



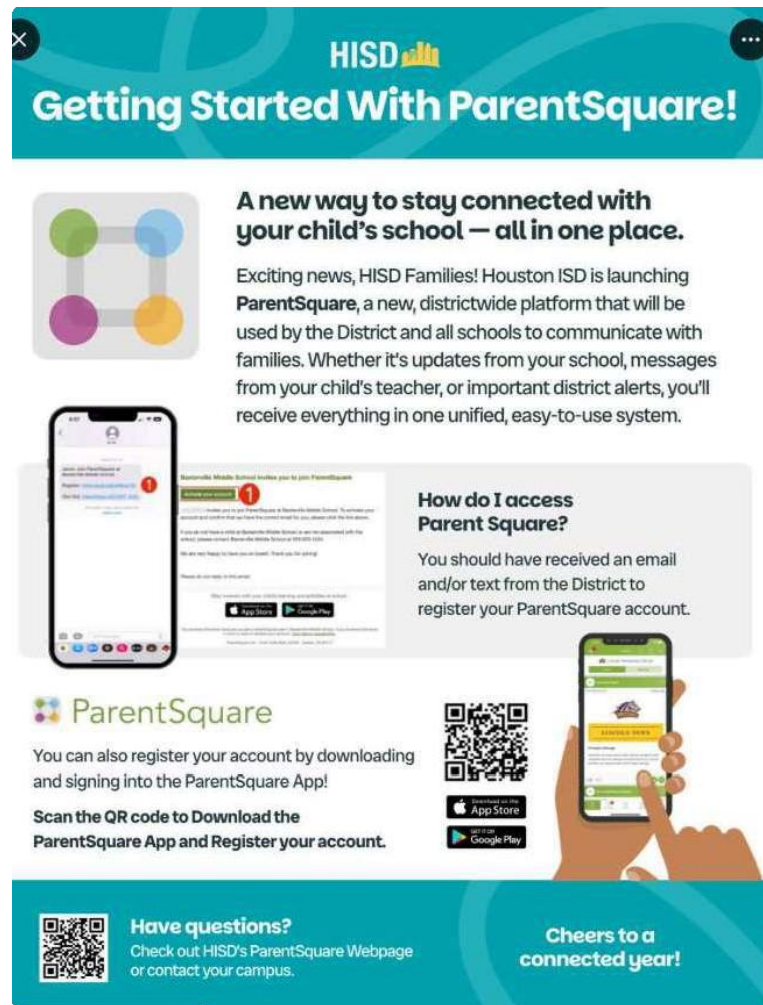
Principal Corner

Lamar's Open Houses are opportunities for families to learn about the school, its programs, and its culture. You will have an opportunity to interact directly with the people who will be part of the student's life. Ask teachers about their teaching styles and what they enjoy about teaching at the school.

Highlight Events

- August 25- Open House A-L 6:00PM (LHS)
 - August 27- Open House M-Z 6:00PM (LHS)
 - September 1- No School - Holiday
 - September 2- No School -Professional Development
 - September 3- FFA Meeting 6:00PM (Grand Hall)
 - September 9-Club Fair 11:45AM (Gym)
 - September 9- FFA Meeting 6:00AM (Grand Hall)
 - September 11-PTO Meeting 6:00PM (Grand Hall)
 - September 12- Pep Rally 7:50AM (Gym)
 - September 13- Serve Lamar 9:00-12:00 (LHS)
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Parent Square



HISD

Getting Started With ParentSquare!

A new way to stay connected with your child's school — all in one place.

Exciting news, HISD Families! Houston ISD is launching **ParentSquare**, a new, districtwide platform that will be used by the District and all schools to communicate with families. Whether it's updates from your school, messages from your child's teacher, or important district alerts, you'll receive everything in one unified, easy-to-use system.

How do I access Parent Square?

You should have received an email and/or text from the District to register your ParentSquare account.

ParentSquare

You can also register your account by downloading and signing into the ParentSquare App!

Scan the QR code to Download the ParentSquare App and Register your account.

Have questions?
Check out HISD's ParentSquare Webpage or contact your campus.

Cheers to a connected year!

We're excited to share that we've adopted a new communication platform called **ParentSquare** to help us keep you better informed and more connected with your school community.

With ParentSquare, you'll receive all school and classroom messages in one place and translated into your preferred language—whether by email, text, app, or web. You'll also be able to:

- Stay up to date on news and events
- Send and receive messages with teachers and staff
- Fill out forms and permission slips
- Sign up for conferences and volunteer opportunities
- View calendar items and photos from your school

All school, grade-level, and classroom communications will now come through ParentSquare.

