



**TXST  
NEXT**

TEXAS  STATE  
UNIVERSITY<sup>®</sup>







# LET'S BEGIN

You are ready to take charge of your future and prepare yourself to succeed in life. Choosing a school, even earning a degree, is just a beginning. Throughout our nearly 100 undergraduate degree options, you can find ways to revolutionize industries, solve pressing problems, and connect communities. You'll meet people who will be there to support you before your first day of class, at graduation, and through every stage of your career. Let's find your next step.





"I CAME HERE KNOWING NOBODY, AND I'M SADLY LEAVING IN MAY, BUT WITH THIS GREAT FAMILY I'VE CREATED OF FRIENDS AND FACULTY. I'M GOING TO MISS THAT SENSE OF COMMUNITY AFTER GRADUATION."

"¡TXST ME HA DADO LA OPORTUNIDAD DE SER LA VOZ Y REPRESENTACIÓN PARA OTROS HISPANOS QUE FORMAN PARTE DE NUESTRA COMUNIDAD DE BOBCATS!"

"LOVE THE RIVER AND THE HILL COUNTRY VIBES. IT'S JUST A VERY BEAUTIFUL PLACE TO BE."

"THE HONORS COLLEGE IS MY FAVORITE PLACE TO BE, MY FAVORITE BUILDING, MY FAVORITE PEOPLE. THE CLASSES ARE JUST AWESOME."

"IT FELT LIKE OTHER COLLEGES WERE JUST TRYING TO FIT YOU INTO A LINEAR PROGRAM. AT TEXAS STATE YOU GET TO EXPERIMENT AND REALLY FOCUS IN ON WHERE YOU WANT TO GO."

"I MEAN, THE PROFESSORS HERE ARE AMAZING. THEY'VE EMAILED ME (CAREER) OPPORTUNITIES STILL TODAY AND I'M NOT EVEN IN THEIR CLASS ANYMORE."

"PEOPLE ARE THE MOST VALUABLE RESOURCE YOU HAVE ON CAMPUS."

"IT'S BEEN VERY ENLIGHTENING, MY COLLEGE EXPERIENCE. GETTING INVOLVED IN MY STUDENT ORGS REALLY HELPED ME FIND MY PLACE AND FIND MY PEOPLE."





## EAT 'EM UP CATS



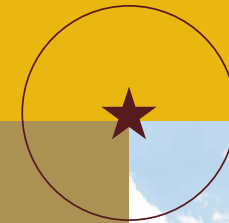
### This Is Where We Live

When we talk about “campus life” at Texas State, it’s so much more than classrooms or residence halls. We’re talking about the energy of people learning and collaborating, creating and sharing. The work we do lifts communities. The discoveries we make change lives. This is where you’ll realize your potential, academically, socially, and creatively.



### Two Campuses, One University

At both our San Marcos and Round Rock homes, Bobcats get the chance to shine as leaders, to excel in their chosen field, to explore new ideas and prepare to make an impact in the world, with support for academic and career development and more.



### Rising Higher in Round Rock

Our Round Rock Campus is a launching pad for careers. Offering upper-level courses for a dozen bachelor’s degree programs, including computer science, mass communication, public relations, applied arts and sciences, criminal justice, education, psychology, and several health professions programs, with state-of-the-art teaching clinics and the St. David’s School of Nursing.





# CLASSROOMS THAT LAUNCH CAREERS

From helping you determine which major will give you career options that match your goals to courses and programs that help you **build your resume** with **practical experience**, we're here to **support your success** far beyond graduation.



## Inspired to Get Hired

### Internships

Internships, both paid and unpaid, are an opportunity to gain real-world experience where you can apply your classroom knowledge. Internship coordinators and career counselors in college can help you identify internship opportunities to match your goals.

### Service Learning

Combining a learning experience with community service empowers you to become an effective leader of your personal career journey. Through career counseling, employer connections, and professional development opportunities, service learning gives you the chance to grow your leadership and professional skills while giving to your community.

### Job Shadowing

"Job shadowing" means taking your chosen career for a test drive with a professional in your field. Observing people on the job in a role you're interested in gives firsthand insight into what the work is like and whether it truly fits into your future.

### Education Abroad

Travel to a new land to study, engage in hands-on research, or learn from professionals in fields from archaeology to international business to technology innovation and much more.



We have a teaching clinic and clinical faculty in different specialties. Our students know what they want to do, and we lay out a clear path, and our careers are in demand right now."

**JIE YANG, PH.D.**

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR  
COMMUNICATION DISORDERS



Texas State students are very engaging, they're very inquisitive. They want to make sure that they're making the right decisions, but they're not afraid to ask questions and fact-find for their own good."

**ALBERT FIGUEROA**

TALENT ACQUISITION SPECIALIST  
ENTERPRISE RENT-A-CAR

UNDERGRADUATE  
RESEARCH  
CONFERENCE  
KTSW BOBCAT  
STUDENT RADIO  
THE UNIVERSITY  
STAR STUDENT  
NEWSPAPER THREE-  
MINUTE THESIS  
COMPETITION  
TEXAS STREAM  
TEAM SOCIOLOGY  
OPPORTUNITIES  
FOR APPLIED  
RESEARCH  
CENTER FOR  
ENTREPRENEURIAL  
ACTION FASHION  
MERCHANDISING  
IN NYC BOBCAT  
PROMOTIONS  
DIGITAL  
MARKETING  
AGRICULTURE AT  
BOBCAT FARMS  
TEXAS CENTER  
FOR GEOGRAPHIC  
INFORMATION  
SCIENCE GENETIC  
STOCK CENTER  
RESEARCH LAB  
ENGINEERING  
SENIOR DESIGN  
DAY FIRE STATION  
STUDIO SOUND  
RECORDING  
TECHNOLOGY  
MEMORY AND  
COGNITION  
LAB HEALTH  
PROFESSIONS  
TEACHING CLINICS  
STUDENT MANAGED  
INVESTMENT FUND  
AND MANY MORE!



