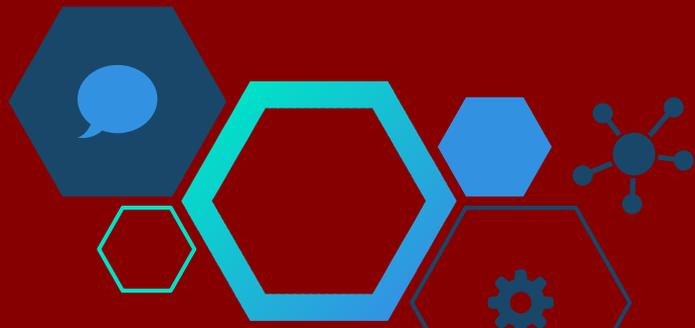


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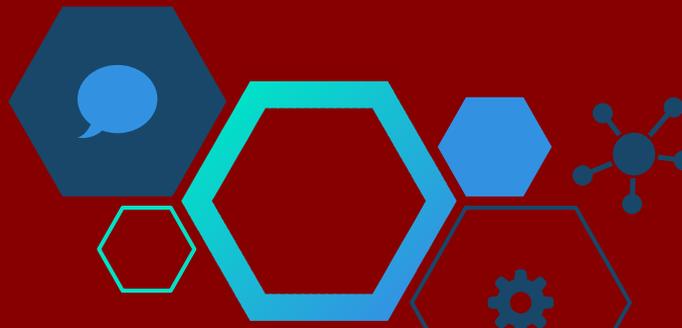
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# Class of 2028

Conversation  
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Counselor

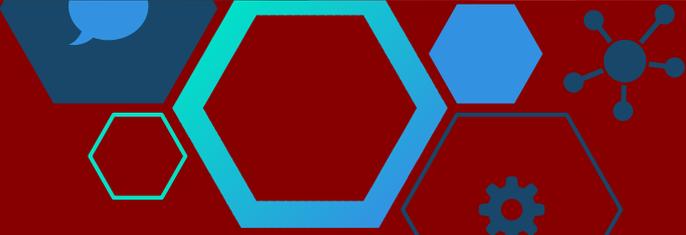


20% of  
class



# BALANCED LEARNING FOR A BRIGHTER FUTURE

CHURCHILL HIGH SCHOOL





# CHURCHILL COUNSELORS

(Assigned by grade level and last name of student)



- 
- **A-Esh - Marilu Greene (10-12th)**
- **Esi-Leej - Amanda Schmitt (10-12th)**
- **Leek-Roc - Cynthia Patterson Lopez (10-12th)**
- **Rod-Z - Sandra Gutierrez-Patacsil (10-12th)**
- **9th grade - Erin Dickson**
- **STAN - Kathy Johnson**
- **CCMR - Jeannie Dimaline**
- **Family Liaison - Jeorgina González**

**\*\*\*\*Very Important Notice\*\*\*\***

**The Importance of Having a Correct Address and Phone # on File**

- **Any returned mail** received will cause the student's file to be flagged.
- An attempt will be made to contact the parent via phone call/email
- If the address is not updated by the end of June, **the system will automatically drop the student, courses will be lost**, and re-enrollment will be required with proof of residence.



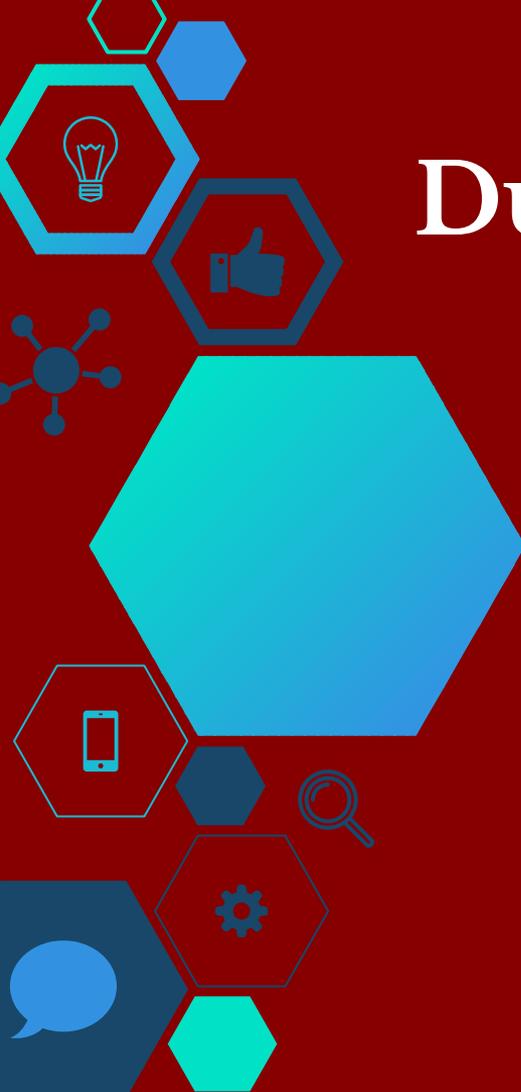
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***“What is the difference  
between AP and Dual  
Credit and Dual  
Enrollment?”***

