

2022-2023 Promise Path Screenshot Guide

Promise Path opens September 1!



Welcome to the Promise Path form!



Welcome to the Dallas County Promise Path form!

Congratulations on starting your journey to your future career! Your path to success can take many different directions - along with your high school support staff and our higher education partners, the Dallas County Promise team is here to help you find your best fit post-high school pathway. Our goal is simple: to support you in pursuing your best fit college and career option after high school.

The Promise Path form is the first step to be eligible for the Dallas County Promise scholarship program, but that's not all! Completing the form also gets you access to support and resources from the Dallas County Promise team. **The Promise Path form must be submitted no later than February 1, 2023.**

The Dallas County Promise last-dollar scholarship covers your cost of classes (tuition) after other grants and scholarships are applied, and connects you with dedicated support staff to help you navigate and succeed in your college experience. The scholarship does not cover any other costs such as room and board, books/supplies, meals, transportation, etc.

Students who complete their Promise Path form by **February 1, 2023** have until **March 1, 2023** to (1) submit a **Fall 2023** admission application to a Dallas County Promise partner college through GoApplyTexas.org and (2) submit the **2023-2024 FAFSA or TASFA** and list the Dallas County Promise partner college(s) you are considering. The deadline for Promise-bound students to register for **Fall 2023** classes is **July 26, 2023**. Please note that some Dallas County Promise partner college have earlier deadlines. Students must submit their applications by the deadlines for each Promise Partner college of interest, and then be fully admitted to meet eligibility. Visit DallasCountyPromise.org for deadlines and requirements by partner.

All Dallas County Promise scholarship information will be sent to the email you list in your Promise Path form. Please email Student.Success@dallascountypromise.org if your information changes, and visit DallasCountyPromise.org for more information on the scholarship program and support resources.



Promise Path Information & Getting Started

Promise Path Information

1. Dallas County 2023 graduates attending participating high schools complete their Promise Path form by February 1. Graduating high school seniors who do not complete their Promise Path form by February 1 will not be eligible for the Dallas County Promise Scholarship. Additionally, students must attend a participating high school for their full senior year and qualify for in-state tuition.
2. The Dallas County Promise Path form is **non-binding**. Students completing the Promise Path form are **not committing** to attend a Promise Partner college. You may not be 100% sure where you want to attend college at this time - that is ok, we know your path changes! Complete your Promise Path form to ensure you have the option of having your tuition covered by a Promise Partner college, and then choose the post-high school path that is best for you.
3. This is a student form for graduating seniors at participating high schools. Please do not use your parent/legal guardian's name in the student information for your Promise Path form. Each Promise Path form will require an unique, personal (not school issued) student email address. If you are a parent or guardian supporting two or more graduating seniors, each student must submit their own Promise Path form using a different e-mail address.
4. Complete the Promise Path form and confirm submission at the end of the form. If you do not click Review and Confirm on the final page, you have not completed the Promise Path form. You will receive a confirmation email within 24 hours of form submission. Please contact Student.Success@dallascountypromise.org if you have questions or do not receive a confirmation email.



Start



Confirm High School (Roster Verification)



Let's confirm you are currently enrolled at a participating high school

Make sure to enter the information **exactly** as you have registered with your high school. If you have any questions about your information in your high school student information system, please contact your high school counselor or college advisor.

Find and Select your High School *

Select your High School Graduation Year *

High School Student ID # *

Ex. 123456

Birthdate *

MM/DD/YYYY format

First Name *

Last Name *

Must match exactly as registered in your student information system



Next



Please wait...

After clicking "Next", allow up to 30 seconds processing time (usually 5-10s)



Roster Error Message (No ID Found)

The information entered does not match an official student record ID received from the selected high school. Please double-check the information you entered below.

Click the button Next below to try again. Do not click the back button of your internet browser.

If everything you have entered below is correct, please contact your high school counselor or college advisor to check the information registered with your high school. Do not email personal, sensitive information.

Student high school ID was not found on submitted senior roster

Solution: Contact ISD staff for roster update

Find and Select your High School *

Promise High School

Select your High School Graduation Year *

2023

High School Student ID # *

Student Info

Birthdate *

Student Info

First Name

Student Info

Last Name

Student Info



Next

After reviewing info, click "Next" – please don't use browser Back button!



Roster Error Message (Name/DOB Issue)

The high school student ID entered was found in the records received from the selected high school; however, the name and/or birthdate do not match the official records.

