

# GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAM

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- What is Gifted and Talented?
- New Nomination Process
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- New opportunities
- GT Showcase
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"Gifted and talented student" means a child or youth who performs at or shows the potential for performing at a remarkably high level of accomplishment when compared to others of the same age, experience, or environment and who:

- (1) exhibits high performance capability in an intellectual, creative, or artistic area;
- (2) possesses an unusual capacity for leadership; or
- (3) excels in a specific academic field.

# MOMINATION FROCESS

## NOMINATION/REFERRAL WINDOW

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## GT PROGRAM DESIGN

#### GT students will:

- Be served within the school day
- Work together as a group, work with other students and work independently
- Engage in flexible grouping and independent investigations which will be provided throughout the program
- Have the opportunity for acceleration and flexible pacing; allowing students to learn at the pace and level appropriate to their ability and skills.
- Work to develop advanced learning products and/or performances (TPSP)

## GT PROGRAM DESIGN

#### All GT students will:

- Receive differentiated instruction in the general education setting
- measure progress toward individualized goals for learning
- Be supported with Social/Emotional Learning opportunities specific to Gifted Students

#### GT Standards:

https://www.texaspsp.org/resources/colef\_chart



# TMHIGH SCHOOL

High School GT Students will:

Be enrolled in at least one Advanced Academics Core Content Course (annually)
Be encouraged to participate in a minimum of one enrichment activity

#### Possible Enrichment Activities:

- Mock Trial
- Academic Decathlon
- Chick-fil-A Leadership Academy
- One Act Play
- KEDT Challenge Quiz Team
- Campus Challenge Day(s)

Additional enrichment opportunities will be advertised on campus. Students will also be encouraged to create a product that will be showcased at the District GT Showcase in the spring.

## TM HIGH SEHOOL

#### **OUR PROGRAM**

GT students will be enrolled in at least one core content Advanced Academic (dual enrollment) class each year.

#### Enrichment Opportunities for High School GT students

Students are encouraged to participate in a minimum of one enrichment activity which could include, but not limited to the following:

- Mock Trial
- Academic Decathlon
- Chick-fil-A Leadership Academy
- One Act Play
- KEDT Challenge Quiz Team
- Campus Challenge Day(s)
- Junior Achievement

Additional enrichment opportunities will be advertised on campus.

Students will be encourages to create a product that will be showcased at the District Secondary GT Showcase in the Spring.

#### GT Social Emotional Learning Opportunities

The high school has an SEL program to ensure that the social/emotional need of GT students are appropriately addresses. The high school will service the SEL need of students during "Warrior Wednesdays" using ta curriculum called Overcoming Obstacles.