# CAREER RESOURCES TODAY AND TOMORROW

It's never too early or too late to **start shaping your future** career. With career counseling and exploration with Texas State Career Services, we can help make sure **your academic courses match your ideal career path.**

Recent Bobcat graduates have started their careers at:

DELL TECHNOLOGIES

SHI INTERNATIONAL

AMAZON WEB SERVICES

ORACLE

TEXAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

INSIGHT GLOBAL

TESLA

SALESFORCE

USAA

CHARLES SCHWAB

You will find our graduates throughout Texas and around the world. Our Bobcat alumni community is a potent force for professional development, public service, and a source of guidance and mentorship for current and future students.

**OVER 224,000 BOBCAT ALUMNI**

**\$53,885**

**MEDIAN EARLY CAREER EARNINGS**

*U.S. Department of Education College Scorecard*



Even after you graduate, you can use Career Services to support your advancement throughout your professional life.

CAREER EXPLORATION

PROFESSIONAL AND PEER ADVISING

CAREER CLOSET

RESUME REVIEWS

COVER LETTER WRITING

JOB SEARCH AND INTERVIEW PREPARATION

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EMPLOYMENT SUPPORT

PART-TIME & ON-CAMPUS JOB SEARCH

CAREER COMPETENCIES SKILL EVALUATION

**15+ in-person job fairs each year:**

BUSINESS AND TECH

ALL INDUSTRIES

ENGINEERING

CONSTRUCTION AND CONCRETE MANAGEMENT

EDUCATION

PART-TIME AND ON-CAMPUS JOBS

LAW SCHOOL

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL

PRE-HEALTH PROFESSIONS PROGRAMS



We're always impressed by the professionalism of the students at Texas State. They always hit the ground running and are always exceeding our expectations, going above and beyond. We hire all majors for our internships and full-time positions; the most common are store operations, supply chain, HR, finance, and accounting."

**MAGGIE PESEK**

SENIOR CAMPUS RECRUITER  
H-E-B



# DIVE DEEPER AND SOAR HIGHER IN HONORS COLLEGE

A unique challenge for students who want more than a degree from their college experience, Honors College offers smaller, seminar-style classes where you work closely with faculty and students from across the university.

You can choose to take classes from a range of topics, replacing regular requirements with Honors courses to fit your degree plan. In addition to smaller classes, you have the freedom to explore your own research ideas and academic passions.

Bobcat Honors students have more options for studying beyond our campuses, experiential learning with professionals in dozens of fields, and access to exclusive spaces, like the Honors Living-Learning Community at Laurel Hall.

[txst.edu/honors](http://txst.edu/honors)



## COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS [appliedarts.txst.edu](http://appliedarts.txst.edu)

### AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

- Agriculture ●
- Animal Science
- Business and Management

### APPLIED ARTS AND SCIENCES

- Applied Arts and Sciences ○

### CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND CRIMINOLOGY

- Criminal Justice ○

### FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

- Consumer Affairs ●
- Fashion Merchandising
- Human Development and Family Sciences ●

- Interior Design

- Nutrition and Foods ●

### SOCIAL WORK

- Social Work

## MCCOY COLLEGE OF BUSINESS [mccoy.txst.edu](http://mccoy.txst.edu)

### ACCOUNTING

- Accounting
- > Integrated BBA/MACy

### INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND ANALYTICS

- Computer Information Systems

### FINANCE AND ECONOMICS

- Economics

- Finance

### MANAGEMENT

- Management

### MARKETING

- Marketing

## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION [education.txst.edu](http://education.txst.edu)

### COUNSELING, LEADERSHIP, ADULT EDUCATION & SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY

- Integrated Studies\*

### CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

- Education

- > (Elementary, Middle School, Secondary, Bilingual, and Special Education) ●○

### HEALTH AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE

- Exercise and Sports Science ●
- Health and Fitness Management
- Public Health
- Recreation Studies

## COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS AND COMMUNICATION [finearts.txst.edu](http://finearts.txst.edu)

### ART AND DESIGN

- Art
- Art History
- Communication Design
- Photography
- Studio Art ●

### COMMUNICATION STUDIES

- Communication Studies ●

### JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

- Advertising
- Digital Media Innovation
- Electronic Media
- Journalism
- Mass Communication ○
- Public Relations ○

### MUSIC

- Music
- Music Studies ●
- Performance
- Sound Recording Technology

### THEATRE AND DANCE

- Dance ●
- Musical Theatre
- Theatre ●
- > Acting
- > Film Production
- > Performance & Production
- > Technical Production

## COLLEGE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS [health.txst.edu](http://health.txst.edu)

### CLINICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE

- Clinical Laboratory Science

### COMMUNICATION DISORDERS

- Communication Disorders ●

### HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

- Healthcare Administration
- Health Sciences

### HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

- Health Information Management ●

### NURSING

- Nursing ●

### RADIATION THERAPY

- Radiation Therapy ●

### RESPIRATORY CARE

- Respiratory Care ●

## COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS [liberalarts.txst.edu](http://liberalarts.txst.edu)

### ANTHROPOLOGY

- Anthropology

### ENGLISH

- English ●

### GEOGRAPHY

- Geographic Information Science
- Geography ●
- Physical Geography
- Resource and Environmental Studies
- Urban and Regional Planning
- Water Resources