To get the most out of ParentSquare, we encourage you to download the free mobile app, available for iOS and Android. You can also access ParentSquare from your web browser at www.parentsquare.com.

We'll be sharing more information soon, including how to set up your account and customize your notification preferences.

Thank you for your continued partnership in supporting your student's success.

Shout Outs



CLEAR FALLS WRAP-UP: Hot meet with tough competition, but the Lamar Cross Country teams persevered well.

Varsity Boys: No team score since we didn't finish 5, but had we done so, we may have won the meet due to the good runs of the four below. 97 total runners:

5th – Solomon Radix

9th – Daniel Leal Jr.

14th – Matt McGauley

20th – Gabe Bunn

Varsity Girls: 5th Place team finish out of 11 complete teams (more if we count incomplete teams). 91 total runners.

8th – Elise Soika

11th – Magda Rajszewski

JV Boys: No team score due to only 4 finishers. 120 total runners.

5th – Levi Brooks

14th – Ethan Graves

15th – Logan Mendelovitz

JV Girls: 6th Place out of 12 complete teams (more if we count incomplete teams). No individuals in the Top 20, but kudos to Valerie Gomez for running a great race and almost cracking it, as well as to Chloe Horbratsch for a fantastic high school cross country debut (second fastest JV runner on our team in her first meet as a freshman). 117 total runners.

Next up: The BFND Meet in Tomball on Aug. 23!

Thank you The '401!



The '401 Restaurant

Grateful for the delicious teacher lunch courtesy of The '401! It was a great way to celebrate the end of the week.

Bell Schedule

Period	Start Time	End Time
1 st / 5 th	08:30 AM	10:00 AM
2 nd / 6 th	10:06 AM	11:43 PM
Lunch / Tutorials	11:43 AM	12:48 PM
3 rd / 7 th	12:54 PM	02:24 PM
4 th / 8 th	02:30 PM	04:00 PM

Academic Calendar



YEARLY CALENDAR

2025-2026

JUNE - 2025
 4. Last day for students
 5. Staff PD Day (no classes)
 10. Staff PD Day (no classes)
 11-30. 5th Quarter
 19. Juneteenth

JULY - 2025
 1-18. 5th Quarter
 3. Recess (no classes)
 4. Independence Day
 21-31. School Leaders' Induction and Preparation

AUGUST - 2025
 1-11. All Staff Induction and Preparation
 17. First Day for Students

SEPTEMBER - 2025
 1. Labor Day
 2. Staff PD Day (no classes)

OCTOBER - 2025
 2. Staff PD Day (no classes)
 3. Recess (no classes)

NOVEMBER - 2025
 7. Staff PD Day (no classes)
 24-30. Recess (no classes)
 27. Thanksgiving Day

DECEMBER - 2025
 22-31. Recess (no classes)

JANUARY - 2026
 1. New Year's Day
 2. Recess (no classes)
 9. Staff PD Day (no classes)
 19. MLK Jr. Day

FEBRUARY - 2026
 13. Staff PD Day (no classes)
 16. Presidents' Day

MARCH - 2026
 9-13. Recess (no classes)
 30. Chavez-Huerta Day observed

APRIL - 2026
 3. Recess (no classes)

MAY - 2026
 25. Memorial Day

JUNE - 2026
 4. Last day for students
 5. Staff PD Day (no classes)
 10-30. 5th Quarter
 19. Juneteenth

JULY - 2026
 1-17. 5th Quarter
 2. Recess (no classes)
 3. Independence Day observed
 20-29. School Leaders' Induction and Preparation
 30-31. All Staff Induction and Preparation



★ FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL AUGUST 12, 2025	★ LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS JUNE 4, 2026	★ LAST DAY FOR TEACHERS JUNE 5, 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Holiday (no classes) Recess (no classes) Staff PD (no classes) 5th Quarter School Leaders' Induction and Preparation All Staff Induction and Preparation 	GRADING CYCLES Aug 12 - Sep 19 Sep 22 - Oct 21 Nov 2 - Dec 10 Jan 6 - Feb 20 Feb 23 - Apr 17 Apr 20 - June 4	REPORT CARD Sept 26 (Friday) Nov 10 (Monday) Jan 8 (Friday) Feb 21 (Friday) Apr 24 (Friday) June 4 (TG, ER, MS) June 12 HS

August and September A-B Calendar

August 2025		Important Information				
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 A	13 B	14 A	1 B ₅	16
17	18 A	19 B	20 A	21 B	22 A	23
24	25 B	26 A	27 B	28 A	29 B	30
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Lamar High School