Can only have 3 Classes of AP On Ramps  
Dual Credit by the end of 10th grade. On  
Ramps -you cannot drop in August or after  
1st semester



# Why Do I want to be in Dual Credit/On Ramps/AP?

- Earns you college credit
- Saves your parents \$\$\$
- Challenging coursework prepares you for the rigor of college work!!
- Looks great on transcript when applying to college (If you make good grades!!)

# On Ramps



- NEISD partners with The University of Texas at Austin to offer students the opportunity to earn college credit while in high school through an innovative Dual Enrollment program called On Ramps.
- Courses offered are: English 3, College Algebra, Pre-Cal, US History, and Eco
- Dual Enrollment students will have the opportunity to earn college credit from a UT faculty member and high school credit from their high school teacher. On Ramps courses will transfer to any public Texas college or university.
- OnRamps does not have a course equivalent, so there is no level change process for this course.



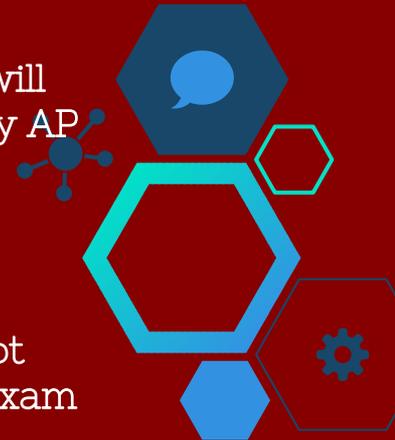
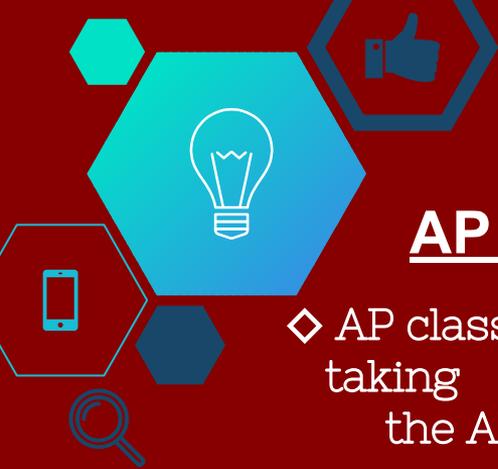
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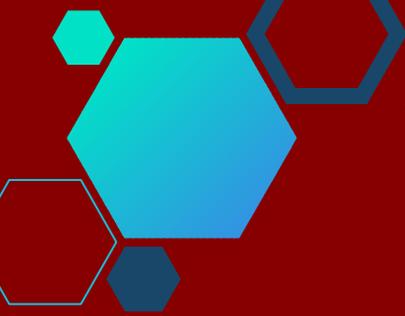
## AP Classes

- ◇ AP classes require taking the AP exam in May
- ◇ Most colleges and universities award college credit if you score a 3 or better on the AP exam
- ◇ AP exam(s) costs money
- ◇ AP classes are open

