



DUAL CREDIT PARENT MEETING

August 17, 2023 C. E. King High School PAC

AGENDA

- Introductions
- How does Dual Credit work
- Schedule
- Expectations
- Transportation
- Supports
- Academy Staff
- Parents/Guardians

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SHELDON ISD STEM ACADEMY TEAM



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Ryan Upshaw STEAM Academy Principal



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Yvonne Garza STEAM Academy Counselor

STUDENT SUPPORT

- Devices & Insurance
- AVID
- SJC Tutoring

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- STEM Academy Staff assigned to each student
- Friday Support with tutors
- Saturday School 2 times a month



HOW CAN PARENTS SUPPORT?

- Reassure your student--it will be okay, even when it gets tough.
- Communicate with your student & STEM staff--look at SJC grades and KHS grades online.
- Schedule absences sparingly & carefully.

EXPECTATIONS OF STUDENTS

- Attendance
- Communication
- Responsibility/Maturity
- Cooperation
- 100% Effort



PARENTS/GUARDIANS

- Ensure Attendance
- Communication
- Cooperation
- Weekly Grade Checks





- Ensure Student Accountability
- Communication
- Support

KHS College and Career Center Team





JENNIFER WILLIAMS DIRECTOR OF GUIDANCE & COUNSELING /GEAR UP COORDINATOR



GABRIELLA FUENTES College Success Advisor All grade Levels



ALISHA BROOM Gear up advisor 12th grade



ANTONIO CORTEZ San Jacinto Outreach Advisor



KIMBERLY MATTHEWS Gear up interventionist 12th grade



COLLEGE SUCCESS ADVISOR All grade levels



MEAGAN CHASE (SMITH) SR. COLLEGE SUCCESS ADVISOR ALL GRADE LEVELS



12TH ADVISETX COLLEGE RECRUITMENT ADVISOR

KHS COLLEGE AND CAREER CENTER

- Targeted intervention
- Mentoring
- College tours
- Summer enrichment
- Individual college and career advising
- Scholarships
- Financial aid

- College and career exploration
- SAT/ACT registration
- Military exploration/ recruiting
- Understanding your transcript
- College applications
- Fee waivers



Does all of this work????

August 3, 2017= 7th Grade



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36

\$3,123,372+



The Class With GRIT!

WE HAVE A NEW DESIGNATION



A Texas P-Tech School Pathways in Technology Early College High School

HOW DOES DUAL CREDIT WORK?

Student takes a class at college and earns <u>both</u> college and high school credit upon completion of the course.









 Monday/Wednesday - Classes start Aug. 28

- Tuesday/Thursday
- 7:00-8:25
- 8:35-10:00

 No SJC classes on Friday - Support Day at KHS



<u>Dual Credit Grade</u> <u>Conversion</u>

There is a grade conversion table used so that the student's grade is equivalent at both the high school and San Jacinto College.

It is important to make at least a <u>C</u> or higher so that the credit will transfer to another college or university. San Jacinto College will be going to a "letter grade" grading system. No more numerical grades will be used. See conversion chart for the HS equivalent of each letter grade.

> <u>San Jac</u> = <u>KHS</u> A = 95 B = 85 C = 77 D = 73 F = 65





<u>AVAILABLE CLASSES FOR STUDENTS AT</u> <u>SAN JACINTO COLLEGE:</u>

MATH 1314 (College ALG)

Sociology 1301

ENGL 1301 and 1302 (English 4)

Humanities 1301

Federal Government 2305

American Music 1310

HIST 1301/1302 (US History)

Speech 1315

English 2311 (Technical Writing)

Texas Government 2306

*Additional classes as they become available **Academy Counselor will determine eligibility and placement for each student

SPECIAL NOTES FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS:

NO COST to families - to include textbooks

- Parents <u>cannot</u> contact college professor due to FERPA
- For all SJC classes, students will login and show grades to their AVID teacher, STEM staff, Mr. Upshaw & parent/guardian upon request.
- If a student is failing or close to failing at the college drop date, he or she may be dropped and placed into high school credit recovery if needed - WHICH WILL NEGATIVELY IMPACT NCAA Eligibility & the ability to continue dual credit courses in STEM & at SJC!!



