

# Tornado Alley

*Texas Academy  
of Biomedical Sciences*



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# Make a plan now to prep for SAT

TABS' 11th-graders are scheduled to take the SAT on March 10. A high SAT score can lead to more college options and higher scholarship totals. It can also [exempt a student from the TSIA](#).

Students can study using the Bluebook app. It's already on their FWISD laptops and can be [downloaded for personal devices here](#). Other free options include [Khan Academy](#) and [Kaplan](#).

This year's mean score goal is 1010, up four points from last year. Let's go!

## STUFF TO DO

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### **“The Lion King” in concert**

*Jan. 30 and 31 | Bass Hall*

The Fort Worth Symphony brings this Disney classic to life. [Read more](#)



# Know the weather plan

When winter weather strikes, make sure you're getting only official information. The best resources are the [FWISD](#) and [TCC](#) websites. And remember: If TCC closes but FWISD doesn't, students are still expected to come to TABS.



## Save three lives at blood drive

The blood in your veins can save up to three lives. There's an exceptionally high need right now for A-, B+, B- and O-. [Register now](#) for the next TCC-TABS blood drive Jan. 27 and 28 in TRCF 2503 and 2505. Students who are 16 need a permission slip. Contact: [Ms. Griffith](#)

# It's chilly, so chill with your friends



It might be cold outside, but TABS will be warm and cozy for the Winter Festival. Enjoy games, food and more. Bring your friends and family from 5 to 8 p.m. Jan. 29 at TABS. Tickets cost 50 cents and can be used for activities or food. Purchase them at the door with cash or card. **Contact:** [Ms. Hicks](#)

## Meet university reps at fair

Check out up to 30 colleges and universities at the [DARN](#) College Fair. This year's fair will take place during advisory Jan. 29 in the TCC cafeteria. **Contact:** [Ms. Asbury](#)



## The zoo wants you!

The Fort Worth Zoo is hiring! Make at least \$14.50 an hour working in admissions, food service, operations and more. Flexible daytime hours are available. [Click here](#) to apply.

## Got that \$24k magic

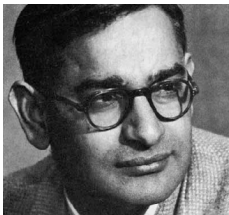
Fort Worth's Dream Big scholarship offers exam preparation courses, advising, mentoring and up to \$24,000 for your undergraduate journey. Grade 11 students can [apply now](#).  
Contact: [Ms. Asbury](#)

## HEROES

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### Har Gobind Khorana

Nobel laureate Har Gobind Khorana was a geneticist who focused on nucleotides and cell signaling. Born in India in the 1920s,



Khorana studied and taught in England, Switzerland and Canada and the United States, eventually landing at the [Massachusetts Institute of Technology](#). Khorana's work expanded our understanding of DNA. He died in Concord, Massachusetts, in 2011. [Read more](#)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

JAN. 22-FEB. 4

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- ◆ Jan. 27-28: Blood drive
- ◆ Jan. 29: DARN College Fair
- ◆ Jan. 29: Winter Festival
- ◆ Jan. 30: TCU Pre-health Ambassadors (11th)

# UNIVERSITY PROFILE



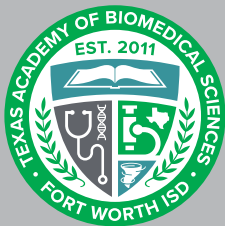
## The University of Manchester

Across the pond, in the 600,000-person city of Manchester, England, is the University of Manchester, a prestigious research university with substantial health science offerings.

- ◆ Location: [Manchester, England](#)
- ◆ Type: Public
- ◆ Setting: Large city
- ◆ Enrollment: 44,000

Find out more using the links below.

- ◆ [School website](#)
- ◆ [Admissions](#)
- ◆ [Financial aid](#)



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