September 2025

Important Information

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Labor Day	2 PD DAY- NO STUDENTS	3 A	4 B	5 A	6
7	8 B	9 A	10 B	11 A	12 B	13
14	15 A	16 B	17 A	18 B	19 A	20
21	22 B	23 A	24 B	25 A	26 B	27
28	29 A	30 B				

Open House- Aug.25th or Aug. 27th

OPEN HOUSE 2025	
FINE ARTS	<u>6:00, 6:15, 6:30</u> BAND - B111 PIANO- N001 CHOIR - N100 THEATRE-A104 DANCE- GRAND HALL VISUAL ARTS- 12A C401 ORCHESTRA/GUITAR - N101
CAREER & TECH EDUCATION	<u>6:00, 6:15, 6:30</u> AGRICULTURE - C117 HEALTH SCIENCE/INFORMATICS - GYM JROTC - N227 COMPUTER SCIENCE/NETWORKING - N303 HUMAN SERVICES/- N104 BUSINESS/ENTREPRENEURSHIP-10A C301 DISTRIBUTION/LOGISTICS-10A C301 HOSPITALITY & CULINARY ARTS C102 BROADCAST/JOURNALISM -N307 ENGINEERING -N310
PE/ATHLETICS, TOK, PPS & DEBATE, READING	<u>6:00, 6:15, 6:30</u> PE COACHES - 9B A315 ATHLETICS 9D B 312 TOK- 9A A301 PPS (GTIS) - 9C B300 READING- N003 DEBATE - 9C B300 LAB
LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH	<u>6:00, 6:15, 6:30</u> LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S LANGUAGE PROGRAM AND ITS ROLE WITHIN IB ARABIC - 11D B412 FRENCH - 11B A415 CHINESE - 11C B400 SPANISH - 11A A401
NEIGHBORHOOD PRESENTATIONS	<u>6:45-7:30</u> JOIN THE NEIGHBORHOOD TEAM TO LEARN ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S CORE CURRICULUM CLASSES- ENGLISH, MATH, SCIENCE, AND SOCIAL STUDIES. USE THE ROOM NUMBER FOR CHILD'S ENGLISH TEACHER TO FIND THIS SESSION.

Please join us for Lamar Open House on either **August 25th OR August 27th** beginning at 6:00 p.m. We are recommending families with last names beginning with A-L attend on August 25th and families with last names M-Z attend on August 27th.

We believe this will help us make it a more personal experience for parents. If your assigned alpha day does not work for your family, please come the other day. Ask your student to provide you with a screenshot of their schedule so that you know which sessions to attend.

Health Science Summer Trip

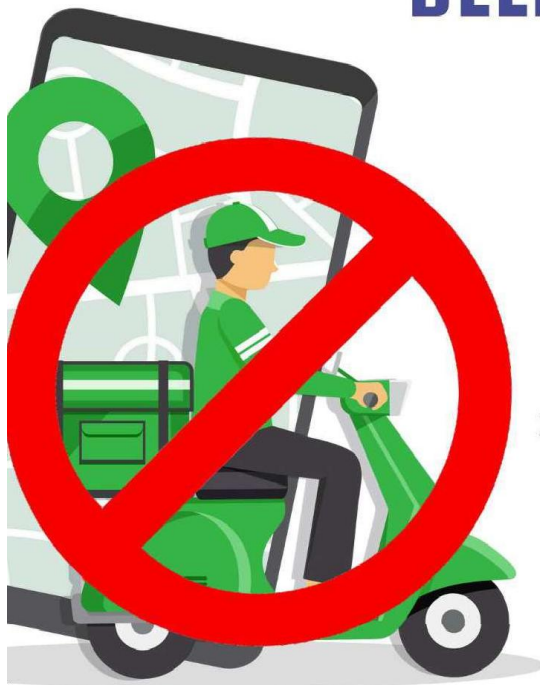
TRAVEL with Abi **EDINBURGH LONDON AND PARIS** **JUNE 2026**

Information Meeting
Sept. 11th @ 6:00pm **MUST RSVP!**
11A Lab

International Snacks and Refreshments will be provided

Are you interested in traveling the world and learning about health science? Come to Mrs. DeCerbo's Interest Meeting and find out about this summer's tour through the United Kingdom and Paris. Please RSVP to the meeting here: <https://bit.ly/4oAhe6r>

No Food Deliveries



No delivery of outside food is permitted for the 2025-2026 year.