- The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a Federal law that protects the privacy of student educational records. The law applies to all schools that receive funds under an applicable program of the U.S. Department of Education.When a student turns 18 years old or enters a postsecondary institution at any age, all rights afforded to parents under FERPA transfer to the student.
- Students are free to give their S.O.S. log-in information to their parents if they wish. The S.O.S. account can be used to view an unofficial transcript, print a degree evaluation, order official transcripts for college/university applicants, and check class schedules.

More info at <u>https://www2.ed.gov/policy/gen/guid/fpco/ferpa/index.html</u>

JOIN OUR STEM ACADEMY DUAL CREDIT PARENT REMIND

Text @2324stemdc

346-378-7100 STEM Academy Office If students miss the bus to college or back to KHS Or email

ryanupshaw@sheldonisd.com yvonnegarza@sheldonisd.com



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Parents/Guardians: Sign up for Alert messages from San Jacinto College

https://www.smart911.com/smart911/re f/reg.action?pa=sanjac

Students can also add your number to their SOS account at SJC.

ACCESSIBILITY SERVICES AT SJC

- Some students may need extra assistance to proceed with their college coursework. We're here to make sure they have everything they need to succeed. We help students facing all types of challenges, such as learning disabilities, visual and hearing impairment, communication disorders, mobility issues, head injuries, chronic illness, and ADD.
- Our Accessibility Services counselors meet with students to determine what special accommodations should be made, such as extended time for tests, interpreting services, note-taking assistance, and specialized technologies. If you need more information or would like to make an appointment, contact the Accessibility Services office on the campus that's most convenient for you.
- The Family Educational Rights Privacy Act (FERPA) regulates the disclosure of disability documentation and records maintained by Accessibility Services. Under this Federal act, prior written consent by the student is required before Accessibility Services may release disability documentation or records.

Contact Information: 281-998-6150 or email information@sjcd.edu

****Parents/Guardians: DO NOT SCHEDULE ANY TRIPS** or VACATIONS DURING **COLLEGE COURSES.** The SJC calendar is slightly different from ours in Sheldon ISD, and they still may have class at SJC.

TRANSPORTATION

• Buses from KHS to SJC - departs KHS bus

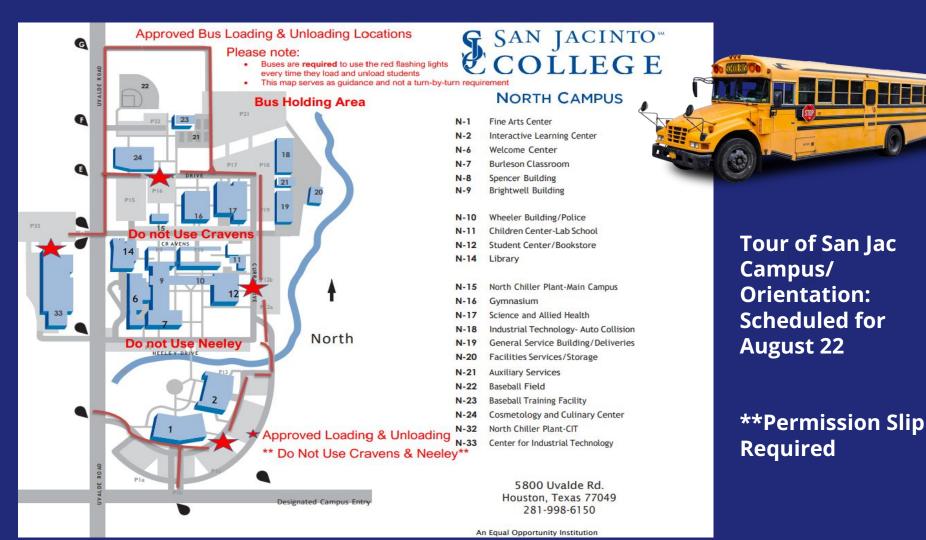
ramp at 6:30 a.m.

• Buses from SJC to KHS - shuttles after each

class

• Student who drive their own cars





- Student driving is a privilege. If there is any issue with a student * driving (late to class or back to campus, pattern of absences, etc.) student driving privilege can be suspended.
- SJC Parking stickers are free. Students will pick up application cards, and go to the cashiers office during the first week of classes to pick up a sticker.









CONTACT INFORMATION

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Yvonne Garza - Academy Counselor yvonnegarza@sheldonisd.com

SJC Dual Credit Website: https://www.sanjac.edu/admissions-aid/dual-credit-and-ear ly-admission-programs



I never said it would be easy, I only said it would be worth it.

Mae West



ANY QUESTIONS ????