### HISTORY

- History ●

### INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

- International Relations
- International Studies Concentrations
- > Asian Studies
- > European Studies
- > International Business
- > Latin American Studies
- > Middle East/African Studies
- > Russian/East European Studies
- > Travel and Tourism

### PHILOSOPHY

- Philosophy
- Religious Studies

### POLITICAL SCIENCE

- Political Science ●
- Public Administration

### PSYCHOLOGY

- Psychology ○

### SOCIOLOGY

- Applied Sociology
- Sociology

### WORLD LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

- French ●
- German ●
- Spanish ●

## PRE-PROFESSIONAL TRACKS AT TEXAS STATE

- Dentistry
- Law
- Medicine
- Optometry
- Pharmacy
- Physician Assistant
- Physical Therapy
- Veterinary Medicine

## COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING [cose.txst.edu](http://cose.txst.edu)

### BIOLOGY

- Aquatic Biology
- Biology ●
- Microbiology
- Wildlife Biology

### CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY

- Biochemistry
- > 5-year Integrated BS/MS
- Chemistry ●
- > 5-year Integrated BS/MS

### COMPUTER SCIENCE

- Computer Science ○

### ENGINEERING

- Civil Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Industrial Engineering
- Manufacturing Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering

### ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

- Concrete Industry Management
- Construction Science and Management
- Engineering Technology

### MATHEMATICS

- Applied Mathematics
- Mathematics ●

### PHYSICS

- Physics ●

## SEE THE CURRENT LIST OF UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

[admissions.txst.edu/majors](http://admissions.txst.edu/majors)

- Teacher certification available

- Upper-level courses also offered at Texas State's Round Rock Campus (RRC)

- Lower-level courses completed in San Marcos, upper-level courses completed in Round Rock

\* Bachelor of General Studies



# CULTIVATING TOMORROW'S PROSPERITY



"I did the dietetic internship here, and I think it's unique about Texas State, that we had about 15 different places I could go to see what different dietitians do — community, food service, clinical, some niche ones, like the Austin Botanical Council — it was really cool, a good experience."

**SYLVIA PICAZO**

TEXAS REGIONAL  
DIETITIAN, CHARTWELLS  
SCHOOL DINING, K-12  
2018 & 2020 ALUM  
BACHELOR'S IN DIETETICS  
MASTER'S IN HUMAN  
NUTRITION  
NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS



GET HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE IN HORTICULTURE AND LAND MANAGEMENT WITH OUR TEACHING GARDENS AND THE FREEMAN CENTER.

## AGRICULTURE AND NUTRITION

Are you hungry for a career that matters? By the year 2050, the U.N. estimates the world population will reach 9.7 billion people. How will you serve them?

Find new ways to provide food that's healthier for people and the planet we share. Start growing your skills and knowledge in agricultural business, dietetics and nutrition, and soil and animal sciences.

### MY FUTURE WILL BE IN...

Agriculture  
Agricultural Business and Management  
Animal Science  
Consumer Affairs  
Dietetics  
Horticulture  
Nutrition and Foods  
Resource and Environmental Studies  
Veterinary Medicine\*

\*Texas State offers course work and advising for students interested in these professional fields, not specific majors.



# LET YOUR BUSINESS IDEAS FLOURISH



“We have faculty and staff members who have real-world experience of what we want to do. You can go talk to them one-on-one and get a better feel for what you can do to get into this career field.”

**ADAM HOLDEN**

TESLA, HUMAN RESOURCES  
2023 ALUM  
BACHELOR'S IN HUMAN  
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT  
LUFKIN, TEXAS



FUTURE ENTREPRENEURS AND BUSINESS LEADERS LEARN HOW NEW TECHNOLOGIES ARE DRIVING INNOVATION IN EVERY FIELD AT THE MCCOY COLLEGE OF BUSINESS.

## BUSINESS AND ADMINISTRATION

Every professional field needs a talented mind to handle its business. We've been preparing leaders in the Texas economy for more than 50 years, in fields as diverse as sports, energy, healthcare, and technology. From Wall Street to advancing solar energy, you will learn what you need to know to seize new opportunities and excel in whichever field you choose.

### MY FUTURE WILL BE IN...

- |                                      |                               |                             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Accounting                           | Fashion                       | Marketing                   |
| Advertising                          | Merchandising                 | Public Administration       |
| Agricultural Business and Management | Finance                       | Public Health               |
| Computer Information Systems         | Health and Fitness Management | Public Relations            |
| Concrete Industry Management         | Health Information Management | Recreation Studies          |
| Construction Science and Management  | Health Sciences               | Urban and Regional Planning |
| Economics                            | Healthcare Administration     |                             |
| Engineering Technology               | Horticulture                  |                             |
|                                      | International Studies         |                             |
|                                      | Management                    |                             |



# COMMUNICATION IS THE KEY



“What I really like about Texas State was one-on-one attention as opposed to other universities. Here you can bring someone an idea of something you want to do, and they’ll help make it happen.”

**ISAAC GARZA**

FILMMAKER

2017 ALUM

BACHELOR’S IN  
ELECTRONIC MEDIA,  
MINOR IN THEATRE  
LAREDO, TEXAS



TAKE DIGITAL  
MEDIA BEYOND  
THE STUDIO  
TO TELL YOUR  
STORY, PROMOTE A  
BRAND, OR BUILD  
COMMUNITY.