Students are not allowed to order food nor are parents allowed to deliver food to campus.

Neighborhood Contacts

9TH GRADE

WHO IS MY... ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL/ ACADEMIC DEAN/CLERK?

9A	Ms. Wilkins	}	AP: Mr. Davison jdavison@houstonisd.org
9B	Ms. Avgerakis		AD: Ms. Grabill crystal.grabill@houstonisd.org
9C	Ms. Alvarado	}	AP: Ms. King kking8@houstonisd.org
9D	Mr. Norwood		AD: Dr. Khatri safia.khatri@houstonisd.org



Clerk- Ms. Manzano

Beatriz.Manzano@houstonisd.org

Parent Engagement Rep. Ms. Whitfield

bria.whitfield@houstonisd.org

*Your AP/AD/Clerk are determined by who you have
as an English teacher*

10TH GRADE

WHO IS MY... ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL/ ACADEMIC DEAN/CLERK?

10A Ms. Tan

10B Ms. Kelly

10C Mr. Shalin

10D Ms. Piper

AP: Mr. Villanueva
Amadeo.Villanueva@houstonisd.org

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jballard@houstonisd.org

AP: Ms. Turner
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AD: Ms. Ryan
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Clerk- Ms. Lawrence

princess.lawrence@houstonisd.org



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11TH GRADE

WHO IS MY... ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL/ ACADEMIC DEAN/CLERK?

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11B	Mrs. Simpson		AD: Mr. Villatoro EVILLATO@houstonisd.org
11C	Mr. Sims	}	AP: Ms. Mann dmann1@houstonisd.org
11D	Mr. Glazner		AD: Ms. Goodson hgoodson@houstonisd.org

Clerk- Ms. Medlock

maudie.medlock@houstonisd.org



Parent Engagement Rep.- Ms. Coria

victoria.coria@houstonisd.org

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12TH GRADE

WHO IS MY... ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL/ ACADEMIC DEAN/CLERK?

12A Mr. Bearup

12B Mr. Zamora

12C Ms. Raj

12D Ms. Pearson

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AD: Mrs. Brooks
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AP: Ms. Pizaña
mpizana@houstonisd.org

AD: Ms. BocagePace
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Clerk- Ms. Bemah Anokye

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Parent Engagement Rep.- Ms. Coria

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New Phone Policy



NEW TEXAS LAW HB 1481

HISD values a safe and distraction-free learning environment. In accordance with House Bill 1481, all Texas public schools will implement a strict **"No Personal Communication Device"** rule during the instructional day.

WHAT'S CHANGING

The following devices are **prohibited from use** on school property during the instructional day.



Devices **must** be:

- Kept at home or stored away
- Turned off in backpacks or lockers

Only District-provided devices are approved for use during class time.

Exceptions only for:

- Approved medical needs
- A documented need based on a directive from a qualified physician
- Special Education needs (as outlined in the student's IEP or 504 plan)

DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

1st Offense Device is confiscated, parents/guardians may retrieve the phone from the office **after school and review the law and HISD cell phone policy.**


2nd Offense Device is confiscated, parents/guardians may pick up the phone in the office **after one full school day.**

3rd Offense Device is confiscated, parents/guardians may pick up the phone in the office **after two full school days.**

Further offenses will result in elevated formal disciplinary action, as outlined in the HISD Student Code of Conduct.

HISD will not be held responsible for any lost, stolen, or damaged devices confiscated due to the violation of the law and district policy.

HOUSTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT



HB1481 HISD Personal Communication Device Policy Frequently Asked Questions

Why is HISD updating its personal communication device policy?
HISD values a safe and distraction-free learning environment. A new Texas law ([House Bill 1481](#)) supports this value and requires school districts to prohibit student use of all personal communication devices on school property during the school day. For the 2025-2026 school year, students may not use personal communication devices on school property during the instructional day. **The instructional day is defined as follows:** From the time a student arrives on campus in the morning until the final period of the day concludes. Lunch and passing periods are included. Devices must be turned off and stored in the student's personal bag or backpack at all times during the school day.

My child uses their phone to update me on their after school plans. How will I keep in touch with my child?
Your child may use their phones after the conclusion of the last period of the day. This ensures that families can coordinate safe pick-ups with their children, as needed.

How can I help as a parent?

- Discuss the importance of focusing on learning during the school day.
- Talk to your student about this new law.
- Remind your students to keep phones off and stored during the school day.
- Ensure your contact information is up to date. Please confirm all information using the Annual Student Information Form.