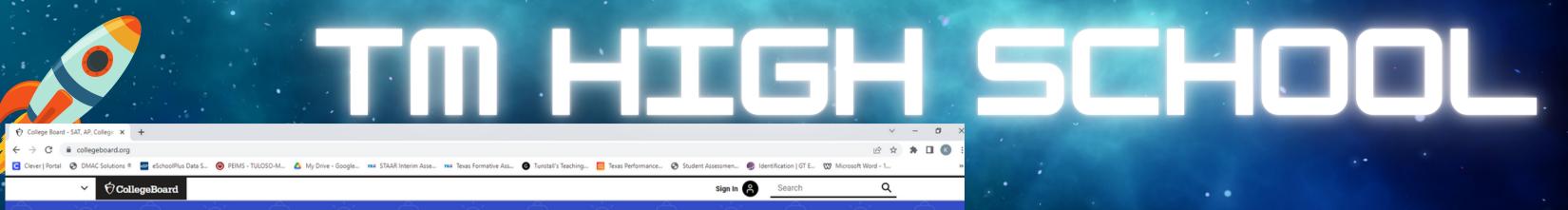
#### ADVANCED ACADEMICS OFFERED

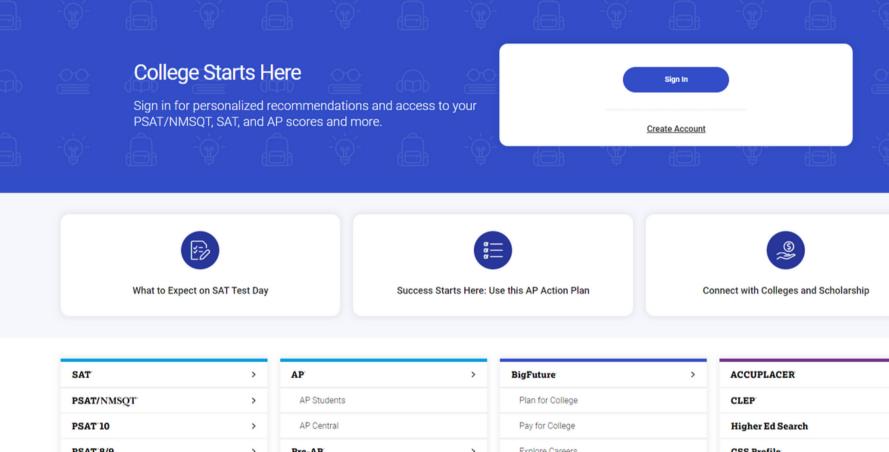
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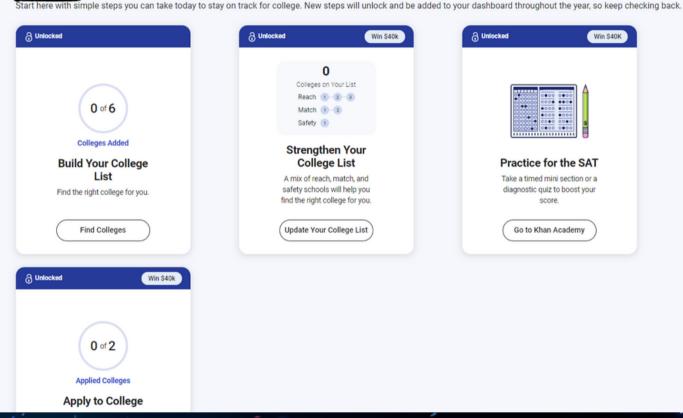
- Advanced Animal Science (Science)
- Algebra 1 & 2 Honors
- Anatomy & Physiology Honors
- Biology 1 Honors
- Chemistry Honors
- Economics Honors
- English 1, 2, & 3 Honors
- Engineering Design & Problem Solving (if taken as 4th Science)
- Geometry Honors
- Government Honors
- Physics Honors
- Précalculus Honors
- Scientific Research & Design (if taken as 4th science)
- Spanish 3 & 4 Honors
- Robotics 2 (if taken as 3rd Math)
- World Geography Honors
- World History Honors
- Advanced Floral Design
- Practicum in Architectural Design
- Practicum in Audio/Video Production
- Practicum in Entrepreneurship
- · Practicum in Graphic Design & Illustration
- Welding 1 & 2
- Practicum in Manufacturing
- Practicum in Health Science
- Practicum in STEM
- Forensic Science
- Practicum in AFNR
- · Art Honors: Studio Art-Drawing Portfolio
- Debate 2 & 3 Honors
- Humanities 1 (AcaDeca 1)
- Ind. Study in English 1-3 (AcaDeca 2-4)
- Ind. Study in Speech (Debate 4 Honors)
- · Oral Interpretation 2-4 Honors
- Athletics, Band, Cheer, Drill Team Honors (Adv. measures required)
- All courses taken through TAMUK, CBC and UT OnRamps





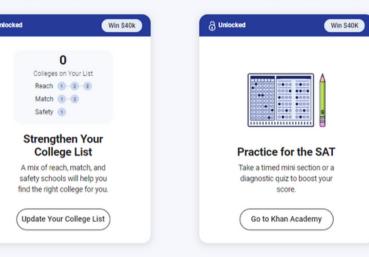


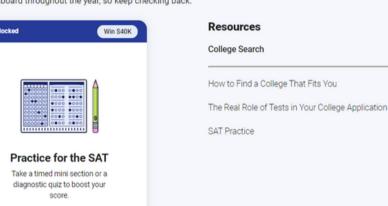




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HTTPS://WWW.TXGIFTED.ORG/SCHOLARSHIPS



