

## Financial Aid & Awards Information

Scholarship links listed in purple will direct you to a site with multiple scholarship listings!

Scholarship/Award Name	Contact information	Due date
Gimme Five Sweepstakes	<a href="https://educationloans.wachovia.com/web/gimmefive/index.htm">https://educationloans.wachovia.com/web/gimmefive/index.htm</a>	October 1, 2007
Double Take Sweepstakes	<a href="https://educationloans.wachovia.com/web/doubletake/index.htm">https://educationloans.wachovia.com/web/doubletake/index.htm</a>	October 1, 2007
THECB Early High School Graduation Scholarship	High school counselor	Ongoing
Wendy's High School Heisman Award	<a href="http://www.wendysheisman.com">www.wendysheisman.com</a>	October 1, 2007
Outstanding Students of America	<a href="http://www.outstandingstudentsofamerica.com">www.outstandingstudentsofamerica.com</a>	October 10, 2007
TCU Texas Youth Entrepreneur of the Year Award	<a href="http://www.tcuyeya.org">www.tcuyeya.org</a>	November 1, 2007
The Prudential Spirit of Community Award	<a href="http://www.prudential.com/spirit">www.prudential.com/spirit</a>	October 31, 2007
Tarleton State University Scholarships	High school counselor	February 15, 2008
American Dental Association Scholarships	<a href="http://www.ada.org/ada/prod/ada/prog_scholarship_prog.asp">www.ada.org/ada/prod/ada/prog_scholarship_prog.asp</a>	October 16, 2007
American Dental Education Association	<a href="http://www.adea.org/Awards/AwardFiles/CrestOralB.pdf">www.adea.org/Awards/AwardFiles/CrestOralB.pdf</a>	December 7, 2007
Texas Interscholastic League Foundation Scholarships	<a href="http://www.uil.utexas.edu/tiff/scholarships.html">www.uil.utexas.edu/tiff/scholarships.html</a>	May 8, 2008
Al's Formal Wear Scholarship	<a href="http://www.alsformalwear.com">www.alsformalwear.com</a>	May 5, 2008
Coca-Cola Scholarship	<a href="http://www.coca-colascholars.org">www.coca-colascholars.org</a>	October 31, 2007
KeyBank Scholarship Sweepstakes	<a href="http://www.Key.com/win">www.Key.com/win</a>	August 27, 2007
Heart O' Texas Scholarship	<a href="http://www.hotfair.com">www.hotfair.com</a>	March 30, 2008
AXA Achievement Scholarship	<a href="http://www.axa-achievement.com">www.axa-achievement.com</a>	December 15, 2007
State Farm Scholar Athlete Scholarship	High school counselor	May 1, 2008
Texas Aggregates & Concrete Association Scholarship	High school counselor	November 16, 2007
USMC Scholastic Excellence Award	High school counselor	April 30, 2008
USMC Semper Fidelis Award (band)	High school counselor	April 30, 2008
USMC Distinguished Athlete Award	High school counselor	April 30, 2008
Nelnet Education Planning & Financing Scholarship	<a href="http://www.nelnet.com/win">www.nelnet.com/win</a>	August 8, 2008
Texas Student Housing Scholarship	High school counselor	January 31, 2008
Blinn College Exemplary Student Scholarship	<a href="http://www.blinn.edu/discover">www.blinn.edu/discover</a>	1st 100 qualified applicants
MCC Music Scholarship	<a href="http://www.mclennan.edu/music">www.mclennan.edu/music</a>	Ongoing
Gates Millenium Scholars Scholarship	<a href="http://www.gmsp.org">www.gmsp.org</a>	January 11, 2008
NCLB Parental Involvement College Scholarship (parents only)	<a href="http://www.esc16.net">www.esc16.net</a>	September 27, 2007
