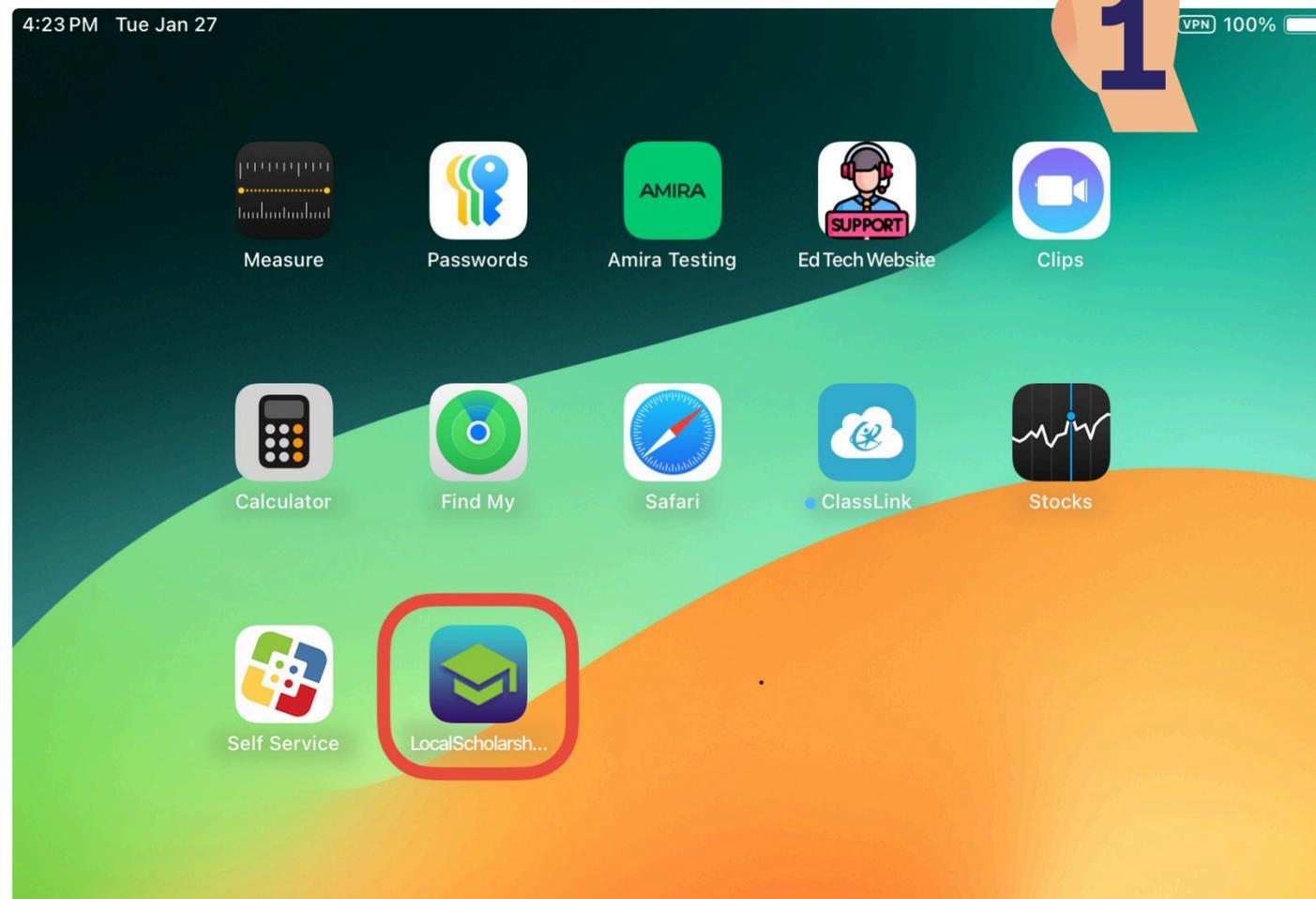


## Application Process

- Applications are located in the Local Scholarship app in your student portal AND on your iPad home screen.
- Estimated Time: 10 minutes per application
  - This is only if you have ALL required documents gathered before you start the application.



# Accessing the Applications iPad Home Screen



★ GRADUATE ★



# Accessing the Applications Student Portal



★ GRADUATE ★



# Find Your School



## Local Scholarships

Class of 2026

### What is the Local Scholarship Program?

- The GCCISD Local Scholarship Program provides a one-stop location for seniors to access scholarships created specifically for GCCISD students.
- Scholarships are funded by local organizations, families, and community partners.
- Donors read your application materials directly. Remember, this is their first impression of you!