## COMMUNICATION

Good communicators can open up new markets, forge cross-cultural partnerships, and energize communities. Plug into a variety of programs that use language, art, and technology in new ways to spark vital conversations. From evolving new media to leading social change, skilled communicators like you will shape what’s next.

### MY FUTURE WILL BE IN...

- |                          |                       |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| Advertising              | International Studies |
| Communication Design     | Journalism            |
| Communication Disorders  | Mass Communication    |
| Communication Studies    | Public Relations      |
| Digital Media Innovation | Spanish               |
| Electronic Media         |                       |
| English                  |                       |
| French                   |                       |
| German                   |                       |



# REVOLUTIONARY EDUCATION IN ACTION



“I always wanted to be a teacher. This is what I love. I love that every single day is different, and I love the difference that you can make in kids’ lives. There’s never a dull moment.”

**AMY SEARLE**

3RD GRADE MATH TEACHER

2017 ALUM

MASTER’S IN EDUCATION

BACHELOR’S IN  
PHOTOGRAPHY



OUR HEALTH AND  
HUMAN PERFORMANCE  
PROGRAMS ARE  
ELEVATING  
HEALTHIER LIVING  
FOR ALL.

## EDUCATION

Preparing future teachers was our first mission, and we continue to set the standard for innovation and quality in improving education. Our legacy is built on developing new teaching methods and researching ways to help teachers be more effective in both imparting knowledge and inspiring the spirit of lifelong learning that we cultivate throughout Texas State.

## MY FUTURE WILL BE IN...

Education  
Elementary and  
Middle School  
Teaching  
Exercise and Sports  
Science  
Health and Fitness  
Management  
High School and  
All-Level Teaching  
Public Health  
Recreation Studies  
Special Education

Teacher Certification  
Areas  
Agriculture  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Communication  
Studies  
Consumer Affairs  
Dance  
Elementary, Middle  
School, Secondary,  
Bilingual, and Special  
Education  
English  
Exercise and Sports  
Science

French  
Geography  
German  
History  
Human Development  
and Family Sciences  
Mathematics  
Music Studies  
Nutrition and Foods  
Physics  
Political Science  
Spanish  
Studio Art  
Theatre



# A HEALTHY FUTURE STARTS WITH YOU



“Many of our students engage in research with the faculty, which is really beneficial for them in building their resumes before applying to graduate school.”

**RANJINI MOHAN**

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR  
COMMUNICATION  
DISORDERS



TXST NURSING GRADS HAVE A NEAR 100% LICENSURE PASS RATE AND JOB PLACEMENT ANNUALLY.

## HEALTH PROFESSIONS & HUMAN SERVICES

From providing hands-on care to reinventing the ways we access care and the business side of medicine, you can be a leader in providing better, more personal, more effective healthcare to people in every community. Learning from experienced, expert faculty in state-of-the-art labs, this is your path to a career that changes lives.

### MY FUTURE WILL BE IN...

Applied Sociology  
Athletic Training\*  
Clinical Laboratory Science  
Communication Disorders  
Consumer Affairs  
Criminal Justice  
Dentistry\*  
Dietetics  
Exercise and Sports Science  
Health and Fitness Management

Health Information Management  
Health Sciences  
Healthcare Administration  
Human Development and Family Sciences  
Law\*  
Medicine\*  
Nursing  
Nutrition and Foods  
Pharmacy\*  
Physical Therapy\*  
Psychology

Public Health  
Radiation Therapy  
Recreation Studies  
Respiratory Care  
Social Work  
Sociology  
Veterinary Medicine\*  
\*Texas State offers course work and advising for students interested in these professional fields, not specific majors.



# EXPLORE THE POWER OF HUMAN INTERACTION



“My college experience at Texas State has been very enlightening. I found myself here. I already knew I wanted to be a lawyer, and criminal justice really fit me. I love how interactive our classes are.”

**CHRISTINE NICKLEBERRY**  
SOPHOMORE  
CRIMINAL JUSTICE  
MCKINNEY, TEXAS



LEARN INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACHES TO BUILDING MORE SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES.

## HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

The world is more interconnected and complex than ever. Join us in exploring the limitless ways that people interact to build communities, resolve conflicts, reveal our histories, and meet societal challenges. Each of these programs gives you the chance to gain practical experience as a key part of your academic journey.

### MY FUTURE WILL BE IN...

- Anthropology
- Applied Sociology
- Criminal Justice
- Economics
- English
- French
- Geography
- German
- History
- International Studies
- Law\*
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Public Administration
- Religious Studies
- Sociology
- Spanish
- \*Texas State offers course work and advising for students interested in these professional fields, not specific majors.



# YOU WILL MAKE THE NEXT BIG THING



“Being part of the first graduating class of civil engineering majors is the final step to prove you can start here and go on to start a great career. I’ll be a project engineer for a construction group, on the path to becoming a project manager.”