Inside Self Storage Scholarship	<a href="http://www.insideselfstorage.com/scholarships/">www.insideselfstorage.com/scholarships/</a>	November 1, 2007
<a href="http://www.shsu.edu">www.shsu.edu</a>	<a href="http://www.shsu.edu">www.shsu.edu</a>	Ongoing
<a href="http://www.mcombs.utexas.edu/udean/resources">www.mcombs.utexas.edu/udean/resources</a>	<a href="http://www.mcombs.utexas.edu/udean/resources">www.mcombs.utexas.edu/udean/resources</a>	TBA
Texas Music Educators Organization Scholarship	<a href="http://www.tmea.org/090_scholarships/index_r.html">www.tmea.org/090_scholarships/index_r.html</a>	November 15, 2007
Educational Foundation for Women in Accounting Scholarship	<a href="http://www.efwa.org">www.efwa.org</a>	April 15, 2008
<a href="http://www.twu.edu/finaid/scholarships.htm">www.twu.edu/finaid/scholarships.htm</a>	<a href="http://www.twu.edu/finaid/scholarships.htm">http://www.twu.edu/finaid/scholarships.htm</a>	March 1, 2008
American Holistic Nurses Association Scholarship	<a href="http://www.ahna.org">www.ahna.org</a>	March 15, 2008
<a href="http://www.window.state.tx.us/scholars/aid/faidalpha.html">www.window.state.tx.us/scholars/aid/faidalpha.html</a>	<a href="http://www.window.state.tx.us/scholars/aid/faidalpha.html">http://www.window.state.tx.us/scholars/aid/faidalpha.html</a>	Ongoing
Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts Scholarship Links	<a href="http://www.rwsmithco.com">www.rwsmithco.com</a>	November 1, 2007
R.W. Smith & Company Scholarship	<a href="http://www.utsa.edu/scholarships">www.utsa.edu/scholarships</a>	February 15, 2008
<a href="http://www.utsa.edu/scholarships">www.utsa.edu/scholarships</a>	<a href="http://www.utsa.edu/scholarships">www.utsa.edu/scholarships</a>	February 15, 2008
University of Texas at San Antonio Scholarships	<a href="http://www.aws.org/w/a/foundation">www.aws.org/w/a/foundation</a>	January 15, 2008
American Welding Society Foundation Scholarship	<a href="http://www.aws.org/w/a/foundation">www.aws.org/w/a/foundation</a>	January 15, 2008
Association for Women in Science Scholarships	<a href="http://www.awis.org/careers/career.html">http://www.awis.org/careers/career.html</a>	January 17, 2008
Scholarship Information Search	<a href="http://www.free-4u.com">www.free-4u.com</a>	Ongoing
Victor Peter Scholarship	<a href="http://www.czechheritage.org/">http://www.czechheritage.org/</a>	February 28, 2008
NCCE Co-op Scholarship	<a href="http://www.co-op.edu">www.co-op.edu</a>	February 15, 2008
Mid-Tex Farm & Ranch Show Scholarship	High school counselor or 254-752-6611 ext. 213	December 28, 2007
The Johnson Scholarship Program	<a href="http://www.wlu.edu">www.wlu.edu</a>	December 15, 2007
McKelvey Foundation Entrepreneurial Scholarship	<a href="http://www.mckelveyfoundation.org">www.mckelveyfoundation.org</a>	January 15, 2008
The Lone Star Grant	<a href="http://www.colostate-pueblo.edu/sfs">www.colostate-pueblo.edu/sfs</a>	admissions deadline
Area Go Texan Scholarship (Houston Livestock Show & Show)	<a href="http://www.rodeoHouston.com">www.rodeoHouston.com</a>	January 25, 2008
Carr P. Collins Scholars Program (Baylor)	<a href="http://www.baylor.edu/admissions/CarrPCollins">www.baylor.edu/admissions/CarrPCollins</a>	January 31, 2008
Carr Academic Scholarship Program (Angelo State U)	<a href="http://www.angelo.edu">www.angelo.edu</a>	February 1, 2008