Click the button Next below to try again. Do not click the back button of your internet browser.

If everything you have entered below is correct, please contact your high school counselor or college advisor to check the information registered with your high school. Do not email personal, sensitive information.

Student high school ID was found but name and/or DOB do not match roster

Solution: Check student information system or Promise CM for correct name/DOB listing

Roster Record Found

Hooray! We found your information and have confirmed you are a graduating senior at a participating high school. Click [Next](#) to complete the Promise Path form.

Find and Select your High School *

Select your High School Graduation Year *

High School Student ID # *

Birthdate *

First Name

Last Name



Next

Click "Next" to continue to student info page.



Scholarship Eligibility Deadlines



Acknowledge Promise Eligibility Deadlines

Click each checkbox below to acknowledge understanding of the following deadlines to be eligible for the Dallas County Promise scholarship.

- ☐ In addition to the Promise Path form, I understand I must submit an admission application to a Promise partner college through GoApplyTexas.org by **March 1**.
- ☐ I understand I must submit my [FAFSA](#) or [TASFA](#) financial aid application by **March 1** and list each Promise partner college I submitted an admission application to.
- ☐ I understand I must complete my Promise partner college registration by **July 26** for the Fall 2023 semester.
- ☐ I understand that the University of Texas at Arlington, the University of North Texas (Denton), Southern Methodist University, Texas A&M University - Texarkana, and Midwestern State University require that I submit the items referenced above (Promise Path form, admission application, and a financial aid application) by deadlines that are different from the ones above. All deadlines for each Promise Partner college are available at DallasCountyPromise.org.

Please read

The steps above are required to meet eligibility for the Dallas County Promise last-dollar, tuition scholarship. Additional steps are required to complete your admission and financial aid files with each college and register for college courses.



Next



Student Contact Information



Student Contact Information

First Name

Pre-filled

Middle Name

Pre-filled

Last Name

Pre-filled

Name Suffix (Jr., III, ect...)

Preferred First Name (if different than above)

Do you have a cell phone number? * ☒ Yes ☐ No

Enter mobile phone number *

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What is your PERSONAL (not school issued) email address? *

e.g., james.wilson@email.org

Do not use your high school issued email address. If you do not have a personal e-mail address, connect with your counselor/adviser for help. You will receive all notifications including status updates and reminders to this email address. Make sure you have access to the email address you enter.

Students should use a unique personal email address, not a school district email

Student Info – Home Address

Current Home Address

Street address *

e.g., 123 Main St., Apt. 1234

Number, street, apt number only, no PO Box numbers

City *

Please select...

If your city is not listed, please select "Other" and type in your city in the "Other City" field.

State *

Please select...

Zip/Postal code *

e.g., 76102

County *

Please select...

If your county is not listed, please select "Other" and type in your county in the "Other County" field.

Student Info – Demographics

Student Demographic Information

Please select how you identify yourself below.

Ethnicity *

Please select...



Race (select all that apply) *

- ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
- ☐ Asian
- ☐ Black or African American
- ☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- ☐ White
- ☐ I choose not to respond

Gender *

Please select...



Are you the first in your immediate family to attend college? *

Please select...



Household – Parent Info

Household Information

Parent/Guardian First Name *

Parent/Guardian Middle Name

Parent/Guardian Last/Family Name *

My Parent/Guardian has a cell phone number * ☒ Yes ☐ No

Parent/Guardian cell phone number *

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Parent/Guardian email address *

Parent/Guardian's preferred communication language *

Parent email MUST be different from student email, but parent email can be the same for multiple student accounts.



Household – Graduating Sibling

Do you have a sibling graduating this year (2022-2023) who will also be completing a Promise Path form? *

☐ No

☒ Yes

(This information helps ensure our partners match the correct applications to your Promise record)

If "Yes", please list first, middle and last name of sibling(s) *

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This information helps ensure the correct application for each student is matched to their Path form record.

Post-HS Plans – College Credit in HS



College Credit in High School

I already have a Dallas College ID from participating in the following programs (select all that apply):

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- ☒ Dual Credit / Concurrent Credit
- ☐ Collegiate / Early College High School / P-Tech
- ☐ Upward Bound (non-credit)
- ☐ None of the above/Not sure

Dallas College Student ID

Students participating in the above selected program(s) will have a Dallas College student ID.

When you graduate from your high school you will:

Please select... ▼

**Additional
requested
information if
students select an
option other than
"None of the
above/Not sure"**

Post-HS Plans – College/Career Plans

Current College and Career Plans

What is your current college/career plan immediately following high school? *

Please select...