### Choose Your High School

Goose Creek Memorial High School

IMPACT Early College High School

Peter E. Hyland Empower Academy

Robert E. Lee High School

Ross S. Sterling High School

Stuart Career Technical High School





# Scholarship Organization



**Skim the PDF at the top of your high school page. This will give you an overview of each scholarship at once!**



**Scroll down to applications. They are sorted by category (ex: Elementary/Junior High PTO, Fine Arts, Athletics, Service Organizations, College and/or Major Specific, etc.).**





## Important Tips

- Be professional!!
  - Proofread your essays before submitting them.
  - Make sure you follow the guidelines for each scholarship.
- There is no save and finish later feature on most scholarships. Have materials ready beforehand.
- Make sure to provide proof if you must attend a certain GCCISD school (ex: Highlands Junior High) get proof in registrar's office





Deadline

Sunday

March 1, 2026

11:59 p.m.

There are **ZERO** exceptions to this  
deadline!





# Items in Envelope

FAFSA Information

Scholarship Essay Outline

How to Scan

Lee College Ready, Set, Enroll

Decision Day - April 29

Scholarship Offers

**If you have NOT picked up your transcript, please check with your English teacher. If they do not have it, report to the SENIOR office.**



## How to Scan a Document with Your iPad or iPhone

Click on this icon



to open the Notes app.

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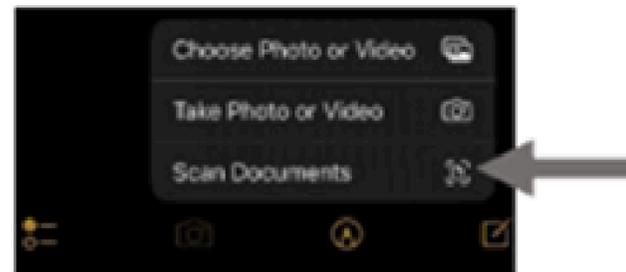


to create a new note.

Click on this icon.



Click on "Scan Documents".

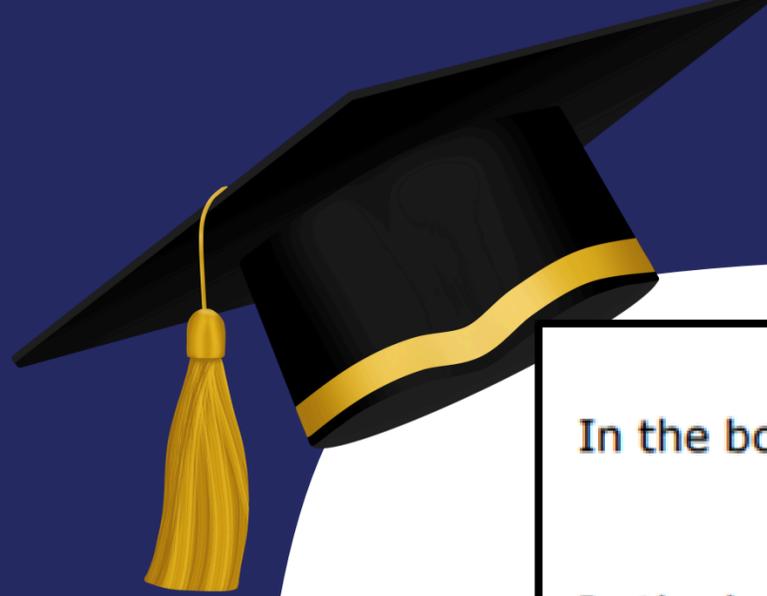


Take a clear photo of your document.

Drag the corners to crop your document if necessary.

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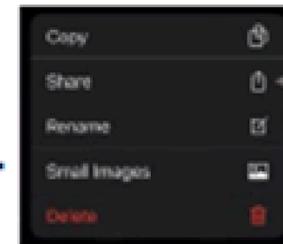




In the bottom right corner, click "Keep Scan". **Keep Scan**

In the bottom right corner, click "Save". **Save**

Hold down on your document until you see this menu. Click "Share".



At the bottom, click "Save to Files".



In the top right corner click "Save". **Save**

Click on this icon  to open the Files app.

Your document should be saved in your "On My iPad" or "On My iPhone" folder.





**Brag sheets are in the Patriot Center.  
Copies will also be posted  
in the Senior Google Classroom  
and Patriot Center Google Classroom.**

**Make sure you fill out completely.**

**ASK TEACHERS WELL IN ADVANCE  
OF DEADLINE**



Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

## GOOSE CREEK MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL Student Brag Sheet

Recommendation letters can have an important impact on you getting into a college or earning a college scholarship. College admissions officers and/or members of a scholarship selection committee want more than a list of descriptive academic adjectives or a list of personal traits, activities or honors. To say that you are *responsible, creative or possess intellectual curiosity* is not enough. You must provide examples or anecdotes that support these personal or academic traits. This helps the reader gain insight into your true essence. Our task is to help the reader of the letter of recommendation, distinguish you from other qualified applicants.

