



2021-2022 Duncanville High School Collegiate Academy (Early College High School)

Student Admissions Application

The Collegiate Academy admissions application is open to students who are completing the 8th grade and will be promoted to the 9th grade for the 2021-2022 school year. Students interested in joining the Collegiate Academy must commit to completing the multi-disciplinary pathway offered by Duncanville High School and Mountain View College. Enrollment is limited and incomplete applications will not be considered.

For more information, please visit the Collegiate Academy website at www.duncanvilleisd.org/dhscollegiate or email dhscollegiate@duncanvilleisd.org.

Collegiate Academy Admissions Policy Statement

The Collegiate Academy at Duncanville High School has an open enrollment admissions policy and adheres to the Duncanville Independent School District's Nondiscrimination Policy outlined in FB (Legal). The school also adheres to the Texas Education Agency's Early College High School blueprint, which requires that enrollment decisions not be based on state assessment scores, discipline history, teacher recommendation, parent or student essays, minimum grade point average (GPA), or other criteria that create barriers for student enrollment.

To maintain Early College High School designation status, the Collegiate Academy shall identify, recruit, and enroll subpopulations of at-risk students (as defined by the Public Education Information Management System), including, but not limited to, students who are of limited English proficiency, students with disabilities, and students who have failed a state-administered assessment. The Collegiate Academy shall identify, recruit, and enroll subpopulations that are historically underrepresented in college courses (e.g., first-generation college goers, students of low socioeconomic status, and students who identify as African American, Hispanic, or Native American). If the Collegiate Academy has more applicants than available space for admissions, a weighted lottery system will be used that favors students who are at risk or who are part of the targeted subpopulations for the Collegiate Academy.

Parent and Student Commitment

Before completing the application for admission, students and parents should be willing to commit to the following items if the student enrolls into the COLLEGIATE ACADEMY program:

- The student will adhere to all rules and policies established by Duncanville High School and Mountain View College.
- The student will devote the necessary amount of effort and time to complete one of the Collegiate Academy graduation plans with the goal of earning an associate degree, postsecondary certificate, or industry certification while completing high school.
- The student and parent/guardian understands that when the student enrolls in a dual credit course, he/she is a Duncanville High School student and a Mountain View College student. The grades earned in dual credit courses will be added to the student's high school transcript and Mountain View College transcript and the student's collegiate grade point average (GPA) will stay with the student after high school.
- The student and parent/guardian understands that if the student fails a dual credit course and chooses to retake the course, the student may be responsible for paying the cost of tuition and any related fees to retake the course.
- The parent/guardian supports the student's decision to participate in the Collegiate Academy and understands that satisfactory progress, demonstrated self-discipline, and regular attendance is an expectation for all students in the Collegiate Academy. The parent/guardian agrees to support the student in these efforts.

Application for Admissions Timeline

- Applications will be accepted online beginning January 4, 2021 through January 31, 2021.
- Only complete applications will be reviewed and considered.
- Students and parents/guardians will be notified about the status of their application by March 13, 2021.

Application for Admission for Entering 9th Graders
STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Name *

First Name Middle Name Last Name

Is this student currently attending a school in Duncanville ISD? *

Duncanville ISD Student ID Number *

Date of Birth *



Month Day Year

Gender *

Primary Address *

Street Address

Street Address Line 2

City State / Province

Postal / Zip Code

Phone Number *

Area Code Phone Number

Current Middle School *

Home High School *

Guardian Student with whom student resides (Name & Relationship) *

Names and Relationships (Ex: Nina Simone, Mother)

Primary Language Spoken in the Home *

Race: *

American Indian or Alaska Native

Asian

Black or African American

Native American or Other Pacific Islander

White

Ethnicity: *

Hispanic or Latino

Not Hispanic or Latino

Has anyone in your immediate family (a parent or sibling) attended college? *

Yes

No

If anyone in your immediate family attended, college who? *

Did he/she earn a degree? *

Yes

No

If your family member earned a college degree, which type of degree was earned? *

Associates

Bachelors

Masters

Certificate

How did you hear about the Collegiate Academy? *

Do either of your parents/guardians work for Duncanville ISD? *

Yes

No

Do you have a sibling who currently attends a Duncanville ISD school? *

Yes

No

Do you have a sibling who will attend a Duncanville ISD school during the 2020-2021 school year? *

Yes

No

Do you participate in extracurricular activities? *

Yes

No

What of the activities do you plan to participate in next year? *

Band

Choir

Theater Arts

Athletics

Parent/Guardian Information

Primary Guardian's Name *

First Name

Last Name

Address *

Street Address

Street Address Line 2

City

State / Province

Postal / Zip Code

Primary Guardian's Email *

example@example.com

<p>IMPORTANT: An accurate email and phone number are essential for receiving communication in regard to the application process. Please verify that you entered a correct email and phone number above.</p>

What is the highest level of education completed by the mother/guardian?

Middle School

High School

Some college

College Degree

Secondary Guardian's Name

First Name

Last Name

Address

Street Address

Street Address Line 2

City

State / Province

Postal / Zip Code

Secondary Guardian's Email

example@example.com

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What is the highest level of education completed by the father/guardian?

Middle School

High School

Some college

College Degree

PARENT/GUARDIAN AGREEMENT OF SUPPORT

Parent/Guardian, please read each statement below and check the box to signify your understanding and agreement.

Agreement 1 - I understand my student is applying for an accelerated program and will enroll in advanced courses if accepted to the program. I can expect my student to have homework daily.

Agreement 2 - I will ensure my child arrives at school on time and remains until dismissal from school, daily.

Agreement 3 - I will ensure my child attends mandatory tutoring when required by teachers and/or administrators.

Agreement 4 - I will participate in the education of my child and attend parent conferences when requested.

Agreement 5 - I will communicate with the school any problems that could affect my child's performance or behavior.

Agreement 6 - I will support the school and district code of conduct by ensuring that my student is in dress code and wearing their student ID badge. I will also ensure that my student comes prepared with school materials daily (binder, paper, pens, pencils, backpack, etc.)

Agreement 7 - I understand that if my student does not meet all the requirements of the Collegiate Academy, he/she will be placed on probation. I understand that failure to meet expectations during the probationary period will result in my student's dismissal from the program.

Agreement 8 - I understand that if my student is accepted to the Collegiate Academy, we will be required to attend a Parent/Student Orientation together and my student must attend a Summer Bridge Program.

Application for Admission Verification

Student and parent/guardian, please read each statement below and sign to signify your understanding and agreement. I certify that the information provided is complete and understand that the submission of false information is grounds for denial of the application and/or withdrawal of admission. I grant and authorize Duncanville ISD employees to verify, access, and utilize academic information such as attendance rate, grades and assessment data. I grant the administrators, professionals, and/or office staff to contact the home school as needed to obtain necessary information as it relates to academic and social performance. I understand that the school and college expect a high standard of conduct and academic performance for its students, and if accepted for admission to the school, my child and I will abide by all rules and regulations set forth by both the school and participating organizations.

Do you have a sibling who currently attends a Duncanville High School Collegiate Academy? *

Yes

No

Sibling's Name *

**Submit the application, and other documents, to
dhscollegiate@duncanvilleisd.org**