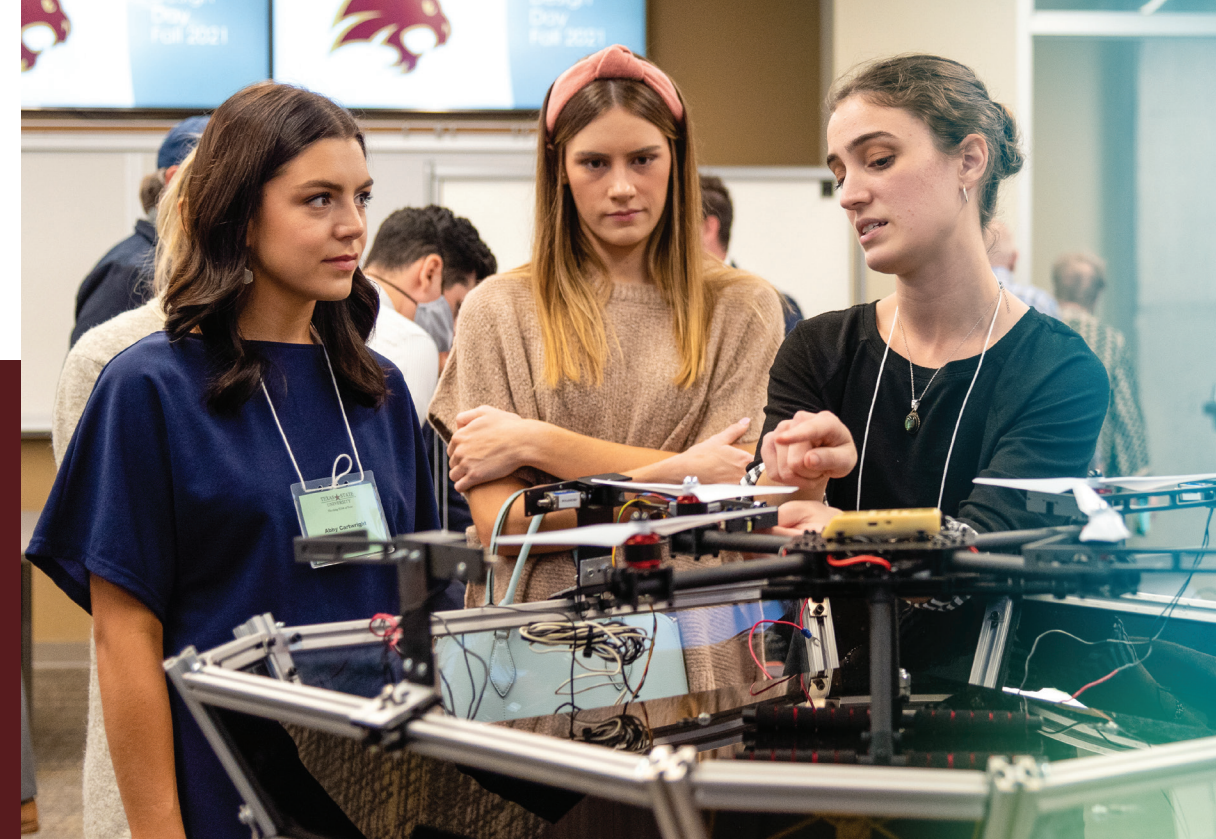
## TREVOR MEYER

PROJECT ENGINEER,  
WHITING-TURNER

2023 ALUM

BACHELOR’S IN CIVIL  
ENGINEERING

HALLETTSVILLE, TEXAS



INVENT YOUR FUTURE! SHOWCASE YOUR TALENTS FOR INDUSTRY PROS AND KICK-START YOUR CAREER AT SENIOR DESIGN DAY.

## SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATH

People drawn to STEM fields are problem-solvers. They fix things, find answers, and then ask the next question. If that sounds like you, then you’ll find exciting and challenging opportunities here that will prepare you for any path you choose to explore, whether you’re aiming to plant your feet on Mars, cure a disease, or create the perfect video game.

### MY FUTURE WILL BE IN...

- |                                     |                                |                                    |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Agriculture                         | Dentistry*                     | Physical Geography                 |
| Animal Science                      | Dietetics                      | Physical Therapy*                  |
| Applied Mathematics                 | Electrical Engineering         | Physics                            |
| Aquatic Biology                     | Engineering Technology         | Resource and Environmental Studies |
| Athletic Training*                  | Exercise and Sports Science    | Urban and Regional Planning        |
| Biochemistry                        | Geographic Information Science | Veterinary Medicine*               |
| Biology                             | Geography                      | Water Resources                    |
| Chemistry                           | Industrial Engineering         | Wildlife Biology                   |
| Civil Engineering                   | Manufacturing Engineering      |                                    |
| Clinical Laboratory Science         | Mathematics                    |                                    |
| Computer Information Systems        | Mechanical Engineering         |                                    |
| Computer Science                    | Medicine*                      |                                    |
| Concrete Industry Management        | Microbiology                   |                                    |
| Construction Science and Management | Nutrition and Foods            |                                    |
|                                     | Pharmacy*                      |                                    |

\*Texas State offers course work and advising for students interested in these professional fields, not specific majors.



# CREATE AUTHENTICALLY, PERFORM PROUDLY



“My job as an applied professor is teaching one-on-one to piano performance majors. We don’t tailor our classes according to what we think the class should be. We tailor everything towards the student. My favorite thing about teaching has to be the impact that I get to make. Their success is twice as fulfilling as my own success.”

**JASON KWAK, D.M.A.**

PROFESSOR OF PIANO  
SCHOOL OF MUSIC  
STEINWAY AND SONS  
TEACHER HALL OF FAME



SPARK THE  
NEXT WAVE OF  
CREATIVITY AS  
YOU COLLABORATE  
AND LEARN WITH  
OTHER ARTISTS  
AND CREATORS.

## VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS

When your break comes, you’ll be ready to take the stage, open the show, and tell the story. Our musical theatre program is the best in Texas and one of the finest in the United States, and we have programs ranked among the top 20 nationally in art, music, communication studies, and dance.

