

Bowie High School
Junior Parent Night
October 17th, 2018

Bowie Volunteers Are:

Ready!

Responsible!

Respectful!



Administrative Contacts



Principal
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Assistant Principal
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Students Cr-G



Assistant Principal
Alicia DeVaul
Students H-L



Assistant Principal
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Students M-O



Assistant Principal
Lee Jones
Students P-Se



Assistant Principal
Dr. Channa Barrett
Students Sf-V



Assistant Principal
Carlos Lopez
Students W-Z

Bowie Counselors



NyTasha Wilson *AVID



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Alberta Fears *Gf-Ke



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Norton *Suc-Z

Foundations with Endorsements High School Program



- **4 English Credits**
 - English, I, II, III, and an advanced English course
- **4 Math Credits**
 - Must include Algebra I and Geometry
- **4 Science Credits**
 - Must include Biology plus one of the following: IPC, Chemistry, or Physics
- **3 Social Studies Credits**
 - Must include W. Geography or W. History, U.S. History, Government, Economics
- **1 PE Credit**
 - 2 Foreign Language Credits (Must be the same foreign language)
- **1 Fine Art Credit**
- **7 Elective Credits**
- **Credit requirements specific to at least one endorsement**

26 Credits Required to Graduate

SENIOR CLASSIFICATION = 18 CREDITS

Endorsements



A student may earn an endorsement by successfully completing curriculum requirements in the following areas:

- STEM – science, technology, engineering and mathematics
- Business and Industry
- Public Services
- Arts and Humanities

(Visit handbook link below for specific requirements)

<http://www.aisd.net/pdf/HSCDHandbook/HSCDHandbook.pdf>

Graduation Requirements



GRAD PLANS

Foundations with Endorsements Graduation Plan

- AISD Graduation Standard

Foundations with Endorsement Distinguished Level of Achievement

- Foundation Endorsement Plan including Algebra 2

Performance Acknowledgements

- Outstanding Performance in one of the following areas:
 - (a) Dual Credit Course, (b) bilingualism and biliteracy, (c) AP or IB exam, (d) PSAT, SAT, or ACT
- Earning a nationally or internationally recognized business or industry certification or license

See course handbook for details

STARR End-of-Course State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness



Required Tests for Graduation

English I
English II
Algebra I
Biology
US History

EOC RETEST Dates-Fall 2018

English I	December 3 rd
Algebra I	December 4 th
English II	December 5 th
Biology/US Hist	December 6 th

Spring Administration

Algebra I	May 7 th
Biology	May 8 th
<i>US History</i>	<i>May 8th</i>
English I	April 9 th
English II	April 11 th

ATTENDANCE



Students will lose class credit after 5 absences

Ways to Makeup "Seat" Time

- Tuesdays/Thursdays School 3 – 4 p.m.
- Saturday School
- After-school credit recovery
- Before and/or after-school tutoring

**Students must see their assistant principal's clerk to establish an attendance contract.

***Students cannot receive a Verification of Enrollment (VOE) if they have been denied credit due to absences.

Recovering Credit



- Credit Recovery
- Credit by Exam
- Correspondence Course
- After School Academy at DOP location

**students must visit with their counselor to implement any of these options

***Please remember eligibility guidelines for NCAA

Academic Rigor



*Pre-Advanced Placement courses (may select during course registration)

*Advanced Placement® courses (may select during course registration) – AP testing upon completion of course may qualify for college credit if the student scores 3 or higher.

*International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme® (application required) – testing during spring semester (at end of course) may qualify for college credit. Scores that qualify for credit vary among institutions.

*Dual Enrollment program (application & testing required) – college credit earned upon successful completion of course

Interest Meeting for Dual Credit is October 23rd 6:00-7:30

*Career and Technical Education Dual Enrollment programs (application & testing required; interview required for some programs)

Pre-AP and AP Enrollment



- Bowie High School is an open enrollment campus in that any student can choose to take advanced academics courses.
- Students requesting out of a Pre-AP or AP course should see their counselor to begin the process.
- Approval to withdraw from any AP or Pre-AP course will be determined by the AP Coordinator (Mr. McGarity) and the Advanced Academics Assistant Principal (Dr. Barrett) after receiving feedback from the student, parent, and teacher.

International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme®



The following IB Courses can be taken by any 11-12 grade student. ALL students are expected to fulfill all course requirements (internal assessments, exams, etc.) of the course.

- IB Psychology SL - 1 year
- IB Information Technology in a Global Society (ITGS) SL (one year) IB Music SL (one year) and HL two years)
- IB Theory of Knowledge (spring semester Junior Year and Fall Semester Senior Year)
- IB Chemistry - 1 year
- IB Computer Science - 1 year

Academic Dual Credit



- Must have a 7.0 GPA (AISD scale) or higher to be eligible
- Score on Texas Success Initiative Assessment determines eligibility for courses
- Successful completion of course earns student college credit
- Grades below a 70 in a Dual Credit course make the student ineligible to take Dual Credit courses in the future
- Courses offered include English IV, US History, Sociology, Psychology, US Government & Economics
- Dual Credit Interest Meeting, October 23rd 6:00-7:30 in the cafeteria

Career and Technical Education



- Many of our career tech courses and workforce dual credit will be held at the CTE center
- Many of our upper-level career tech courses and workforce dual credit are held at the CTC
- Courses previously available only on some campuses are now be available to all students
- Opportunity AISD

Tuesday, November 13th @ 5:30 to 8:00 p.m

Website: <https://www.aisd.net/career-technical-center/>

Benefits of PSAT



By taking the PSAT and meeting published entry requirements, you may enter the National Merit Scholarship Program conducted by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation!!