**Directions:** The tasks that follow will help me write an effective letter of recommendation for you. *You don't have to answer all questions.* However, the more information you provide, the more likely it will be that I will be able to write you a good recommendation letter.

**Task 1: Describe yourself** – What are the first words that come to mind to describe yourself? At least 3.

- |          |          |
|----------|----------|
| 1. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 5. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 6. _____ |

**Task 2: Family Background** – Is there anything unusual about your family (cultural background, shared interests and activities, travel, size, crisis, etc.) that has had a significant impact on your personal or academic life?

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**Task 3: Personal/Academic Traits** – Examine the academic and personal traits listed below. Rate yourself using the following scale: 1 = Below average, 2 = Average, 3 = Good, 4 = Very good, 5 = Outstanding

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|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| _____ Initiative/motivation  | _____ Leadership/influence | _____ Emotional maturity |
| _____ Intellectual curiosity | _____ Integrity            | _____ Sense of humor     |

CAMPUS LINKS

- About Us / Mission & Vision
- Business Academy
- College & Career
- Crimestoppers
- Friends for Life
- PATRIOT REPORT
- Report Bullying
- School / Bell Schedule
- School Events Calendar
- Student Records and Transcript Requests

DISTRICT LINKS

- Instructional Calendar
- School Supplies
- Educational Technology [EdTech]
- Breakfast & Lunch Menus



**FREE VACCINES**  
FOR STUDENTS AT

**VACUNAS GRATUITAS**  
PARA ESTUDIANTES EN

**GOOSE CREEK MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL**

**FEBRUARY 18, 2026**  
**EL 18 DE FEBRERO DEL 2026**

Complete and return consent forms by **2/10/26**  
Complete y entregue los formularios antes del **10/feb/26**

QUESTIONS? | ¿PREGUNTAS? **713-500-ALL5 (2555)**  
**ALLFORTHEMVACCINES.COM**



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# RECORDS REQUESTS

## Select To Get Started:



[CLICK HERE](#) If you are a CURRENT student and would like to order your student record or transcript



[CLICK HERE](#) If you are a FORMER student and would like to order your student record or transcript



[CLICK HERE](#) If you are a FORMER graduate and would like to order a replacement diploma

### General Information

At Goose Creek Independent School District student records are stored at the High School of last attendance. This system is currently set up for **STERLING HIGH SCHOOL, MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL, LEE HIGH SCHOOL, IMPACT EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL** and **STUART CAREER TECH HIGH SCHOOL**.

All requests for student records / information will be submitted and paid for online. Phone and fax requests will no longer be accepted. If you are a government agency, please contact our office to receive a coupon code prior to submitting your request.

### Charges will apply when ordering student records. Please note the information below:

- Please allow 3-5 business days to process student record orders
- Please allow 10 weeks to process replacement diploma requests
- Requests for information must be completed online and will be processed on normal business days during normal business hours (Monday-Friday 8:00 AM-4:00 PM). **Click the appropriate link button to request information.**

**Please note that this website is optimized for IE 9.0 and higher, Safari, Chrome and Firefox.**

*All requests will be checked for accuracy. Any inaccurate information may result in your record not being processed. All communication with regard to your order, payment, our progress, and the records delivery will be sent via email.*

[Back to GCCISD Home Page](#)

# Current Student Records Request Step 1, Please Enter All Information

This is an official request for a copy of a student record. The information contained in this request should be considered private. Please complete all information in full and then finalize the order process by clicking 'Proceed to Check Out'. The information required on this page is necessary to verify and protect your school record from being accessed by unauthorized individuals.

You will receive emails from [scribOnline@scribsoft.com](mailto:scribOnline@scribsoft.com) to notify you of the status of your order. It is important you read those emails carefully as additional information may be required to process your request.

**ACCESSING THE ORDER TRACKER:** Once the order has been submitted and payment received, you will be directed to a confirmation page which contains the link to the Order Tracker. You will also receive a link to the Order Tracker via email from [scribonline@scribsoft.com](mailto:scribonline@scribsoft.com). To access the Order Tracker, you will enter your email address, order number and password.

