



**MAY 2018**

## **Senior Guide**

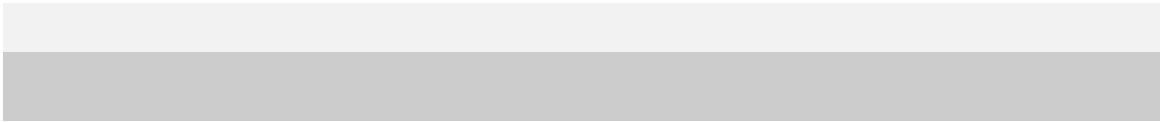
**A Word from the Counselors**



***"Sometimes you will never know the value of a moment until it becomes a memory." –dr. seuss***

**CONGRATULATIONS SENIORS!!**

# PLEASE LET THE GUIDANCE OFFICE KNOW OF ANY SCHOLARSHIPS YOU HAVE RECEIVED SO THAT IT CAN BE PLACED IN THE GRADUATION PROGRAM.



## SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH ENGINES

Fast web Scholarship Search - <http://www.fastweb.com>

Peterson's – [www.collegequest.com](http://www.collegequest.com)

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

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

[www.student.scholarships.org](http://www.student.scholarships.org)

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

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

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

[www.scholarships.horatioalger.org](http://www.scholarships.horatioalger.org)

*Note: Some scholarship sites and scholarship search engines are requiring that an account be created in order for students to apply. Please do not pay for scholarship information. Be aware of scams.*

## Order your final transcript now

### TO ORDER YOUR FINAL TRANSCRIPT:

1. [Sign in](#) to your Parchment account.
  - If you forgot your password, no problem! Simply click the [Forgot Password](#) link to reset it.
  - If you don't have a Parchment account yet, [create an account](#) now.
2. Click Order.
3. Search for the destination that you want to send your final transcript to. When you find it, click Select. Do you know where you'll be sending your transcript when your final grades are in? If the answer is yes, then place your order now. Your transcript won't be sent until your final grades are on it. Why wait?

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- If you don't have a Parchment account yet, [create an account](#) now.
- 2. Click Order.
- 3. Search for the destination that you want to send your final transcript to. When you find it, click Select.
- 4. Under "When do you want this sent?" Select Hold for Grades. This means the transcript won't be sent until this semester's grades are on it. Click Save & Continue. You'll click Save & Continue again after reviewing your order.
- 5. Give consent and click Save & Continue. On the next screen, you'll enter payment information and you're done!

***Students: High School Transcripts must be requested in enough time to mail out. Requesting an official transcript the day of a scholarship deadline could result in that organization not receiving your completed application.***

## **CURRENT SCHOLARSHIPS**

### **American Business Women's Association-Globe Chapter Scholarship**

Deadline: May 07, 2018

- Female Student who will be attending an accredited U.S. college, university or community/vocational school.
- Must be a citizen of the United States
- Must be a resident of Belton, Copperas Cove, Fort Hood, Harker Heights, Killeen, Nolanville, or Temple.
- Must be a 2018 graduating senior or, in their freshman through junior year of college.
- Must have a GPA of 2.5 – 4.0 or higher.

### **Governor Samuel Mathews Chapter-Colonial Dames XVII Century**

Deadline: May 01, 2018

- Must be planning to attend one of the following institutions: Central Texas College, Texas A&M University-Central Texas, Temple College, University of Mary Hardin-Baylor
- Completed application form (typed or printed in black ink)
- A current high school transcript
- Two letters of recommendation
- A written narrative of not more than 500 words addressing one of the following topics:
  - Describe what attributes and/or accomplishments in your life illustrate your interest and ability in pursuing a college degree

- What individual or event(s) led you to choose the major you have selected?
- Explain your career objectives and how your college plans relate to those objectives.

### **The Turner Maurice Gaunt, Jr. Exemplary Citizen Award**

Deadline: May 01, 2018

- If you are interested in this opportunity, please speak with your counselor about nominating you for this award.
- Explain in 6 paragraphs how you embody the four cornerstones of this award mirroring Turner Maurice Gaunt, Jr.'s high school success
- The four cornerstones of excellence are:
  - Stellar Academic Record
  - Athletic Excellence
  - Community Service
  - Student Body Leadership
- Please keep in mind that the nominations are due to the scholarship committee by May 01, 2018. Counselors will need some time to prepare the nomination.

### **AUSA-Central Texas-Fort Hood Chapter-Association of the United States Army**

Deadline: May 01, 2018

- Active duty soldier, stationed at Fort Hood
- Family member of an active duty soldier stationed at Fort Hood
- Family member of a retired soldier; living in the AUSA chapter area
- Retired soldier; living in the AUSA chapter area
- Dept. of the Army Civilian employed at Fort Hood
- Family member of a Dept. of the Army Civilian employed at Fort Hood
- Three letters of recommendation-signed and dated after November 1, 2017
- List of personal awards, honors, recognitions, certificates and certifications
- Copy of unofficial transcripts from schools attended or attending
- Copy of ACT/SAT scores if available
- Letter of acceptance if a new student
- Essay (250 words or less) answering the following question:
  - Which amendment to the US Constitution do you think is most important and why?

## **Alpha Delta Kappa-Epsilon Theta Chapter-International Honorary Sorority for Women Educators**

Deadline: May 03, 2018

- Must be planning to pursue a college degree in education
- Two letters of recommendation from teachers or other adults who know you well
- Official Transcript
- 500 word essay

## **Abbott & Fenner Scholarship**

Deadline: June 14, 2018

- Available to all high school juniors and seniors
- An essay between 500 and 1000 words on the following subject:
  - Describe your educational career and life goals. Explain your plan for achieving these goals. Include your degree/major, why you selected it, and how this degree/major will help you achieve your goals.

Submit essay at <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>

## **B. Davis Scholarship**

Deadline: May 22, 2018

- High school junior or senior
- No age restriction
- Include your name and the school you are attending this year and next
- This is not an academic scholarship but we would like to know where you are going to school now and what your future academic plans are.
- Please do not send transcripts or letters of recommendation at this time
- Write an essay of less than 1000 words on the topic below:  
*Describe the three characteristics of leadership you value most. Discuss why you believe that these traits are so important and how you feel that they are developed in an individual.*

Your submission must be sent by email to: [awards@studentawardsearch.com](mailto:awards@studentawardsearch.com)

- Copy of student's SAR (Student Aid Report)

## **BigSun Young Athletes Scholarship**

Deadline: June 19, 2018

- All student athletes regardless of the sport or the capacity in which they participate.
- High School senior
- 500 – 1,000 word essay

## **Ozarka Natural Spring Water \$10,000 “Every Drop Counts” Earth Science Scholarship**

Deadline: May 25, 2018

- Completed application
- Complete high school transcript
- Completed essay
- Signed “General Rules & Guidelines” document
- Must be a U.S. citizen and a Texas resident at the time of application
- Have a 3.0 or above grade point average (G.P.A.)
- Are currently pursuing or have plans to pursue higher education in the Earth/Environmental Sciences
- Are not employees or related to employees of Nestle Waters North America or Ozarka Natural Spring Water

### **Counseling Department**

Counselor---Heather Bisson

Counselor---Barbara Critchfield

Counselor---Juli Fischer

Pamela Pierce--Secretary

Counselor---Sarah Noteboom

Counselor---Amy Picot

Counselor---TyAnna Virdell

**OFFICE HOURS 8:00 – 4:30 PM**

**PHONE NUMBER 254-336-0629**

Coordinator-David Dominguez

Registrar----Nancy Roberts