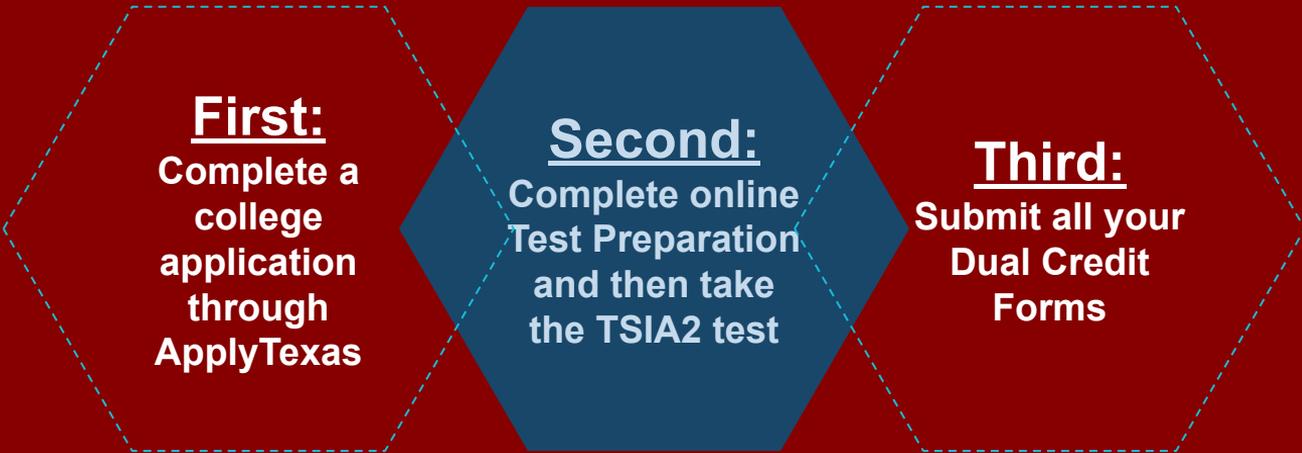
## Dual Credit Classes: E3, E4, Ready, Set, Teach

- ◇ Once you pass the Dual Credit class, you will have a college transcript with grades to provide to the university that you attend
- ◇ Most colleges will accept the college transcript, but the colleges decide what credit that you will earn (For example, US History AP may be awarded a history elective instead of US History credit)
- ◇ Dual Credit costs nothing except the testing fee of the TSIA2 exam





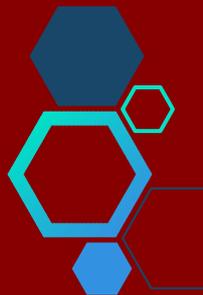
# Applying for Dual Credit: A Process that takes Time and Effort



**First:**  
Complete a  
college  
application  
through  
ApplyTexas

**Second:**  
Complete online  
Test Preparation  
and then take  
the TSIA2 test

**Third:**  
Submit all your  
Dual Credit  
Forms





# GRADUATION PROGRAM



- Texas requires that all students work toward one of the following graduation programs:
  - Foundations Program with Endorsements – 26 credits (no Alg 2)
  - Foundations Program with Distinguished Level of Achievement (NEISD default graduation plan) – 26 credits



# Foundation High School Program with Distinguished Level of Achievement (DLOA) with Endorsement

**English** 4.0 credits

**Math** 4.0 credits

**Science** 4.0 credits

**Social Studies** 4.0 credits

**Foreign Languages** 2.0 credits

**Physical Education** 1.0 credit

**Health** 0.5 credit

**Fine Arts** 1.0 credit

**Electives** 5.5 credits

**Total credits= 26 credits + endorsement(s)**

**Student must  
take Algebra II**



# Texas High School Endorsements Options



- Multidisciplinary Studies
- Arts and Humanities
- STEM
- Public Service
- Business and Industry

Students will select at least one endorsement and 4 credits in the CTE program of study to meet graduation requirements.



## HB-5 EOC REQUIREMENTS

STAAR EOC exams required for graduation

- English I-9th
- English II-10th
- Algebra I-8th or 9th
- Biology-9th or 10th
- US History-11th

# Preparing for next year: course selections

## Course Card





**VERY  
IMPORTANT**

# Course Selections

1. You will have a course card to fill out/ Please have it ready and in your English class before coming to speak with me in the hallway.
2. Meet with Counselors 1/21-2/24
3. You will have **until May 22** to make any changes by emailing Mrs.Dickson.