## Student's Current Name:

★ Last Name:

★ First Name:

Middle Name:

Maiden Name:

Suffix:

★ Last 4 SSN:

★ Last 4 SSN: (confirm)

Student ID:

## Information Related To Student's Birth:

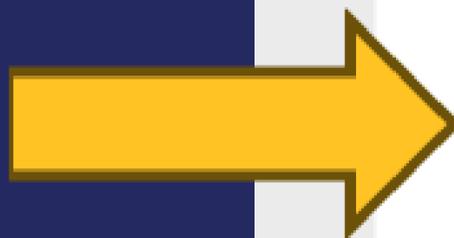
★ Date of Birth:

★ Current Age:

Birth City:

Birth State:

Birth Country:



### Select Delivery Method:

★ Please select the document delivery method

I will PICK-UP these documents at:

*Student Records / Registrar*

**Sterling High School**  
300 W. Baker Road  
Baytown, TX 77521

**Memorial High School**  
6001 E. Wallisville  
Baytown, TX 77521

**Robert E. Lee High School**  
1809 Market  
Baytown, TX 77520

I would like this records request delivered to:



#### Reason(s) for Request of Student Record:

- Employment
- College
- Identification
- Birth Certificate
- Immigration
- Other



#### Select The Information Type(s) Requested:

- High School Transcript (first three are free)  
( \$1.00 ea. + \$1.00 copy )

#### Cost of Records Request Processing Original Copies

Total Cost of Original Docs \$0.00

Total Fee: \$0.00

**If it tries to  
charge you, come  
by the Patriot  
Center for a  
CODE**

# OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS



- Check specific college scholarship deadlines – check websites - NOT FLEXIBLE – some college applications also apply to scholarships
- Researchscholarships. Use website resource list/CCR webpage
- CollegeBoard Opportunity Scholarships
- Scholarships posted on Patriot Center Google Classroom, Senior Google Classroom, XELLO
- Scholarship search websites - Scholarships.com, Fastweb, Going Merry, Scholarship Owl, Cappex, Scholly, CareerOneStop, Bold.org, Chegg
- Make an appointment with Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Henry, or Mrs. Hoy to discuss opportunities!
- LOCAL Scholarships TODAY

**Scholarship List - 67 pages**

**Senior Google Classroom  
sc5raf2**

**Patriot Center Google Classroom  
gwbdrf6**

# Important items



- **Make sure you have all credits. Check with your counselor if unsure.**
- **Retake TSI if needed – come by Patriot Center to schedule**
- **Online request for transcript – Form on GCMHS website**  
<https://gccisdtx.scribborder.com>  
- Send transcript directly to the college from GCM. DO NOT mail it to them in the regular mail.
- **FAFSA Help Night – March 5, 6-8pm**
- **FAFSA required for high school graduation**
- **TWO College Visit days for Seniors**
- **Must let colleges know yes or no by May 1**

# Colleges Offering FREE Tuition

Full list in PATRIOT  
CENTER and SENIOR  
Google Classroom

	Stephen F. Austin State University	Purple Promise	Income \$30,000 or less	Freshmen must be accepted, FAFSA/TAFSA complete by June 1	<a href="http://catalog.sfasu.edu/content.php?catoid=20&amp;navoid=868">http://catalog.sfasu.edu/content.php?catoid=20&amp;navoid=868</a>
	Texas A&M University	Aggie Assurance Program	Income \$60,000 - \$130,000	Apply to TAMU by deadline, Complete FAFSA/TAFSA by April 15	<a href="https://aggie.tamu.edu/financial-aid/types-of-aid/grants/aggie-assurance">https://aggie.tamu.edu/financial-aid/types-of-aid/grants/aggie-assurance</a>
	Texas State University	Bobcat Promise	Income \$50,000 or less	Freshmen must be accepted, FAFSA/TAFSA complete by March 15	<a href="https://www.finaid.txst.edu/fin-aid/freshman-aid-programs/bobcatpromise.html">https://www.finaid.txst.edu/fin-aid/freshman-aid-programs/bobcatpromise.html</a>
	Texas A&M University - Corpus Christi	Islander Guarantee	Income \$125,000 or less	Freshmen must be accepted, FAFSA/TAFSA complete by April 15	<a href="https://www.tamucc.edu/cost-and-aid/financial-aid/info-for-students/guarantee.php">https://www.tamucc.edu/cost-and-aid/financial-aid/info-for-students/guarantee.php</a>
	Lone Star College	Lone Star Promise	Eligible for financial aid	Must complete FAFSA/TAFSA	<a href="https://www.lonestar.edu/promise.htm">https://www.lonestar.edu/promise.htm</a>
	Houston Community College	Eagle Promise	Income \$10,000 or less	Admit to HCC, reside in taxing area, FAFSA/TAFSA	<a href="https://www.hccs.edu/applying-and-paying/financial-aid/eagle-promise-program/">https://www.hccs.edu/applying-and-paying/financial-aid/eagle-promise-program/</a>
	Texas A&M University - Kingsville	Javelina Promise	Income \$65,000 or less	Apply and complete FAFSA/TAFSA by deadline	<a href="https://www.tamuk.edu/javelinaPromise/">https://www.tamuk.edu/javelinaPromise/</a>