Scholarships



Program Recognitions

- Commended Students
- National Merit Semifinalist
- National Merit Finalist
- National Hispanic Recognition Program



Test Prep



- Khan Academy
 - Personalized Study for the SAT
- ACT Academy
 - ACT Test Prep
- Juniors should start taking SAT and/or ACT no later than this spring
- Ask your child about the Junior Guide Book (it's packed full of postsecondary information!)

****PSAT RESULTS MEETING -TBA**

Senior Course Registration



Wednesday, January 23rd and Thursday, January 24th

Last day to enter courses in Career Cruising is:
February 21st

After **February 21st** there will be **no** course changes

- Schedules will be locked after this date.

NOTE: *After the deadline, NO requested elective changes will be made before, during, or after schedule pick up.*

Career Cruising



- Allows students to make course selections for the next school year, via the internet.
- Access through the AISD website by clicking on the Students tab
- Bowie counselors will meet with all students to assist in choosing their classes.
- Parents may access student accounts to review and change selections anytime up to the deadline of **FEBRUARY 21**.

Changing a Course Selection



- Students will be allowed to *request* a schedule change during the first 2 days of each semester. Valid reasons for a schedule change are:
 - Enrollment in a course where credit has been received.
 - A necessary/chosen course missing from schedule.
 - Missing Period

Requests to change an elective course chosen by the student during registration will be denied.

UIL Eligibility



- Students must pass all classes with a 70 or better in order to maintain eligibility for participation in UIL sanctioned activities (athletics, fine arts, etc).
- Students in Pre-AP, AP, IB or Dual Credit courses may participate with a 60 or better (but a semester average of 70 is necessary to gain credit).
- Ineligible students may regain eligibility by passing all classes at the progress marking period. Students failing one or more classes on the progress report will be ineligible for the remainder of the six weeks.

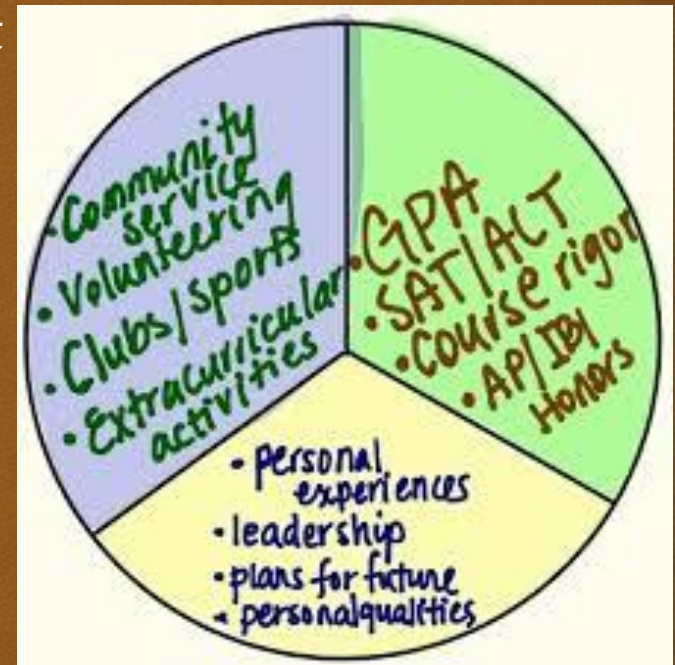


College
Just Ahead

What Colleges Look for in an Applicant



- Proven Academic Achievement
- Standardized Test Scores
 - STAAR
 - SAT
 - ACT
 - TSI



- Extracurricular Involvement/Work Experience

What You Should Look for in a College



- Location
- Size
- Cost/Financial Aid
- Family Tradition
- Admission Requirements
- Curriculum & Degrees Offered
- Athletics if you are interested in competing at the collegiate level
- Individuality

COLLEGE VISITATION DAYS

- Seniors ONLY
- 2 PER YEAR



APPLYING TO COLLEGE



How to apply:

- College website
 - Freshman Admissions link
- www.applytexas.org
- www.commonapp.org



Letters Of

Recommendation/Resume:

- A Resume provides some perspective of a student's character and credentials.
- Give counselors a 2 week notice for letters of recommendation

Grade Point Average (GPA)

- Students in grades 9-12 will receive credits and grade points by semester average. Each semester of work completed satisfactorily will count 1/2 unit. These units will be recorded on transcripts by semester.
- Regular courses are calculated using a 12 point scale.
- Advanced courses (Pre-AP, AP, IB, Honors) use a 15 point scale.