What if my child has an IEP or 504 plan?
Students whose Individualized Education Plan (IEP) or 504 plan requires device use will have device access. Decisions will be determined by the ARD or 504 committee. Contact your child's campus for assistance if this applies to your child.

My child has a medical condition that requires monitoring. Can they use their phone for this health reason?
Students with documented medical conditions may be eligible for an accommodation based on a directive from a qualified physician. Please contact chief@schoolsupport@houstonisd.org to determine eligibility.

What happens during a lockdown or safety event?
In an emergency, HISD will communicate updates directly with families using ParentSquare for phone calls, emails, and texts. Make sure that you have registered your account with HISD. Visit our [Houston ISD ParentSquare site](#) for information on how to access your account.

Can my child call me in case of an emergency?
If your child experiences a personal or medical emergency, school staff will ensure that you are contacted.

Where should my child's device be stored?
If brought to school property, all devices must be powered off and secured in students' backpacks. HISD is not responsible for the secure storage of any devices.

Do I have to come retrieve my child's personal communication device if it is confiscated during the school day?
Yes, the parent/guardian must retrieve the personal communication device.

What if a student refuses to hand over a device?
If a child refuses to hand over a device, HISD will follow disciplinary action outlined in the HISD Student Code of Conduct.

Is the district responsible for damage or loss of phones?
No. HISD is not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged personal devices, including those that are confiscated. Students and families are encouraged to leave valuables at home and adhere to the Personal Communication Device policy.

Houston Independent School District

Transportation



HISD Transportation Scan Here:

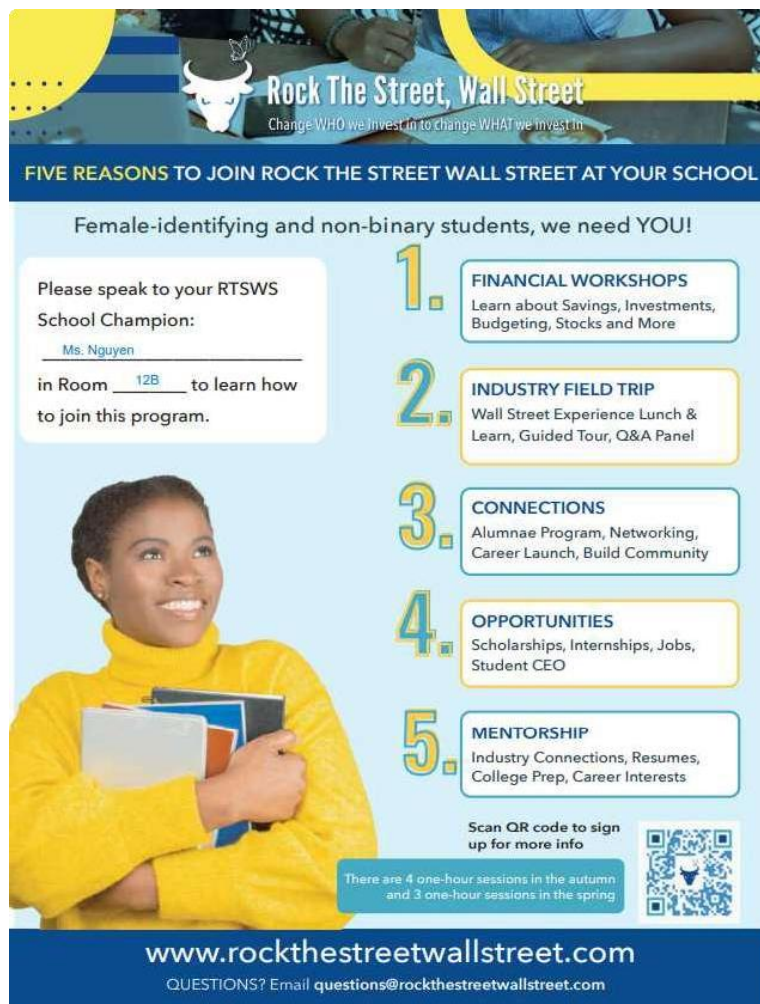


transportation.hisd-survey.org

Transportation requests must be submitted by Monday, July 28 to ensure eligible students receive a bus assignment for the first day of school. Families who have already completed the transportation survey do not need to resubmit. They will receive information about their eligibility from HISD within the next two weeks.

Las solicitudes de transporte deben enviarse a más tardar el lunes 28 de julio para garantizar que los estudiantes elegibles reciban una asignación de autobús para el primer día de clases. Las familias que ya completaron la encuesta de transporte no necesitan volver a enviarla. HISD les informará sobre su elegibilidad en las próximas dos semanas.