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Nuclear & Radiological Health Scholarships (Texas A&M)	<a href="http://nuclear.tamu.edu/home/financialaid/main/index.php">http://nuclear.tamu.edu/home/financialaid/main/index.php</a>	January 15, 2008
USA Funds Access to Education Scholarships	<a href="http://www.usafunds.org/scholarship">www.usafunds.org/scholarship</a>	February 15, 2008
Koh Family Engineering Scholarships (Texas Tech)	<a href="http://www.coe.ttu.edu/scholarships/koh/">www.coe.ttu.edu/scholarships/koh/</a>	January 15, 2008
Texas Society of Professional Engineers Scholarship	<a href="http://www.tspe.org">www.tspe.org</a>	January 21, 2008
Sam Walton Community Scholarship	<a href="http://www.walmartfoundation.org">www.walmartfoundation.org</a>	January 14, 2008
Educators Credit Union Scholarship	<a href="http://www.edcu.com">www.edcu.com</a>	February 9, 2008
Pacesetter Award for College Excellence (Texas Lutheran)	800-771-8521 or <a href="http://www.tlu.edu">www.tlu.edu</a>	February 1, 2008
McMurry University Scholarships	<a href="http://www.mcm.edu">www.mcm.edu</a>	February 1, 2008
AXA Achievement Community Scholarship	<a href="http://www.axa-achievement.com">www.axa-achievement.com</a>	February 15, 2008
The Charles, Lela, and Mary Slough Foundation Scholarship	<a href="http://www.midland.edu/admissions/aid/forms/slough.pdf">www.midland.edu/admissions/aid/forms/slough.pdf</a>	April 1, 2008
Sallie Mae/Brandon Teacher Scholarship	High school counselor or 806-655-2528	February 15, 2008
The Hispanic Heritage Youth Award	<a href="http://www.hispanicheritage.org">www.hispanicheritage.org</a>	March 14, 2008
ACT High School Poster Concept Contest	<a href="http://www.actstudent.org/postercontest">www.actstudent.org/postercontest</a>	February 16, 2008
Ronald McDonald House Charities Scholarship	<a href="http://www.rmhc.org">www.rmhc.org</a>	February 15, 2008
Texas Lyceum Scholarships	<a href="http://www.texaslyceum.org">www.texaslyceum.org</a>	January 15, 2008
MCC Scholarships (all of them!)	<a href="http://www.mclennan.edu">www.mclennan.edu</a>	January 15, 2008
Best Buy Scholarship	<a href="http://www.bestbuy.com/scholarships">www.bestbuy.com/scholarships</a>	February 15, 2008
MAC Program Scholarship	High school counselor	May 1, 2008
Scholar Athlete Milk Mustache of the Year Award & Scholarship	<a href="http://www.sammy.bodybymilk.com">www.sammy.bodybymilk.com</a>	March 7, 2008
The PDK Prospective Educator Scholarship Program	<a href="http://www.pdkintl.org">www.pdkintl.org</a> or high school counselor	February 1, 2008
The Texas Department of Transportation Conditional Grant	<a href="http://www.txdot.gov/careers">www.txdot.gov/careers</a>	March 1, 2008
Kohl's Kids Who Care Scholarship Program	<a href="http://www.kohlskidswhocare.com">www.kohlskidswhocare.com</a>	March 15, 2008
Don't Mess with Texas Scholarships	<a href="http://www.DontMessWithTexas.org">www.DontMessWithTexas.org</a>	April 4, 2008
The Rotary Club Scholarship	High school counselor	February 15, 2008
TASSP Teens Serving Texas Award	High school counselor	February 15, 2008
TASSP Academic Excellence Award	High school counselor	February 15, 2008
Texas Wesleyan University Valedictorian & Salutatorian Scholarship	<a href="http://www.txwes.edu">www.txwes.edu</a>	February 15, 2008
Texas Wesleyan University Scholarship Day	Tiffany Smith at 800-580-8980	February 15, 2008
Ozarka Natural Spring Water "Every Drop Counts" Earth Science Scholarship	<a href="http://www.ozarkawater.com">www.ozarkawater.com</a>	March 31, 2008
Texas Trial Lawyers Association Scholarship	<a href="http://www.ttla.com">www.ttla.com</a>	March 20, 2008
Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship	High school counselor	March 15, 2008
Sam Houston State University Smith-Hutson Scholarship (business majors)	<a href="http://www.shsu.edu/~coba/students/scholarships/">www.shsu.edu/~coba/students/scholarships/</a>	March 3, 2008
The Sallie Mae Foundation Unmet Need Scholarship	<a href="http://www.thesalliemae.org/smfnew/scholarship/Unmet_need.html">www.thesalliemae.org/smfnew/scholarship/Unmet_need.html</a>	May 31, 2008
Society of Petroleum Engineers Scholarship	High school counselor	April 1, 2008
Waco-McLennan County Retired Teachers Scholarship	High school counselor	April 9, 2008
Texas Telephone Association Foundation Scholarships	High school counselor or <a href="http://www.tta.org">www.tta.org</a>	March 14, 2008
Myra Hasty & Dr. Pat McLeod Scholarships	High school counselor	March 7, 2008
The Association of Compensatory Educators of Texas Scholarship	High school counselor	March 10, 2008
The B. Don Magness Texas Cares for Children Scholarship (men only)	High school counselor	April 30, 2008
The Heart O' Texas Fair & Rodeo Scholarship	High school counselor	March 30, 2008
The Platinum Torch Scholarship (community service)	<a href="http://www.platinumtorch.org">www.platinumtorch.org</a>	May 10, 2008
Central Texas Education Network Scholarship	High school counselor	April 15, 2008
Freedom is not Free Scholarship (military/veteran children only)	High school counselor	May 1, 2008
General Harry Goodall Scholarship (military/veteran children only)	High school counselor	May 1, 2008
Dave Campbell & Hollis Biddle Scholarship (student athlete)	High school counselor or athletic director	May 1, 2008
McLennan County Farm Bureau 2008 College Scholarship	High school counselor	April 30, 2008
Navasota Valley Electric Cooperative Scholarship	High school counselor	June 15, 2008
Heart of Texas AHU and NAIFA-Waco Scholarship	High school counselor	April 14, 2008
Kiwanis Club of Waco Scholarship	High school counselor	April 18, 2008
Interquest "Bucky" Memorial Scholarship (vet med students)	High school counselor	May 2, 2008
Rotary Club of Northwest Waco Scholarship	High school counselor	May 2, 2008