Grade Point Average (GPA)

<u>Numerical</u> <u>Values</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Regular</u> <u>Level</u>	<u>Honors**</u> <u>Level</u>
97 - 100	A+	12	15
93 - 96	A	11	14
90 - 92	A-	10	13
87 - 89	B+	9	12
83 - 86	B	8	11
80 - 82	B-	7	10
77 - 79	C+	6	9
73 - 76	C	5	8
70 - 72	C-	4	7
< 70	F	0	0

**Pre-AP, AP, IB, Honors

Transcript Requests



When applying to colleges, you will need your high school transcript.

- Request can be submitted in the Counseling office
- You can request a paper copy or have your transcript sent electronically
- 24 hours to process

Collegiate Athletics



Students planning to play sports in college fall under NCAA guidelines regarding Core Courses and GPA.

- Credit earned in Credit Recovery or by Credit by Exam does not qualify under the NCAA Core Course.
- Students who have not yet applied need to apply to the NCAA Eligibility Center ASAP at www.eligibilitycenter.org

Collegiate Athletics



www.2point3.org



Resources



PARENT SELF-SERVE

CAREER CRUISING

PROGRESS REPORTS

REPORT CARDS

And More Resources



- Your Counselor
- aisd.net
- aisd.net/bowie
(Counselors' page)
- www.collegeboard.org
- www.act.org
- www.careercruising.com

GoCenter

Hours: 7:30AM- 3:15PM

Location: Room 601

Advisor: Mr. Dominick

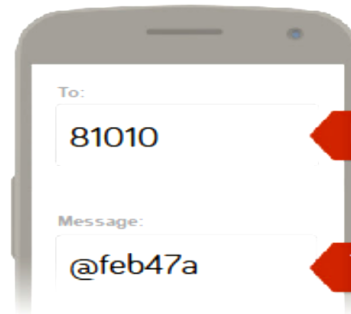
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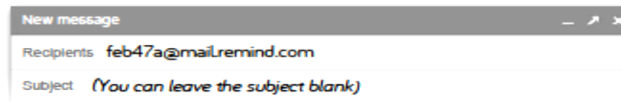


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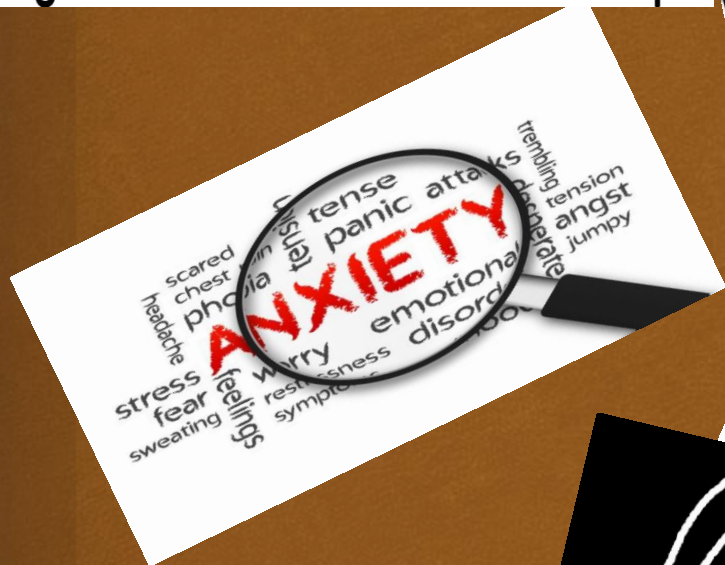
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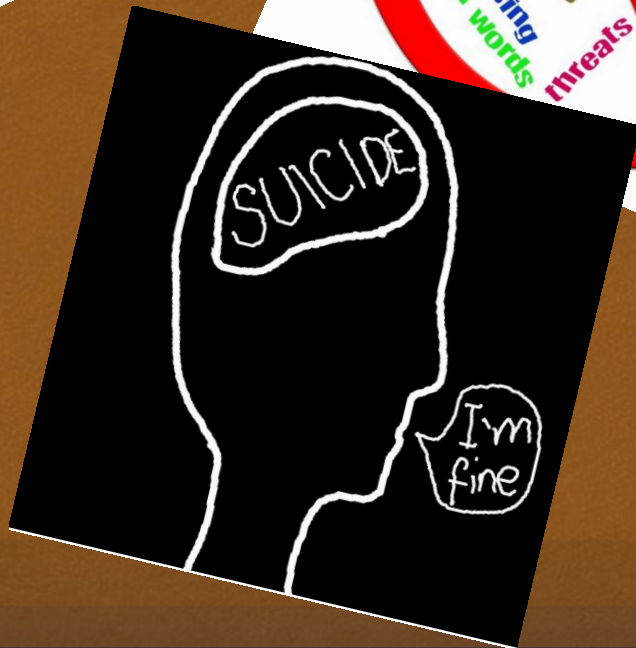
Teen Dating Violence Prevention Awareness Month

Dating & violence should not be a couple

CONFLICT Resolution



ANGER MANAGEMENT





Needs Assessment Survey