Which best describes the career pathway you are most interested in? *

Please select...



Which career pathway would be your second choice?

Please select...



Post-HS Plans – Partner College Interest

Students graduating HS with an associate degree are only eligible to continue at Dallas College with Promise if pursuing the Bachelor of Applied Science in Early Childhood Education and Teaching

Partner College Interest

Please select any Dallas County Promise partner college(s) you are considering for fall 2023.

The Promise program is only valid at participating colleges. Completing your Promise Path form does NOT commit you to attend the college(s) you select. The Promise Path form is the first step in the process towards being considered for the tuition benefit; additionally, you MUST submit an admission application and financial aid application to each of the Promise Partner colleges you select below.

First Choice College: *

Please select...



Second Choice College (optional)

Please select...



Third Choice College (optional)

Please select...



☐ I **DO NOT** want my information shared with any other Promise partner college other than the colleges I selected above



Post-HS Plans – Dallas College Campus

Third Choice College (optional)

Dallas College (formerly DCCCD) ▼

Dallas College Campus *

Please select... ▼

Students indicating interest in Dallas College should select a campus of interest, if known, or select the “Not sure yet” option.

Post-HS Plans – Financial Aid Application

This information is intended to help partners in supporting students and ensuring applications are linked correctly. This information will not be externally shared or reported at a student- or summary-level to protect student privacy and sensitive information.

Financial Aid Application

Submitting a 2023-2024 financial aid application is a requirement to meet eligibility for the Dallas County Promise last-dollar, tuition scholarship. **Please select the financial aid application you intend to submit based on the information below.**

Check with your high school counselor or college advisor after submitting this form if you are not sure which financial aid application you will be submitting. To learn more about FAFSA, visit the Federal Student Aid webpage: <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>. To learn more about TASFA, visit [College for All Texans](#). Please note, to renew the Promise scholarship at participating colleges after your first year in college, you will need to resubmit your FAFSA or TASFA each year you will be attending college

Select the financial aid application you intend to submit : *

Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

**qualifies for federal and state aid*

- ☐ U.S. Citizen
- ☐ U.S. National
- ☐ Permanent Resident (Green Card Holder)
- ☐ Refugee or Asylum Granted
- ☐ Cuban-Haitian Entrant
- ☐ T Visa holder or child of T 1 Visa holder
- ☐ Battered immigrant status

Texas Application for State Financial Aid (TASFA)

**qualifies for state aid only*

- ☐ DACA student
- ☐ Texas resident immigrant
 - 3+ years living in Texas
 - Graduating from a Texas high school
- ☐ Child of Work Visa Holder
- ☐ Not sure yet or prefer not to answer

Release and Consent



Release and Consent

For and in consideration of submitting this Release and Consent as part of the application process for the Dallas County Promise Program, I agree as follows:

☐ I certify that the information reported in my Promise Path form and on any other document or writing completed by me in connection with the Promise Path form is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that under penalty of perjury and any false statements intentionally made may result in prosecution for violation of Chapter 37 of the Texas Penal Code and in the permanent loss of my Dallas County Promise scholarship.

☐ I authorize Dallas County Promise to use my information in my Promise Path form, which includes personally identifiable information to help me receive the Dallas County Promise Scholarship with Dallas College, University of North Texas at Dallas, Midwestern State University, Texas A&M University - Commerce, Texas A&M University - Texarkana, Texas Woman's University, the University of Texas at Arlington, Southern Methodist University, University of North Texas and any other college, university or institution participating in the Dallas County Promise scholarship program. I understand and agree that the information described above will be shared with those institutions and hereby authorize and consent to sharing of such information. This authorization includes information from my current school district or the Texas Education Agency to help my college enrollment, and/or transfer process. Information may include student contact information, state and federal financial aid eligibility, financial aid data, postsecondary enrollment status, residency and location information required by my postsecondary institution to ensure timely receipt of Dallas County Promise benefits. Such information may also be used by participating colleges, universities, and their contractors for statistical research and will be held in strict confidence. I further certify that I have read and understand the Dallas County Promise rules and regulations.

Allows partner colleges to access information on students who express interest in Dallas County Promise through the Path form, in the interest of supporting student enrollment.



Release and Consent Acknowledgement

Check next to each statement to indicate that you have read the statement.