# STEPS for College Admission

1. **Apply to college** – Apply Texas, Common App., Coalition, specific to college
2. **Send test scores** – ACT or SAT or TSI (SAT send at Collegeboard.org)
  - Community colleges TSI only- BUT SAT/ACT may be needed for scholarships
  - TSI testing at GCM
3. **Send high school transcript** – online registrar form – GCMHS website – Student records/transcript request (left side)
4. **Send college transcript if dual** – online - Lee College
5. **Mail fee waiver to college admissions office** - if indicated fee waiver on application
6. **Fill out FAFSA** – ALWAYS – even if you don't get money – needed for some



# College Applications



Goose Creek Memorial High School

Class of 2026

## Time to prepare for the college application process!

In this guide, you will find SAT/ACT information, college application websites, resources for application essays, FAFSA information and a check list of information to keep on hand when filling out forms. College applications open July 1 or August 1. Check college websites for specific dates and deadlines.

## Finding the RIGHT College Fit STEP 1

The college search process can feel overwhelming, but it's crucial to approach it with a long-term perspective. Take time, reduce stress by pacing yourself, and make well-informed decisions. To make the process more manageable, you should create a balanced list of schools that fall into three categories: safety, match and reach.

Safety

Safety schools are ones where you exceed the academic requirements and are practically guaranteed admission. These schools still need to offer the programs and opportunities you are looking for.

Match

Match schools are where your academic profile aligns closely with the average accepted student. You have a strong chance of being admitted, but acceptance is not guaranteed. Match schools should be institutions where you see yourself thriving academically and personally.

Reach

Reach schools are your dream schools where admission is more competitive, and your academic profile may be slightly below the average admitted student. Don't be afraid to aim high!

## STEP 3 Gather - BEFORE you begin....

- Social Security Number
- High School Code - 440480
- Copy of High School Transcript
- Copy of college transcripts for dual courses
- SAT/ACT/TSIA2 score reports
- List of high school activities
- List of community service hours
- Family's educational background
- Citizenship information - you and parent
- Recommendation Letters

Posted in Patriot Center Google classroom, Senior Google Classroom and Parent Square

## Spotlight on Admissions Testing

SAT and ACT scores are important to have before you start the application process. SAT scores are in your College Board account. Make sure you have tested and your scores meet scholarship and admission requirements. Although, some universities do not require these scores to be admitted, scholarships may require specific test scores. Scores may also help determine acceptance to your selected major. You do not need both tests. Community colleges do not require SAT/ACT and will accept TSIA2 as a college placement exam. Retest at the beginning of senior

year if your scores are not where you want them to be.

### 2025-26 SAT Dates

Test Date	Reg. Deadline	Late Reg.
August 23	August 8	August 12
September 13	August 29	September 2
October 4	September 19	September 23
November 8	October 24	October 28
December 6	November 21	November 25
March 14, 2026	February 27, 2026	March 3, 2026
May 2, 2026	April 17, 2026	April 21, 2026
June 6, 2026	May 22, 2026	May 26, 2026

### STEP 2

Fee waivers available in The Patriot Center

**SAT Fees** SAT - \$68  
Late Fee - \$38 Sign up at: [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org)

### 2025-26 ACT Dates

Test Date	Reg. Deadline	Late Reg.
July 12	June 6	June 20
September 6	August 1	August 19
October 18	September 12	September 30
December 13	November 7	November 24
February 14, 2026	January 7, 2026	January 21, 2026
April 11, 2026	March 6, 2026	March 24, 2026
June 13, 2026	May 8, 2026	May 27, 2026
July 11, 2026	June 5, 2026	June 24, 2026

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**ACT Fees** ACT - \$65  
Writing add on - \$25  
Science add on - \$4  
Late Fee - \$38 Sign up at: [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)

**STEP 4**  **RECOMMENDATION LETTER tips**

Letters of recommendation play a crucial role in the college application process as they offer additional context to an applicant's academic record. While grades and coursework are important, they may only partially showcase a student's strengths, challenges, personality, character, and work ethic. This is where letters of recommendation become valuable, providing insightful perspectives. When requesting a letter, it's beneficial to ask for a character letter of recommendation which emphasizes your personal qualities over your academic achievements.

