

## Clear Creek High School

# Guidance & Counseling

2024-2025

## Clear Creek's Mission Statement

*The mission of Clear Creek High School is to provide an equitable, inclusive, and safe learning environment that ensures quality instruction and opportunities for every student to reach their aspirational goals.*



Be the Difference CCHS

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## Student Guidance and Counseling Services

Our first priority is our students. We readily make ourselves available to students in need of guidance and counseling throughout the school day. To ensure all students are well-served with the time and attention they deserve, we ask that parents/guardians make an appointment with their student's counselor to allow adequate scheduling and preparation.

We are committed to providing our students with a comprehensive guidance and counseling program to include:

**Guidance curriculum** to help students develop their full educational potential, including the stu-

dent's interests and career objectives. Topics included are:

- Child Abuse & Family Violence Prevention
- Teen Dating Violence Prevention
- Bullying Prevention
- Drug Education/ Substance Abuse Awareness & Prevention
- Suicide Prevention
- Youth Mental Health
- Generation Texas Week

**Responsive services** to intervene on behalf of any student whose immediate personal con-

cerns or problems put the student's continued educational, career, personal, or social development at risk.

**Individual planning** to guide a student as the student plans, monitors, and manages the student's own educational, career, personal, and social development.

**System support** to support the efforts of teachers, staff, parents, and other members of the community in promoting the educational, career, personal, and social development of students.

All CCHS Counselors are master-level professional counselors certified by the Texas State Board of Education as school counselors.

## Personal Counseling

School Counselors are available to assist students with a wide range of personal concerns including such areas as social, family, emotional, mental health, or substance abuse. A student may request to visit the school counselor's office and parents may request resources from a counselor. In order to meet the personal needs of students, school counselors may also offer support groups on a reoccurring basis. If a parent/guardian does not want their student to participate in a support group, written documentation of denial of services will need to be provided to the school counselor.

## Student Support Groups

In order to meet the personal needs of students, school counselors may offer support groups on a recurring basis. The support groups meet during the school day for approximately 20-45 minutes once a week. The school counselor will review the student's schedule to determine a weekly meeting time that will have the least amount of interruption to classroom instruction. Support groups are intended to provide a safe, confidential, and supportive setting for the students to discuss some of their concerns and practice behaviors that will support growth and development. Notification of student's participation in a support

group will be provided to the parent; however, as a parent, if you do not want your student to participate in a support group, written documentation of denial of services will need to be provided to the school counselor.

## How Can We Help?



## CCISD Core Values



CCISD has six core values, or standards of behavior, that we have adopted from the Character Counts 6 Pillars. Clear Creek integrates these core values daily into their school community, not only modeling but teaching students how to demonstrate these values. The CCISD core values are:

**Trustworthiness** – Act with honesty in all that you do

**Respect** – Value yourself and others

**Responsibility** – Own your choices

**Fairness** – Play by the rules and consider the needs of others

**Caring** – Be kind to others

**Citizenship** – Work to improve your school, community, and country

## Planning for High School and Beyond

We are committed to our Superintendent's goal of ensuring that every student has a post secondary plan leading to college or a career.

Plan to attend these district sponsored events with your student.

- **Financial Aid Night**  
September 25th  
6:00 pm @ CLHS
- **College & Career Fair**  
October 16th  
6:00 pm @ Education Village

CCISD offers an array of rigorous Career and Technical Education. Some programs lead to certifications before graduation.

- Automotive Technology
- Biomedical Science
- Biotechnology
- Broadband Communications
- Certified Nursing Assistant
- Computer Technician
- Construction Technology

- Cosmetology
- Culinary Arts
- Metal Manufacturing
- Pharmacy Technician
- Registered Dental Assistant
- Robotics
- Welding

You can find more information about CCISD's college and career readiness resources on our Counseling and Student Services webpage: <https://www.ccisd.net/departments/details/~board/departments/post/counseling-student-services>



## Getting Connected with Naviance

CCISD is pleased to provide *Naviance Student*, a web-based service designed especially for students and parents. *Naviance* offers a comprehensive website that you and your student can use to help in making decisions about courses, colleges, and careers.

[student.naviance.com/clearcreekhs](http://student.naviance.com/clearcreekhs)

Use your *Naviance* account to:

-View and manage your high school course planning.

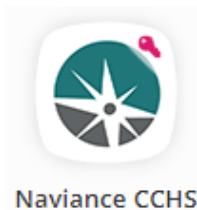
-Prepare for the ACT/SAT test with free test preparation.

-Research colleges and universities, sign up for visits with college reps in the CCHS College Center, and explore scholarship opportunities.

-Investigate career interests and options using the Personality Inventory and Career Interest Profiler.

-Update your profile, including your parents' or guardians' email address so parents/guardians can have their own account.

Students can access their Naviance account using their CCISD Single Sign On Portal



## Stay Informed with your Counseling Office

**Clear Creek ISD**  
[ccisd.net](http://ccisd.net)

**Clear Creek HS**  
[clearcreek.ccisd.net](http://clearcreek.ccisd.net)

**ACT**  
[actstudent.org](http://actstudent.org)

**Apply Texas**  
[applytexas.org](http://applytexas.org)

**College Board (SAT, PSAT & AP Exams)**  
[collegeboard.org](http://collegeboard.org)

**The Common Application**  
[commonapp.org](http://commonapp.org)

**FAFSA**  
[fafsa.ed.gov](http://fafsa.ed.gov)

**Naviance**  
[student.naviance.com/clearcreekhs](http://student.naviance.com/clearcreekhs)

**NCAA**  
<https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>

**CCISD Guidance & Counseling**  
<https://www.ccisd.net/departments/details/~board/departments/post/counseling-student-services>

**CCHS Counseling - Twitter**  
[@cc\\_counselors](https://twitter.com/cc_counselors)

**CCHS Wildcats—Twitter**  
[@CreekWildcats](https://twitter.com/CreekWildcats)

**Clear Creek Wildcats—Instagram**  
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