

What is CCMR and a CCMR Indicator?

CCMR stands for College, Career, and Military Readiness. A CCMR indicator is a measure of a student's preparedness for success after high school, whether they choose to attend college, enter the workforce, or join the military. Meeting a CCMR indicator before graduation not only benefits students in their post-secondary pursuits but also qualifies them for certain district-provided incentives. As a priority of district CCMR initiatives, students will not be scheduled into **Off Campus or Office Aide** until they have met their CCMR indicator.

CCMR Indicators: Meet ONE of the following

- SAT Score – English 480+ and Math 530+
- ACT Score – English 19+, Math 19+, AND 23+ composite
- TSIA Score – English 945+ AND 5 on the Essay OR Math 950+ OR 910-949 (TSI test can be taken at Austin High School for FREE)
- Dual Course Credits $\geq$ 3 hours of dual-course credits in ELA OR Math OR $\geq$ 9 hours of dual course credits cumulated across subjects Houston Community College
- Complete an OnRamps course AND qualify for $\geq$ 3 hours of college credit
- AP Exam – Score 3 or higher on an AP exam
- Earn Industry Certification
- Earn an associate degree while in high school
- Graduate Under an Advanced Diploma Plan and be Identified as a Current Special Education Student
- Earn a Level I or Level II Certificate (P-Tech Students only)
- Military Enlistment – if the graduate enlists in the US armed forces by 12/31 immediately following HS graduation and the district uploads the completed DD FORM 4.

To support students in this, they will be taking the SAT School Day Exam on March 4th. This exam is a valuable opportunity to demonstrate college readiness and fulfill your CCMR requirement.

To help you prepare, we've compiled some SAT study resources:

Official SAT Practice (Khan Academy) – <https://www.khanacademy.org/test-prep/sat>
College Board SAT Prep – <https://satsuite.collegeboard.org/media/pdf/sat-school-daystudent-guide.pdf>

To clarify, students must achieve a minimum **SAT School Day score of 480+ in English and 530+ in Math** on the March exam. If students do not meet these minimum scores, they will have another opportunity to fulfill a CCMR indicator and qualify for an off-campus or office aide period by taking the TSIA exam. Additionally, students can sign up for the SAT and/or ACT on their own.

What is the TSIA?

The Texas Success Initiative Assessment (TSIA) is designed to assess college readiness in reading, writing, and mathematics. This exam helps determine whether students are prepared for college-level coursework or if additional support is needed. All incoming college students in Texas are required to take the TSIA unless they meet exemption criteria. Based on the results, they may either enroll directly in college-level courses or be placed in developmental coursework to strengthen your skills.

We strongly encourage juniors to take the TSIA while resources and support are readily available, ensuring a smoother transition into senior year and reducing stress later.

Incentives for Meeting CCMR Indicators

To encourage students to meet a CCMR indicator before graduation, the district has implemented incentives. These include:

- Off-campus privileges during the student's senior year
- A CCMR graduation cord recognizing their accomplishment
- Being officially designated as college and career ready.