### MY FUTURE WILL BE IN...

- |                          |                            |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Advertising              | Musical Theatre            |
| Art                      | Photography                |
| Art History              | Sound Recording Technology |
| Communication Design     | Studio Art                 |
| Dance                    | Theatre                    |
| Digital Media Innovation |                            |
| Electronic Media         |                            |
| Interior Design          |                            |
| Music                    |                            |
| Music Performance        |                            |
| Music Studies            |                            |



# LIFE HAPPENS HERE

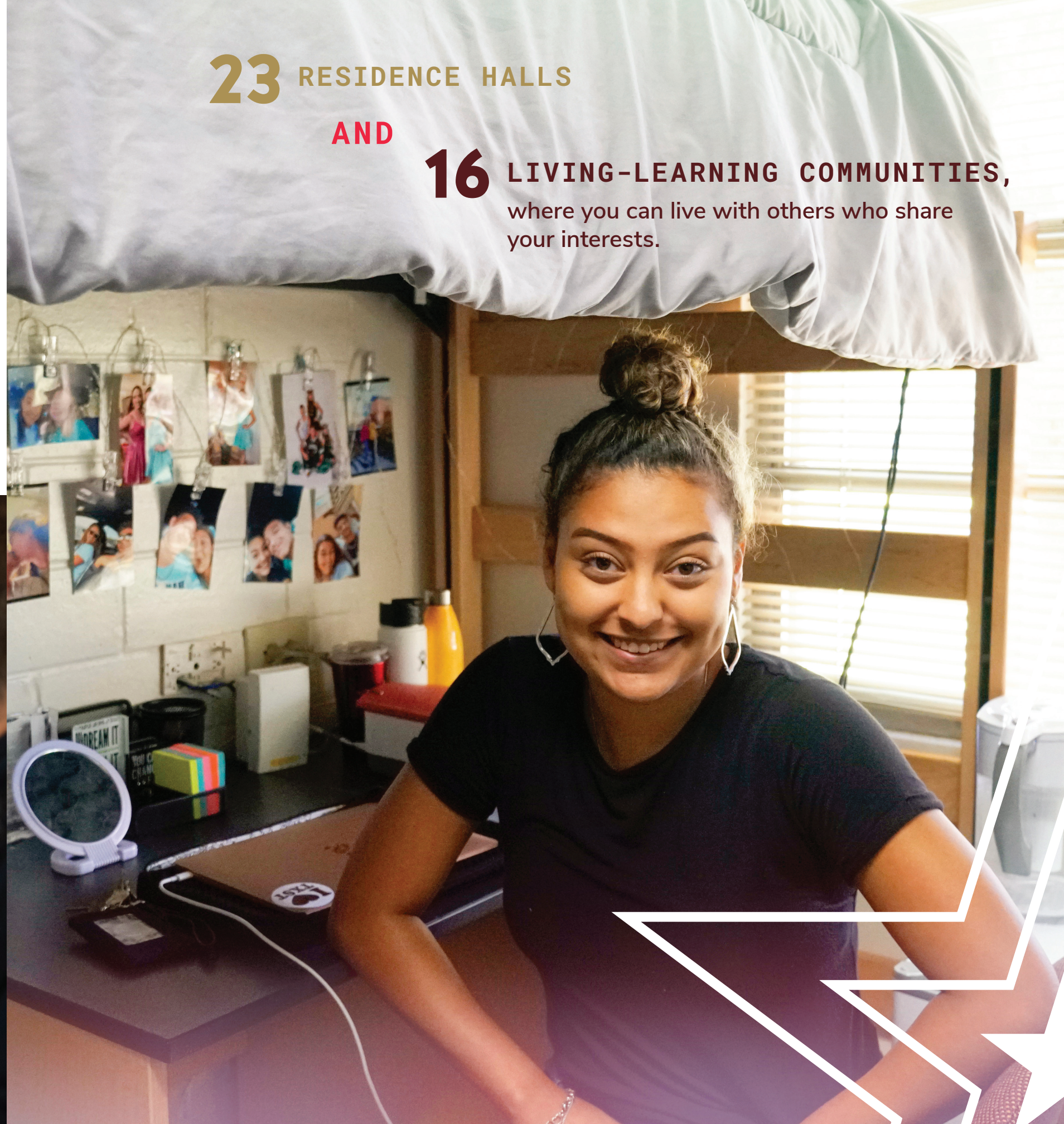
Your residence hall is your campus **neighborhood** for first-time, first-year students at Texas State. It's your **home**, a natural space for studying or spending time with friends. After your freshman year, most students live off campus in **San Marcos**, still close to class, **delicious** campus dining options, and downtown San Marcos, home of the **best tacos in Texas**.



**23** RESIDENCE HALLS

AND

**16** LIVING-LEARNING COMMUNITIES,  
where you can live with others who share  
your interests.











TXST NEXT TXST NEXT TXST NEXT TXST NEXT

# THIS IS OUR HOME

Texas State, and our hometown of San Marcos, sit in the heart of the Texas Hill Country. We're nestled between pristine natural spaces and a historic downtown, and still tantalizingly close to some of the most vibrant cities in the nation — Austin, San Antonio, and Houston. It's all right here. No other school in Texas can rival our natural beauty and opportunities to live, learn, work, and excel.





# ADMISSION STANDARDS AND APPLICATION



## Freshman Admission Standards

ADMISSIONS.TXST.EDU/FRESHMAN

### Recommended Curriculum

We recommend the following curriculum or its equivalent for admission. Students applying without this curriculum will go through our review process.