- Choose recommenders who know you well
- Choose teachers, counselor, sponsors, coaches, or someone outside of school
- Choose someone from a class that aligns with your chosen college major
- Choose someone who writes well
- Allow at least TWO weeks
- Provide a resume or brag sheet
- Provide submission instructions
- Send a thank you note



**Brag sheets available in The Patriot Center**

**STEP 5**  **application WEBSITES**

**Check your college website to determine which application to use. Each heading below is linked to the application website.**

**Apply Texas**

- for most public 2yr./4yr. colleges and some private colleges in TEXAS only

**The Common Application**

- used by many private universities and out of state universities. Larger TX universities also prefer Common App

**Coalition for College**

- used by many private universities and out of state universities

**Common Black College Application**

- used by 67 HBCUs in the US. Apply to several at one time for only \$20

**STEP 6**  **ON POINT ESSAYS**

Many college applications require an essay or short answer questions. Essays should represent your personality and let decision committees have insight to your life without listing your achievements. This is your voice! Always ask someone to read and edit. Below are links to helpful websites for essay writing tips and examples.

**Tips for Writing an Effective Application Essay**  
**College Essay Guy**  
**32 College Essay Examples**  
**How to write a stand out college essay in the age of AI**  
**Essays That Worked**  
**Apply Texas Essay Topics**  
**Common Application Essay Topics**



**STEP 7**  **transcripts** 

**Use this link to the GCM website to request a transcript to be sent to each college applying to. OR use the Common Application OR complete the SRAR as required by the college. Also send any college transcripts from dual credit courses using your college portal.**

**GCM transcript request**

 **FAFSA** **STEP 9** 

The FAFSA application opens **October 1** each year and continues throughout the year. **Priority deadline for Texas students is January 15.** It is important to fill out the application as close to October 1, as possible. Money is available on a first come, first served basis. Select the colleges you are interested in applying to on the college selection portion of the FAFSA. FAFSA must be completed each year student is in college.

- Opens October 1, 2025 - use 2026-2027 application
- Student and ONE parent must create a FSA ID
- Use 2024 tax returns to complete
- 4 FAFSA assistance nights at GCM - starts October 2
- **LINK to websites - Create FSA ID, FAFSA**

**STEP 8**  **Send scores**

**Click on links below for score information and how to send scores.**

**SAT scores**  
**ACT scores**  
**TSIA2 scores**

Send your SAT, ACT, and/or TSIA2 scores to colleges. Even if you choose to apply test optional, colleges will need to know you are college ready through one of these tests before you can enroll. SAT/ACT scores may also be needed for scholarships or to qualify for certain majors/programs.

# TSI and College Readiness

All students **MUST** be considered “college ready” in R/W and MATH to enroll in college courses. Colleges look at **EACH SECTION SEPARATELY**.

- SAT - 480 R/W, 530 MATH
- ACT –COMPOSITE 23 + ENGLISH 19, COMPOSITE 23 + MATH 19
- TSIA2 – ELAR (English Language Arts) 945 With 5 on essay,  
MATH – 950

\*second chance to pass option available on both tests

**Can RETEST – April or after school by appointment**

**It is possible for a student to score overall high enough on the SAT to be accepted to college and NOT be college ready in a specific area.**

- Some colleges are accepting students without SAT/ACT scores. **HOWEVER** – students **MUST** be college ready to enroll in classes. This means taking SAT, ACT or TSIA2.



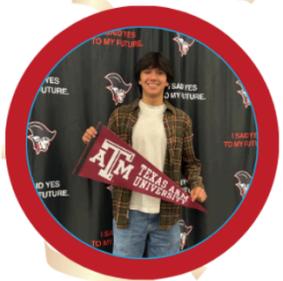


# I HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED TO

A College, trade school, military or work force  
Please let us know so we can celebrate you!

Please scan the QR code or use the tinyurl

<https://tinyurl.com/Acceptance-breakfast>



## MUST SIGN UP TO PARTICIPATE

College/Military Acceptance  
Breakfast  
February 18 and April 8  
7:15am  
LIBRARY

# EVENTS FOR SENIORS

## SEPTEMBER

9/10/25  
Application Help Night  
Location: GCM Library 6-8pm  
9/23/25  
GCCISD College & Career Night  
Location: GCM 6pm

## OCTOBER

10/2/25  
FAFSA Help Night  
Location: GCM Library 6-8pm  
10/8/25  
Acceptance Breakfast  
Location: GCM Library 7:20am

## NOVEMBER

11/10/25 - 11/14/25  
GCM College week  
College Rep visit, games & trivia  
11/11/25  
College 101 night  
Location: GCM Auditorium 6-8pm  
11/12/25  
Acceptance Breakfast  
Location: GCM Library 7:20am  
11/12/25  
FAFSA Help Night  
Location: GCM Library 6-8pm