MS GT students will:

- Be enrolled in at least one Advanced Academic class (Honors)
- Have the opportunity to collaborate weekly during GT Advisory on a chosen project
- Participate in Spring Showcase/Campus Competition

Showcase/Competition pieces will be chosen to advance to the ESC2 Spring Showcase

# TM INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

#### Program Design:

- Combination of pull-out and inclusion
  - Students will meet with the GT coordinator/STEAM teacher to launch new learning
  - Students will work in the classroom with teacher during WIN Time on GT products with support from GT STEAM teacher
- Classroom instruction will be differentiated in the TIER I learning environment to meet the needs of GT students
- GT Coordinator will collaborate with classroom teachers Opportunities:
  - GT students will participate in a GT Showcase in the Spring



# TM PRIMARY SCHOOL Program Design:

- Combination of pull-out and inclusion
  - Students will meet with the GT coordinator/STEAM Teacher to launch new learning
  - Students will work in the classroom with teacher during WIN
     Time on GT projects with support from GT STEAM teacher
- Classroom instruction will be differentiated in the TIER I learning environment to meet the needs of GT students
- GT Coordinator will collaborate with classroom teachers Opportunities:
  - GT students will participate in a GT Showcase in the Spring
  - GT students will be invited to GT Camp during intersession

## GT PARENT SUPPORT

GT Parents are highly encouraged to join the campus level Parent-Teacher Associations.

Additional Parent Support Organizations:

- Texas Association For the Gifted and Talented
  - https://www.txgifted.org/parents
- National Association for Gifted Children
  - https://www.nagc.org/get-involved
- Texas Education Agency Gifted and Talented Resources for Home
  - https://www.gtequity.org/family-resources-your-gt-student



# SOCIAL EMOTIONAL SUPPORT FOR GT STUDENTS

Each campus will develop their own SEL Lessons based on the individual and campus need.

SEL skills (some but not all): Leadership/Teamwork Personal Communication Self-Awareness/Awareness of others Individual/Group Interactions Emotional Awareness/Reflection/Self-Management Spatial Awareness Academic Problem Solving Decision Making Motivation/Persistence/Commitment to challenges Creativity Time Management



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#### Texas Performance Standards Project | Homepage

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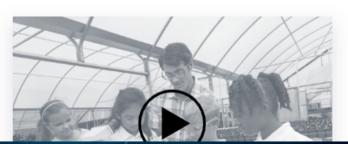
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PRIMARY (K-2)

INTERMEDIATE (3-5)

MIDDLE SCHOOL (6-8)

HIGH SCHOOL (9-12)



#### Advance Learning

# TMISD GT RESOURCES

**DEPARTMENTS OUR SCHOOLS EMPLOYMENT** Gifted & nted 21-22 Safe Return to School & Continuity Plan The state's goal for e that those students who participate in G/T services demonstrate skills in Academic Performance & self-directed learn communication. G/T students develop innovative products and Accountability sophisticated p vality and creativity and are targeted to an audience outside the classroom. Counseling & Guidance Services A gifted/tale or youth who performs at or shows the potential for performing at a remarkably high Curriculum level of accomplishment w pared to others of the same age, experience, or environment and who Federal Programs · exhibits high performan pility in an intellectual, creative, or artistic area; Family Engagement possesses an unusual c or leadership; or d. (Texas Education Code §29.121) excels in a specific acad Homeless Support Links Improvement Plans Gifted & Talented State Gifted & Talented Education (TEA) **Library Services** Professional Development Plan Special Programs > At-Risk Bilingual / ESL Dyslexia > Gifted & Talented



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