English (four credits) | English I, II, III, IV

Math (four credits) | Algebra I and II, Geometry, Advanced Math

Science (four credits) | Biology, Chemistry, and two advanced sciences such as Physics, Environmental Science, Anatomy and Physiology, or Integrated Physics and Chemistry

Social Studies (three credits) | World/ Human Geography or World History, U.S. History since 1877, U.S. Government (half credit), Economics (half credit)

Foreign Language (two credits)

### Admission Review

ACT and SAT test scores are not required for applicants ranked in the top 75% of their graduating class. Applicants who do not meet assured admission or do not submit test scores will be reviewed holistically. All students ranked in the fourth quartile of their class must submit scores that meet assured admission standards.

### Assured Admission

CLASS RANK	SAT*	ACT**
1st Quartile	no minimum score	no minimum score
2nd Quartile	1090	22
3rd Quartile	1250	26
4th Quartile	1330	29

\*SAT scores are the sum — from a single sitting — of the Evidence-Based Reading & Writing and Math sections only.

\*\*The ACT score is your composite score from a single sitting. Texas State does not accept superscoring.

## Transfer Admission Standards

ADMISSIONS.TXST.EDU/TRANSFER

If you have completed transferable credit hours after graduating from high school, you are a transfer student. Official transcripts from every college and/or university you have attended must be submitted prior to the final deadline of the semester to which you are applying. Test credits (AP, IB, CLEP) are not considered for transfer admission purposes.

You must be eligible to return to all previous institutions regardless of GPA or degrees received (e.g., free of suspensions, dismissal, or enforced withdrawal).

To receive assured admission as a transfer student, you must meet the following minimum requirements at the time of application.

TRANSFERABLE CREDIT HOURS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
14 or fewer hours	2.0 cumulative GPA & meet freshman admission standards
15-29 hours	2.5 cumulative GPA
30+ hours	2.25 cumulative GPA

### Review

If you do not meet assured admission requirements but have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0, your application will be reviewed through our holistic review process.

## How to apply

### Freshman

1. Complete your freshman application (see [admissions.txst.edu/apply](https://admissions.txst.edu/apply) for details).
2. Submit the application fee of \$75 (nonrefundable). **Fee waivers are available to students who qualify.**
3. Send your high school transcript or GED certificate.
4. Send official college transcripts, if applicable.
5. Send your SAT/ACT scores.\*  
**Texas State codes: ACT 4178; SAT 6667**  
\*ACT and SAT test scores are not required for applicants ranked in the top 75% of their graduating class.
6. (Optional) Submit an essay using the prompts (see [admissions.txst.edu/essay](https://admissions.txst.edu/essay) for details).

### Transfer

1. Complete your transfer application (see [admissions.txst.edu/apply](https://admissions.txst.edu/apply) for details).
2. Submit the application fee of \$75 (nonrefundable). **Fee waivers are available to students who qualify.**
3. Submit official college/university transcripts from all schools attended.
4. Send your high school transcript or GED certificate. (Required for students applying with 15 or fewer transferable college credits completed or to satisfy the foreign language requirement.)

After an initial review, some applicants may be asked to submit additional information.

**TXST NEXT TXST NEXT TXST NEXT TXST NEXT TXST NEXT TXST NEXT**

## Program-Specific Requirements for Freshmen and Transfer Students

Some majors and colleges, like the **McCoy College of Business**, have entry requirements that must be completed in addition to receiving general admission to the university. For more information, visit [admissions.txst.edu/programrequirements](https://admissions.txst.edu/programrequirements).

## Admissions Deadlines

FRESHMAN	TRANSFER
Fall Priority: December 1	Fall Priority: February 15
Fall Final: July 15	Fall Final: July 15
Spring: November 15	Spring: November 15
Summer: May 1	Summer: May 1

International student deadlines can be found at [admissions.txst.edu/dates](https://admissions.txst.edu/dates)



# FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS



## Types of Financial Aid

GRANTS • WORK-STUDY • LOANS

To apply for financial aid, students must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) at [studentaid.gov/fafsa](https://studentaid.gov/fafsa). The earlier you complete the FAFSA, the more likely you are to receive the best financial aid possible.

Complete the FAFSA in December or soon after.

Texas State's school code: 003615

Priority deadline: **March 15**

## Estimated Undergraduate Cost for 2023-2024

9 month average cost based on 15 hours per fall and spring semester. [finaid.txst.edu/cost/undergraduate-coa](https://finaid.txst.edu/cost/undergraduate-coa)

	Texas Resident	Nonresident
Tuition and fees	\$12,220	\$24,820
Books and supplies	\$740	\$740
Housing and food	\$12,270	\$12,270
Personal, misc., and travel	\$4,170	\$4,170
Annual Total	\$29,400	\$42,000

## YOU COULD EARN UP TO \$88,000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS

### Combine Your Scholarship Packages

National, Assured, and Competitive scholarships may be combined with financial aid offers for a total up to the full cost of attendance.

### Bobcat Online Scholarship System (BOSS)

[boss.txst.edu](https://boss.txst.edu)

Search and apply for university and external scholarships in the BOSS system, including scholarships specific to your college, major, or area of interest. You can also find information on eligibility requirements.

Some scholarships may require a separate application.

## Freshman Scholarships

[FINAID.TXST.EDU/SCHOLARSHIPS/FRESHMAN](https://finaid.txst.edu/scholarships/freshman)

### Assured Scholarships

Awarded automatically to students ranked in the top 35% of their graduating class (or completing the IB Diploma or AP Capstone Diploma) and meeting SAT/ACT score minimums. Specific qualifications can be found on our website.