## DECEMBER

12/10/25  
Acceptance Breakfast  
Location: GCM Library 7:20am

## MAY

5/8/26  
Prom  
5/5/26 & 5/12/26  
Ready, Set, Enroll  
5/22/26  
Graduation

## JANUARY

1/8/26  
Alumni Discussion Panel  
Location: Auditorium  
1/15/26  
FAFSA Help Night  
Location: GCM Library 6-8pm

## FEBRUARY

1/15/26  
FAFSA Help Night  
Location: GCM Library 6-8pm  
2/18/26  
Acceptance Breakfast  
Location: GCM Library 7:20am  
2/27/26  
GCM 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Career Day  
Location: GCM

## MARCH

3/27/26  
Top Ten Celebration

## APRIL

4/1/26  
FAFSA Help Night  
Location: GCM Library 6-8pm  
4/3/26  
FAFSA Completion/Opt out  
deadline  
4/8/26  
Acceptance Breakfast Last One  
Location: GCM Library 7:20am  
4/29/26  
Decision Day  
Location: GCM 1:15pm

CLASS OF 2026

# YOU'VE BEEN ACCEPTED! NOW WHAT?



Join us for a presentation of what you need to know after you have been accepted.

April 8, 2026

10:30am -11:06am

GCM Library



**SENIORS ONLY**

Seating is limited,  
sign up now.



# Lee College Enrollment

May 5

May 12

Sign up if you plan  
to attend Lee College  
Advisors will start  
registering you for  
classes.



# LEE COLLEGE BOUND?



# READY, SET, ENROLL



SENIORS WHO PLAN TO ATTEND LEE COLLEGE FOR THE FALL 2026 SEMESTER, THIS EVENT IS FOR YOU! STUDENTS WILL NEED TO REGISTER WITH THE QR CODE BELOW. WE WILL CONNECT YOU WITH A LEE COLLEGE ADVISOR FOR ASSISTANCE WITH ENROLLMENT.

**MAY 5TH & 12<sup>TH</sup>**  
**2026**  
**GCM LIBRARY**  
DURING THE SCHOOL DAY



SPOTS ARE LIMITED REGISTER ASAP!

### EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

- ENROLL IN CLASSES
  - SUMMER OR FALL SEMESTER
- TALK TO THE ADMISSIONS DEPARTMENT
- CHAT WITH FINANCIAL AID
- GET YOUR LEE COLLEGE SWAG! 🎉🌟



# PLEASE LET US KNOW ABOUT YOUR **SCHOLARSHIP OFFERS**

MAKE SURE YOU ENTER ALL TOTALS THAT HAVE BEEN OFFERED TO YOU.  
NOT JUST THE ONES YOU ARE GOING TO ACCEPT.

TOTAL WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT GRADUATION ON MAY 22 2026



SCAN THE QR CODE OR  
USE THE LINK

<https://tinyurl.com/GCM-26-scholarships>



# Decision Day

## 2026

<https://tinyurl.com/Decision-Day-2026>

### April 29th at 1:15 pm

Open to all **SENIORS** who have accepted admission to a college, technical school, job opportunity or the military. **Parents- come celebrate with your student! Sign up using the QR code by April 5, 2026**



# FAFSA

## GCCISD HELP NIGHTS

**Please  
Bring your  
2024 Tax Return  
to complete  
FAFSA**

-  • October 27, 2025 Stuart Career 5:30-7PM
-  • October 28, 2025 Impact 5-6:30PM
-  • November 4, 2025 Lee 5-6:30PM
-  • November 12, 2025 GCM 6-8PM
-  • November 19, 2025 Sterling 5-7PM
-  • January 14, 2026 Lee 5-6:30PM
-  • January 15, 2026 GCM 6-8PM
-  • January 22, 2026 Stuart Career 5:30-7PM
-  • February 19, 2026 Sterling 5-7PM
-  • February 25, 2026 Impact 5-6:30PM
-  • April 1, 2026 GCM 6-8PM

**TO APPLY FOR THE 2026-27 FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA), YOU'LL NEED:**

### IDENTIFICATION

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER AND AN FSA ID FOR BOTH STUDENT AND ONE PARENT (ACCOUNT USERNAME AND PASSWORD) TO LOG IN TO STUDENTAID.GOV - MUST BE COMPLETED 3 DAYS BEFORE COMPLETING THE FAFSA

### FINANCIAL INFORMATION

2024 TAX RETURNS, W2S, RECORDS OF CHILD SUPPORT RECEIVED, AND CURRENT BALANCES OF CASH, SAVINGS, AND CHECKING ACCOUNTS

### ASSET INFORMATION

RECORDS OF THE VALUE OF ANY INVESTMENTS, SUCH AS STOCKS, BONDS, AND REAL ESTATE (EXCLUDING YOUR PRIMARY RESIDENCE)