Rock the Street, Wall Street



The poster features a blue and yellow color scheme. At the top, it says "Rock The Street, Wall Street" with a tagline "Change WHO we invest in to change WHAT we invest in". Below this is a dark blue banner with the text "FIVE REASONS TO JOIN ROCK THE STREET WALL STREET AT YOUR SCHOOL". The main body of the poster is light blue and contains a list of five reasons, each in a numbered box. To the left of the list is a white box with contact information for a school champion. At the bottom left is a photo of a young woman in a yellow sweater holding books. At the bottom right is a QR code and a small text box about session frequency. The footer is a dark blue banner with the website URL and an email address.

Rock The Street, Wall Street
Change WHO we invest in to change WHAT we invest in

FIVE REASONS TO JOIN ROCK THE STREET WALL STREET AT YOUR SCHOOL

Female-identifying and non-binary students, we need YOU!

Please speak to your RTSWS School Champion:
Ms. Nguyen
in Room 12B to learn how to join this program.

- 1. FINANCIAL WORKSHOPS**
Learn about Savings, Investments, Budgeting, Stocks and More
- 2. INDUSTRY FIELD TRIP**
Wall Street Experience Lunch & Learn, Guided Tour, Q&A Panel
- 3. CONNECTIONS**
Alumnae Program, Networking, Career Launch, Build Community
- 4. OPPORTUNITIES**
Scholarships, Internships, Jobs, Student CEO
- 5. MENTORSHIP**
Industry Connections, Resumes, College Prep, Career Interests

Scan QR code to sign up for more info

There are 4 one-hour sessions in the autumn and 3 one-hour sessions in the spring

www.rockthestreetwallstreet.com
QUESTIONS? Email questions@rockthestreetwallstreet.com

We have an exciting program this year aimed at inspiring young women! Rock The Street, Wall Street is a financial and investment literacy program designed to spark the interest of a diverse population of high school female identifying or non-binary students interested in careers in finance. The year long academic program is facilitated 100% by local female financial professionals, and offers the following 4 components: Financial & Investment Literacy Workshops, Industry Insight Day Firm Field Trip, Mentoring and the RTSWS Career Center. Students learn about savings and investments through hands-on financial projects. They will also create resumes, build a LinkedIn profile, and apply business skills to real world situations. The goal is to create a society where women are financially literate, independent and equally represented in the field of finance. Want to learn more on how to join this program? Please contact Mrs. Nguyen in 12B for more information or visit our website: www.rockthestreetwallstreet.com. Our remind is @lhs-rtsws.

Menninger Clinic

Supporting Student Wellness

IN PARTNERSHIP with



Attention Parents & Guardians of 10th Grade Students!

This fall, Lamar High School is partnering up with The Menninger Clinic to offer **FREE Student Wellness Screenings** for all 10th graders.



Our Goal: To promote mental health by identifying students who may benefit from extra support and connecting them to helpful resources.

Key Details:

- Consent Required:** Forms have been included in your back-to-school packet.
- When:** During one class period this fall.
- Time Needed:** Only 15 minutes.
- Confidential:** Your student's privacy is our priority.

Virtual Parent Q&A Sessions:

We invite you to attend a session to learn more about the screening process, ask questions and feel confident about your student's participation.

- **Tuesday, August 26** - 6:00pm
- **Thursday, August 28** - 6:00pm

<https://menningerclinic.zoom.us/j/84809447206>

Meeting ID: 848 0944 7206



We look forward to partnering with you to support student wellness.

Zoom Link

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://menningerclinic.zoom.us/j/84809447206>

Meeting ID: 848 0944 7206

Club Fair



List of current club and application for new clubs will be on the website soon.

Clear Backpack


CLEAR BACKPACK

In an effort to improve the safety measures currently in place, Lamar has implemented a clear bag policy.



Students participating in an extracurricular activity are permitted to carry non-transparent bags to store item pertaining to their particular activity (ie band, athletics, etc.) Upon entry into the school, all extra curricular activity bags must be stored in lockers or designated areas. All bags are subject to search. A small non-transparent bag no larger than 4"x4" will be allowed for personal items inside the backpack. Additionally, the maximum size for non-transparent bags that are permitted to carry during the school day, such as lunch kits, and purses, will be 6"x9"x5" (no larger than a sheet of paper).