Example:

President's Honor Scholarship: \$48,000 over four years

Texas State Achievement Scholarship: \$24,000-\$32,000 over four years

Texas State Distinguished Scholarship: \$16,000-\$20,000 over four years

### Merit Scholarships

Students applying without an ACT or SAT score, and who are ranked in the top 35% of their class, will receive an academic review of their admission application for Texas State Merit Scholarship consideration. These scholarships are based on the academic review performed by the Office of Undergraduate Admissions and are subject to the availability of funding.

### National Scholarships

These scholarships are awarded automatically based on qualifications that you may have earned in high school: being named a National Merit Finalist or a National Hispanic Scholar as well as meeting certain high school rank and SAT/ACT test score minimums.

Example:

National Distinction Scholarship For National Merit Finalists: \$40,000 total over 4 years

National Hispanic Scholarship: \$8,000 total over 4 years

### Terry Foundation Scholarship

The Terry Foundation awards full-ride scholarships, renewable up to four years, to incoming freshmen from Texas.

[finaid.txst.edu/scholarships/terry/freshman](https://finaid.txst.edu/scholarships/terry/freshman)

## Transfer Scholarships

[FINAID.TXST.EDU/SCHOLARSHIPS/TRANSFER](https://finaid.txst.edu/scholarships/transfer)

### Assured Scholarships

Awarded automatically to all students admitted to Texas State as a first-time transfer with at least 30 transferable hours from a community college or 4-year college/university and a minimum 3.25 cumulative GPA. Specific qualifications can be found on our website.

Awards:

Bobcat Premier Transfer Scholarship: \$8,000 over two years

Bobcat Select Transfer Scholarship: \$6,000 over two years

Bobcat Success Transfer Scholarship: \$4,000 over two years

Bobcat Commitment Transfer Scholarship: \$2,000 over two years

### Competitive Scholarships

If you are admitted to Texas State as an incoming freshman or a transfer student, you may apply for competitive scholarships through the Bobcat Online Scholarship System (BOSS). Awards are based on the overall strength of your scholarship application.

Freshman Application Deadline: **December 15**

Transfer Application Deadline: **March 1**

### How to apply

To qualify for freshman or transfer competitive scholarships you must:

- be admitted to Texas State by the appropriate scholarship deadline
- complete the General and Freshman or Transfer scholarship application in the Bobcat Online Scholarship System (BOSS) [boss.txst.edu](https://boss.txst.edu)

### Not from Texas?

#### Nonresident Tuition Waiver

If you receive institutional scholarships totaling \$1,000 or more, you may qualify to pay tuition at the Texas resident rate.

#### Texas Application for State Financial Aid

If you are a foreign student or non-citizen, you may be eligible to be classified as a Texas resident for tuition purposes. If so, you may also be eligible to receive state financial aid by submitting a Texas Application for State Financial Aid (TASFA) [finaid.txst.edu/fin-aid/how/tasfa](https://finaid.txst.edu/fin-aid/how/tasfa)









Texas State University  
Undergraduate Admissions  
Richard A. Castro Undergraduate Admissions Center  
429 N. Guadalupe St.  
San Marcos, TX 78666-4607

**RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED**



[ADMISSIONS.TXST.EDU/LINKS/VIEWBOOK](https://admissions.txst.edu/links/viewbook)



TXST



TXST



TXSTATEU



TXST

#TXSTnext

MEMBER THE TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

Texas State University is an Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer, committed to providing a welcoming educational and working environment for all. This information is available in alternate format upon request from the Office of Disability Services. 23-135 07-23

#### The Texas State University System Board of Regents

Duke Austin, Chairman, Houston | Alan L. Tinsley, Vice Chairman, Madisonville | Charlie Amato, San Antonio | Sheila Faske, Rose City | Dionicio (Don) Flores, El Paso  
Russell Gordy, Houston | Stephen Lee, Beaumont | Tom Long, Frisco | William F. Scott, Nederland | Gabriel Webb, Student Regent, The Hills | Brian McCall, Ph.D., Chancellor

#### Texas State's Annual Security Reports and Fire Safety Report

We value the safety of all members of the Texas State University community at our main campus in San Marcos, TX and separate campuses in Maxwell, TX (ALERRT Campus) and Round Rock, TX. Texas State publishes a combined Annual Security and Fire Safety Report that contains information regarding campus safety and security including topics such as: campus law enforcement authority; crime reporting policies; campus alerts (Timely Warnings and Emergency Notifications); fire safety policies and procedures; programs to prevent dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking; the procedures the University will follow when one of these crimes is reported; and other matters of importance related to security on campus. The report also contains information about crime statistics for the three most recent calendar years concerning reported crimes that occurred on campus; in on-campus student housing facilities; in noncampus buildings or property owned or controlled by the University or a recognized student organization; and on public property within, or immediately adjacent to and accessible from, the campus. The report also provides fire statistics for any fires occurring in an on-campus student housing facility during the three most recent calendar years. The Fire Safety Report section and on-campus student housing statistics do not apply to Round Rock or the ALERRT Center, as those campuses do not currently have any student housing facilities. A paper copy of the report is available at Institutional Compliance and Ethics located at Elliott Hall A (201 Talbot Street, San Marcos, TX 78666), by calling (512) 245-4961, or by emailing [cleryreport@txstate.edu](mailto:cleryreport@txstate.edu). Additionally, a PDF of the report can be accessed electronically at [clery.txst.edu/report](https://clery.txst.edu/report).