<b>Program/Event Name</b>	<b>Programs &amp; Events</b>	<b>Contact information</b>	<b>Application Deadline</b>
NASA High School Aerospace Scholars		<a href="http://aerospacescholars.jsc.nasa.gov">http://aerospacescholars.jsc.nasa.gov</a>	November 1, 2007
Teen Leadership Waco		High school counselor	October 18, 2007
Heart O' Texas Sweethearts		<a href="http://www.hotfair.com">www.hotfair.com</a>	March 14, 2008
Aggie Shadow		<a href="http://lead.tamu.edu">http://lead.tamu.edu</a>	February 29, 2008
MCC College & Career Night		High school counselor	September 25, 2007
HOT College Night		High school counselor	October 1, 2007
SLOT (Student Leaders of Tomorrow) Conference		<a href="http://slot.tamu.edu">http://slot.tamu.edu</a>	January 22, 2008
"Government in Action Youth Tour" Essay Contest		Teri Johnson (979) 828-3232	February 8, 2008
GOLD Youth Leadership Seminar		<a href="http://www.goldleadership.org">www.goldleadership.org</a>	January 15, 2008
USAA Who's Who in Minority Leadership		High school counselor	December 12, 2007
Lott Leadership Institute for High School Students		<a href="mailto:jewilkin@olemiss.edu">jewilkin@olemiss.edu</a>	January 15, 2008
Carl B. and Florence E. King Foundation High School Summer Program in Biomedical Sciences		High school counselor	January 18, 2008
Cameron Park Zoo Crew		<a href="http://www.cameronparkzoo.com">www.cameronparkzoo.com</a>	April 18, 2008
American Legion Auxilliary Texas Bluebonnet Girls St.		<a href="http://www.girls-state.org">www.girls-state.org</a> or (512) 476-7278	February 29, 2008
Absolutely Incredible Kid's Day Luncheon		High school counselor	February 15, 2008
America's Homecoming Queen		<a href="http://www.americashomecomingqueen.com">www.americashomecomingqueen.com</a>	
Education First Global Citizen Awards		<a href="http://www.eftours.com/globalcitizen">www.eftours.com/globalcitizen</a>	February 28, 2008
Texas State Honors Summer Math Camp		<a href="http://www.txstate.edu/mathworks">www.txstate.edu/mathworks</a>	April 30, 2008
The University of Mississippi Summer College		<a href="http://www.outreach.olemiss.edu/SCHS">www.outreach.olemiss.edu/SCHS</a>	
Sam Houston Criminal Justice Summer Camp		<a href="http://www.cjcenter.org/college/camp">www.cjcenter.org/college/camp</a>	April 1, 2008
The National Young Leaders Conference		<a href="http://www.cylc.org">www.cylc.org</a>	February 29, 2008
Miss Heart of Texas, Miss Heart of Texas Teen Pageant		<a href="http://www.missheartoftexas.com">www.missheartoftexas.com</a>	April 27, 2008
Prairie View A&M Patherland Day on the Hill		<a href="http://www.pvamu.eduq">www.pvamu.eduq</a>	
Colorado College College Ahead!		<a href="http://www.ColoradoCollege.edu/SummerPrograms/highschoolstudents">www.ColoradoCollege.edu/SummerPrograms/highschoolstudents</a>	April 18, 2008
Colorado College Southwest Scholars Program		<a href="http://www.ColoradoCollege.edu/SummerPrograms/highschoolstudents">www.ColoradoCollege.edu/SummerPrograms/highschoolstudents</a>	April 4, 2008
Baylor University for Young People		<a href="http://www.baylor.edu/SOE/CCLE">www.baylor.edu/SOE/CCLE</a>	
Camp Arch at Texas A&M University		<a href="http://archone.tamu.edu/College/Academics/CampArch/">http://archone.tamu.edu/College/Academics/CampArch/</a>	May 1, 2008
United States Naval Academy Summer Seminar		<a href="http://www.usna.edu">www.usna.edu</a>	March 31, 2008
Bridges to College Math, Science & Engineering Summer Academy at University of Oklahoma		<a href="http://youth.ou.edu">http://youth.ou.edu</a>	15-Apr-08
ConocoPhillips Academic Success Bridge Program		<a href="http://www.coe.ttu.edu/bridge">www.coe.ttu.edu/bridge</a>	
Miss Texas Teen USA Pageant		<a href="http://www.misstexasusa.com">www.misstexasusa.com</a>	
Spend the Day with the TAMU Corps of Cadets		(800) TAMU-AGS	
Las Vegas National Performing Arts Auditions		<a href="http://www.ccsd.net/lvnpaa">www.ccsd.net/lvnpaa</a>	