BECOME AN HISD VOLUNTEER IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

VIPS 

HOW TO GET STARTED

1. Complete the online volunteer orientation and submit the required documents
2. Register online and complete the volunteer application
3. Agree to the annual background check and become approved to volunteer
4. Sign up for volunteer opportunities within HISD (District wide events or campus specific)
5. Complete any role specific training
6. Always sign in and out using the RAPTOR volunteer management system
7. Log your own volunteer hours in V-Soft system

FOR MORE INFO
SCAN HERE



VIPS APPEALS

Any parent, grandparent, or guardian interested in VIPS who has been deemed ineligible (denied) to volunteer after their background check may appeal. You will need to submit the VIPS Appeals form (link below) and attend an interview with HISD's VIPS Appeals Committee.

CONTACT US

713-556-8477
vips@houstonisd.org
www.houstonisd.org/VIPS

If your request is denied, please contact the school's VIPS coordinator

Choir



Have you considered choir?

- Learn how to sing
- No previous experience required
- Learn how to read music
- Earn your required art credit
- Earn honors by performing at competitions as an ensemble member or soloist
- Make lasting memories

Lamar choir is a UIL Sweepstakes winning organization. We are a growing program with increased opportunities for excellent musical experiences.

If you are interested in auditioning, contact Mr. Dee by email robert.dee@houstonisd.org or find him before school or during lunch in room N100. The window for schedule changes will close soon.



College Corner

UPCOMING EVENTS

30
SEPT



College Fair
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

College Corner
Parent Night
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

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Hot Scholarship List August/September 2025

Key Available to 9-11th grade students Available to Students Pursuing a 2-Year College, Trade, or Certificate Available to students without U.S. Citizenship Status Fine Arts Scholarship ROTC/Military Scholarship

September Continued

- Glaser Family Charitable Foundation**
- Deadline: September 28, 2025
 - Amount: Tuition, Fees, Room & Board
 - Website: bit.ly/3ww7dxN
- Questbridge College Match Program**
- Deadline: September 30, 2025
Amount: Full Tuition
Website: bit.ly/4ksf1AF
- Don't Text and Drive**
- Deadline: September 30, 2025
 - Amount: \$1,000
 - Website: bit.ly/3AKJig0
- R2C Scholarship**
- Deadline: September 30, 2025
 - Amount: \$1,000
 - Website: bit.ly/3AJ0QYS

- College Raptor Scholarships**
- Deadline: September 30, 2025
 - Amount: \$2,500
 - Website: bit.ly/3KjB5m0
- Cirkled in "No Sweat" Scholarship**
- Deadline: September 30, 2025
 - Amount: \$2,500
 - Website: bit.ly/3Cvff5I
- Because College is Expensive**
- Deadline: September 30, 2025
 - Amount: \$500
 - Website: bit.ly/3dY1a1x
- Coca Cola Scholarship**
- Deadline: September 30, 2025
 - Amount: \$20,000
 - Website: bit.ly/4om53dA

Open Now, Close Later

- YoungArts National Arts Competition**
- Deadline: 10/7/25
 - Amount: \$20,000
 - Website: bit.ly/3Pgon7X
- The Evans Scholarship**
- Deadline: 10/15/25
 - Amount: \$20,000
 - Website: bit.ly/3Pgon7X
- Chick-Fil-A Community Scholars**
- Deadline: November 2025
 - Amount: \$25,000
 - Website: bit.ly/3Cd1WVtq
- 5 Strong Scholarship Foundation (HBCU Scholarship)**
- Deadline: December 31st
 - Amount: All Tuition and Fee's Covered
 - Website: bit.ly/31WtUCj

Important Reminders

- Pay attention to any special college application deadlines for scholarship eligibility**
Some colleges may ask that you apply by an earlier date to qualify for their scholarship opportunities
Example: Students must apply to UH-Main Campus by November 3rd to be eligible
- Be mindful that some scholarships will require proof of Financial Aid Submission.**
Although financial aid does not open until October 1st, get ahead by creating your financial aid account.
- Create your account for FAFSA
 - bit.ly/FAIDCREATE
 - Create your account for TASFA
 - bit.ly/TASFAACCNT

Additional Search Engines

- Schoolinks Scholarship Search Tool**
- schoolinks.com
- Going Merry**
- bit.ly/GMScholarshipMatch
- Big Future**
- bit.ly/bfscholarshipsearch
- Kaleidoscope Marketplace**
- bit.ly/EMSearch
- UAspire (Non-U.S. Citizens/DACA)**
- bit.ly/3Hd1Mat

Hot Scholarship Website



Scan the QR Code
to preview this
list digitally

Want Access to the Digital List? Go to bit.ly/HISDHotScholarships

Senior Information



2026 Senior Dues

Includes:

Senior Sunrise, Senior Breakfast, Senior T-shirt, Senior blanket, Senior Stampede Events, Graduation Package (Diploma Cover, Diploma, transcripts, etc.), Senior Sunset, Senior Gift and Other Surprises.