**We will be registering through English Classes. Counselors will enter your course selection with you.**



# Some things to know



**Application Required-PALS, Parliament,AVID**

**No level change courses-ON Ramps cannot be dropped**

**Courses with audition needed**

**CTE Courses–Application now open online-Lottery process.  
Make sure email is correct.**

**\* Please reference the AP/Honors/Dual/OnRamps  
agreement for advanced classes**

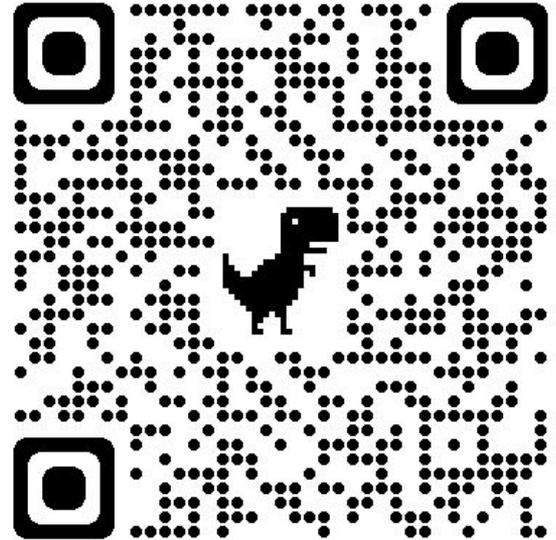
**Fine Arts and Athletics: we must have Coaches' or Director's  
recommendations.**



# Career and Technology Education Program

- Students can obtain college credits or trade certification
- Courses are academically rigorous for college and career readiness
- Courses can take two class periods
- The Career and Technology Education Center is located at 3736 Perrin Central, Suite 4 San Antonio 78247
- Students taking courses at CTEC can ride the school bus to and from Churchill
- **CTE Point of Contact: Sonya Brown**  
[sbrown7@neisd.net](mailto:sbrown7@neisd.net)
- **Due by Jan 20th-must accept your seat**

## Apply Now!



# Promotion/Rank/ Honor Grad





# Promotion Standards



9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Classification	0 - 5.5 Credits
10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Classification	6 – 11.5 Credits
11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Classification	12 – 18.5 Credits
12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Classification	19 credits OR the student is able to enroll in all courses needed to graduate at the end of the current school year



## Overall Grade Average / Honor Graduates

- It is based on the accumulation of 7 semesters of coursework by the time of graduation
- Honor graduate status is determined by the overall grade average for ALL courses taken in high school through the seventh semester and must be greater than or equal to 90
- Honor graduates meeting the criteria specified below shall be designated as follows:
  - Summa Cum Laude 100+ Average
  - Magna Cum Laude 95-99 Average
  - Cum Laude 90-94 Average

Rank Discussion-NEISD does not rank

# Get College/Career/Military Ready

(It's never too early)

- Explore what you want to study
- Get Involved in extracurriculars both in and out of school
- Start your resume
- Take courses that challenge you
- Develop good study habits
- Stay organized



**We want students to find their passion! Prepping for a 4 year prepares them for wherever they land!**



## STAY CONNECTED TO THE COUNSELORS

- Counselors

website: <https://www.neisd.net/Churchill/academics>

- Follow us on Instagram: @CounselorsWC

# Virtual Course Fair

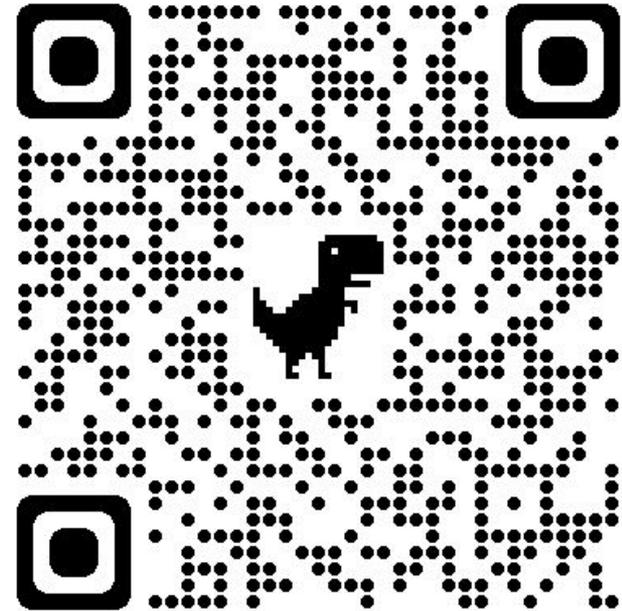
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# Career and Technology Education Program

CTEC  
Automotive  
Video

**Apply Now!**



# Don't forget Dec



# and May



Audit your transcript-don't repeat a course you already have credit for; you will be placed in a course you did not receive credit for; also, add to your resume list; sign up for an SAT

# Join us for Course Fair!

Monday, January 27 at 6:00 p.m.



Zoom meetings through  
January and February

**Join Zoom Meeting Thursday nights at  
6 pm-8pm**

**[https://us04web.zoom.us/j/7223745274  
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**Meeting ID: 722 3745 2749**

**Passcode: 7as7U8**

# Thank you!

If you have any questions, please contact your high school counselor.