- ☐ I understand that by signing this form and representing my intention to enroll or seek to enroll in a Promise Partner institution, that I have been given notice that my educational record(s), including my personally identifiable information and information contained in my financial aid information, will be shared between the high school and a Promise Partner as defined above.
- ☐ I understand that I may request a copy of the records that are transferred from the high school to a Promise Partner and that I also have the right to a hearing to challenge the content of my educational record(s) for inaccuracies.
- ☐ I understand Dallas County Promise and the Commit Partnership assume no liability as a result of honoring my instructions that personally identifiable information contained in my educational record(s) be released to any Promise Partners as defined above
- ☐ I understand this authorization will be active during my enrollment at any Promise Partner college or university or any of the other Promise Partners as defined above, unless I revoke this release. To do so, I must provide a written notice to the Student Financial Aid Office at the appropriate institution.

Electronic Signature

Electronic Signature

- ☐ By checking this box, I am attaching my electronic signature verifying that the above information is correct. I hereby represent and warrant to Dallas County Promise that I have read this Release and Consent and fully understand the terms. I also have read and agree to the Dallas County Promise Program policies.

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[Review](#)

Nearly complete! Students will click "Review" and then Confirm their Path form submission.

Review Page

Please review your response and confirm.

You **MUST click the confirm button** at the bottom of this page to finalize your response. If you want to print this page for your record, you may do it now.

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Review the information included in each section. At the bottom of the page, Confirm submission, or click the links to Make a correction and/or Print this page.

Confirm

 Make a correction

 Print this page

Confirmation Page

Confirmation page will include student's name as well as submission date and their official Promise ID number.

This confirmation will also be sent via email.

Great job submitting your Promise Path form!

Thank you for submitting your Promise Path form! You will receive a confirmation email at the student email address you listed on your Promise Path form with your Promise ID and additional information about the Dallas County Promise program. If you do not receive a confirmation email within 24 hours, please email our team at Student.Success@DallasCountyPromise.org.

First Name

Last Name

Your Promise Path was submitted on:

Your Promise ID number is:



Confirmation Page – Next Steps

What's next?

You'll receive a welcome email from the Dallas County Promise team with your Promise ID - you don't need to memorize this number, but keep it for your records since it is your unique ID in the Dallas County Promise information system.

By March 1, 2023*:

- Complete a Fall 2023 admissions application for the Promise Partner Colleges you're considering at GoApplyTexas.org or at the partner college's website.
- Submit the 2023-2024 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) online at fafsa.gov and list the college(s) you are interested in.

OR

Students that qualify for in-state tuition who are non-citizens or have DACA/Dreamer status should submit the 2023-2024 Texas Application for State Financial Aid (TASFA) through the new online TASFA form (opening October 1, 2023) OR print a paper version from College for All Texans and submit directly to the college's financial aid departments.

By July 26, 2023:

- Register for Fall 2023 classes at a Promise Partner College.

*Students considering SMU, UNT (Denton), MSU, TAMU-Texarkana or UTA need to complete all application steps by deadlines different than the ones above. Please see DallasCountyPromise.org for more details. Additionally, SMU applicants must complete a Mustang Scholars essay and CSS Profile. Check if you are eligible and get details and steps on how to apply for SMU's competitive scholarship: <https://www.smu.edu/Admission/FinancialAid/MustangScholars>.

Print this page

Students can print their confirmation page or click the Thank you button to view the Dallas County Promise website.



Thank you! You can visit the Dallas County Promise website for more information.



Confirmation Email

Dallas County Promise Path Form Received



Dallas County Promise <responses@formassembly.com>

To Student Email Address

Replies to this email address are not monitored. For questions on the Dallas County Promise program, please email Student.Success@DallasCountyPromise.org.

Hello <First Name>

Thank you for submitting your Dallas County Promise Path! This is just the start of your journey, and we look forward to supporting you this year!

Your Promise Path was submitted to Dallas County Promise on 08/29/2022 09:21:11 AM.

Your form submission number is 22326.

Great job taking the first step to getting your tuition covered at a Promise Partner college or university! Your next steps are below.

Feel free to email Student.Success@DallasCountyPromise.org anytime for help. If your phone or email information changes, please let us know so you don't miss out!

Next Steps to Become a Dallas County Promise Scholar

Confirmation email will include the next steps and deadlines from the submission confirmation page.





Looking for the Promise Path demo version?

Walk through the Path demo version available here:

<https://promisecm.tfaforms.net/f/pathformdemo>