## 2007 - 2008 Assessment Schedule

### ACT

**ACT (no writing) - \$30.00\***

**ACT (with writing) - \$44.50\***

**Late registration - basic fee + \$19.00**

The ACT is an alternative to the SAT for college admissions purposes. This test is curriculum-based, meaning that it tests knowledge that has theoretically been taught and assessed in the classroom. It covers the following subject areas: Reading, English, Social Studies, Math, Science, and Writing (optional). All post-secondary institutions accept the ACT for admissions purposes. Although the writing portion of the exam is optional, it is strongly encouraged.

<b>Test Date</b>	<b>Registration Deadline</b>	<b>Late Registration</b>
Saturday, September 15, 2007	Friday, August 10, 2007	August 11 - 24, 2007
Saturday, October 27, 2007	Friday, September 21, 2007	September 22 - October 5, 2007
Saturday, December 08, 2007	Friday, November 02, 2007	November 3 - 15, 2007
Friday, February 09, 2008	Friday, January 04, 2008	January 5 - 18, 2008
Saturday, April 12, 2008	Friday, March 07, 2008	March 8 - 21, 2008
Saturday, June 14, 2008	Friday, May 09, 2008	May 10 - 23, 2008

**Contact information: High school counselor or [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org)**

### SAT

**SAT I - \$43.00\***

The SAT is a college admissions test, widely administered and accepted at every post-secondary institution. It assesses three main areas of knowledge and skills: Mathematics, Verbal Skills, and Writing. The SAT differs from the ACT in that it assesses knowledge in only these three components instead of in all subjects one may have taken in a school setting. The SAT is the "gold standard" of college admissions testing.

<b>Test Date</b>	<b>Registration Deadline</b>	<b>Late Registration</b>
Saturday, October 06, 2007	Monday, September 10, 2007	Friday, September 14, 2007
Saturday, November 03, 2007	Tuesday, October 02, 2007	Thursday, October 11, 2007
Saturday, December 01, 2007	Tuesday, October 30, 2007	Thursday, November 08, 2007
Saturday, January 26, 2008	Wednesday, December 26, 2007	Friday, January 04, 2008
Saturday, March 01, 2008	Tuesday, January 29, 2008	Thursday, February 07, 2008
Saturday, May 03, 2008	Tuesday, April 01, 2008	Thursday, April 10, 2008
Saturday, June 07, 2008	Tuesday, May 06, 2008	Thursday, May 15, 2008

**Contact information: High school counselor or [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)**

\* - Fee waivers available if student qualifies for free/reduced lunch program. Fee reduced to \$0.

The PSAT is a nationally administered practice test for the SAT. It is open to all students in grades 9 through 11, although usually only juniors take the exam. If a student wishes to qualify for The National Merit Scholar program, then he or she must take this exam, as the scores determine NMS status. Traditionally, it is offered every year on October 17. The cost is \$13. Please see the high school counselor for more details.

### PLAN

Formerly known as the PACT, this is a nationally administered practice test for the ACT. It is open to all high school sophomores, and the testing dates vary each year for each school. This year the test will be given on October 9, and the cost is \$10. Please see the high school counselor for more details.