OPTION 1:

Early Bird Special Aug. 1st - Dec 4th \$90

<https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/Class-of-2026-Senior-Dues-Early-Bird-Spe/ScEpxsc>

All the above plus Prom Ticket-

Early Bird Special Aug. 1st - Dec 4th - \$170

<https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/Class-of-2026-Senior-Dues-Early-Bird-PLU/SRY19A>

OPTION 2:

Dec. 5th End of Year - \$140

Prom Ticket NOT included

Dec. 5th End of Year plus Prom Ticket- \$230

IMPORTANT CLASS OF 2026 DATES

August 12, <u>2025</u> Senior Sunrise	April 11, <u>2026</u> Prom**
September 19, <u>2025</u> Senior Treat Day	May 26, <u>2026</u> Field Trip
September 27, <u>2025</u> HOCO Dance	May 27-30, <u>2026</u> Senior Days
September 30, <u>2025</u> College Fair	June 3, <u>2026</u> Senior Sunset
November 12, <u>2025</u> Senior Breakfast	June 2-4, <u>2026</u> Senior Checkout
November 12, <u>2025</u> Panoramic Picture	June Graduation-NRG
February 21, <u>2026</u> LHS Fest	

Yearbook, Panoramic Photo, Cap & Gown are NOT included in Senior Dues

All Cap & Gowns are ordered through Herff Jones

** May not purchase ticket until all fees and dues are paid.



2026 Senior Dues

Includes:

Senior Sunrise, Senior Breakfast, Senior T-shirt, Senior blanket, Senior Stampede Events, Graduation Package (Diploma Cover, Diploma, transcripts, etc.), Senior Sunset, Senior Gift and Other Surprises.

OPTION 1:

Early Bird Special Aug. 1st - Dec 4th \$90



All the above plus Prom Ticket-

Early Bird Special Aug. 1st - Dec 4th - \$170



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Senior Parent Meeting Slides



Lamar Class of 2026



Parent Information Session
August 6, 2025

<https://tinyurl.com/Lamar2026>



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- Parent Socials * Teacher Wish Lists * Big & Bright Fundraising Campaign * The Alamo - Wraparound Services Donations * Fill the Gap - Corporate Giving * Lamar HS Yard Signs * Class T-Shirts * Teacher Appreciation * Texan Connection - PTO Newsletter * College Night * Parent Resources * Senior Class Activities * Campus Improvements & Beautification * Alumni Outreach

DONATE TO THE BIG AND BRIGHT CAMPAIGN
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LAMAR PTO

QUARTERLY MEETING

DATE
11 SEP 2025

TIME
AT 6.00 PM

LOC: GRAND HALL

SOCIAL AFTERWARDS
@ KIRBY ICEHOUSE



Lamar PTO
Presents:

BIG BRIGHT

Fundraising Campaign

\$75,000

\$60,000

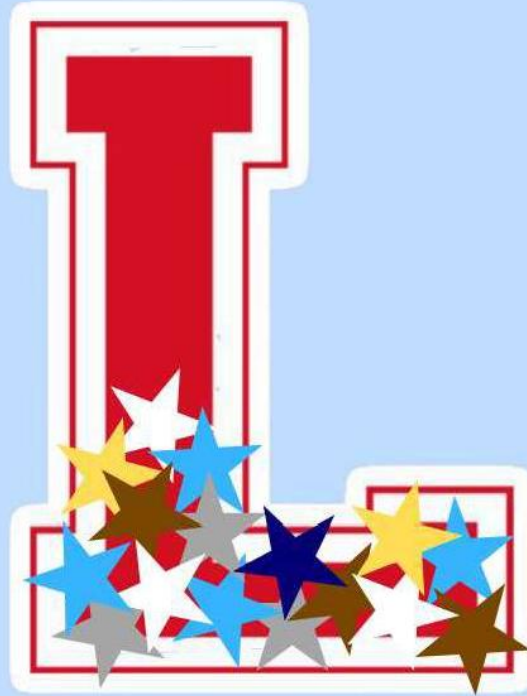
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Parent Social

LAMAR TEXANS FOOTBALL

PARENT SOCIAL
September 9th
5:00-7:00 PM

JOIN US AT CAPONE'S
2303 RICHMOND AVE., HOUSTON, TX 77098

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