### CONTRIBUTOR INFORMATION

THE NAME, DATE OF BIRTH, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER, AND EMAIL ADDRESS OF AT LEAST ONE PARENT CONTRIBUTOR



# GCM Date April 1 6pm -8pm

## Texas high school graduation requirement

## Turn in proof to Patriot Center

## 2025-2026 SAT Test Dates

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
June 7	May 22	May 27
August 23	August 8	August 12
September 13	August 29	September 2
October 4	September 19	September 23
November 8	October 24	October 28
December 6	November 21	November 25
March 14, 2026	February 27, 2026	March 3, 2026
May 2, 2026	April 17, 2026	April 21, 2026
June 6, 2026	May 22, 2026	May 26, 2026

School day SAT- MARCH date TBD – Juniors only (who qualify)

## 2025-2026 ACT Test Dates

TestDate	Registration Deadline	LateRegistration Deadline
June 14	May 9	May 27
July 12	June 6	June 20
September 6	August 1	August 19
October 18	September 12	September 30
December 13	November 7	November 24
February 14, 2026	January 7, 2026	January 21, 2026
April 11, 2026	March 6, 2026	March 24, 2026
June 13, 2026	May 8, 2026	May 27, 2026
July 11, 2026	June 5, 2026	June 24, 2026

**SAT Fees** SAT Fee- \$68 Late fee- \$38

Fee waivers are available in your College Board account and The Patriot Center. Must bring a device for testing.

Sign up at [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org)

PSAT/NMQST- October date TBD (10th and 11th graders)



### ACT Fees

Test \$65  
Writing add-on \$25  
Science add-on \$4  
Late fee- \$38

Fee waivers available in The Patriot Center

Sign up at [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)

**Not many dates left for testing if you need to send a score to your college.**

# Goose Creek Memorial **CAREER** *Day* **2026**

Join Us for a Day of  
Opportunities and Growth!

Arrive by 7:30am for welcome and breakfast

Please park in the east parking lot.  
The entrance is located on N. Main St.

[Click here to register](#)

## MORNING SESSIONS

THREE 30 minute  
career presentations to  
students. Ends at 10am

## OPTIONAL AFTERNOON SESSIONS

Walkthrough Career Fair  
for student employment  
opportunities  
-part time, full time,  
summer  
Starts at 1pm



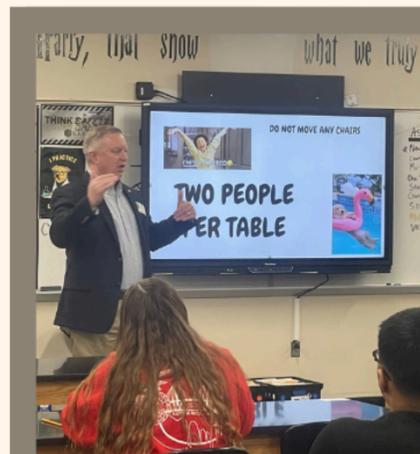
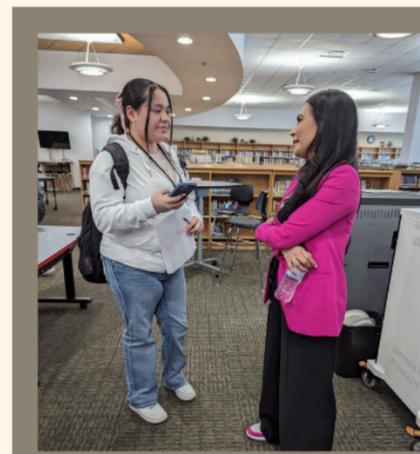
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February 27, 2026



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- COLLEGE GUIDANCE
- CAREER GUIDANCE
- DUAL CREDIT GUIDANCE
- AP QUESTIONS



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WITH MRS. HOY



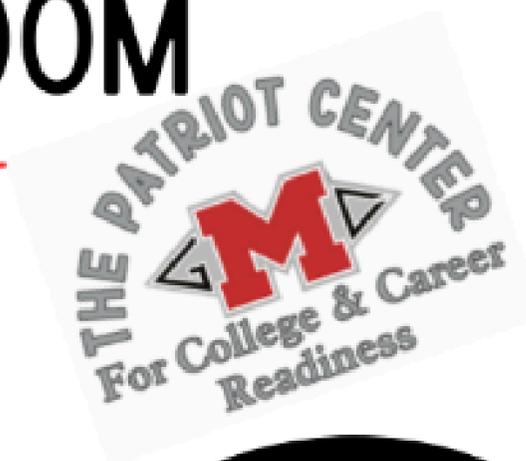
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# THE PATRIOT CENTER'S GOOGLE CLASSROOM

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- UPCOMING SCHOLARSHIP OFFERS
- TESTING DATES
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