



GOOSE CREEK

CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Goose Creek CISD's College and Career Week starts Nov. 1

Goose Creek CISD will hold its "College and Career Week" starting on Monday, Nov. 1 through Friday, Nov. 5.

During "College and Career Week," the district will provide information and encouragement to all students with regards to pursuing post-secondary education.

"College and Career Week is a part of GCCISD's commitment to preparing our students for postsecondary access," said Goose Creek CISD's Higher Education Transition Liaison LeRonda Lockhart.

"Through our Preparing to Dream grant, we have the opportunity to provide resources to our parents and students that will assist them through the college admissions and financial aid process. The workshops that will be hosted this week are not exclusive to our high school students. We encourage elementary and junior high school families to begin planning early and take advantage of this week's opportunities."

This year's "College Night" will be held at Goose Creek Memorial High School, 6001 E. Wallisville. The event will be held from 6 to 8 p.m.

College Night is an opportunity for all area students, parents, grandparents and friends to meet with representatives from colleges, technical schools and military organizations at one time and in one location.

Included is a Financial Aid Seminar to assist students and parents in completing the U.S. Department of Education's FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) form.

Participating organizations in College Night include Galveston College, Houston Baptist University, Howard Payne University, Lamar State College – Port Arthur, Lee College, Sam Houston State University, San Jacinto College District, Stephen F. Austin State University, Texas A & M University, Texas A & M University-Corpus Christi, Texas A & M Galveston, Texas State Technical College-Waco, Texas State University, Rice University, University of Iowa, Texas A&M-Kingsville, Texas Tech University, Tyler Junior College, University of Dallas, University of Houston-Clear Lake, University of North Texas, University of Saint Thomas, University of Texas-Arlington Ft. Worth Center, University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, University of Texas-Arlington, University of Texas-Austin, Lawrence Tech University, University of Phoenix, Remington College, Beacon Federal Credit Union, Everest Institute, Wyotech SE Texas Art Institute, College Cost Estimator, Purdue University, and Texas Barber Colleges & Hairstyling School.

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Here is a list of activities for College and Career Week:

Step 1 - Be A Pain!

Monday, November 1
College and Career Week Kick-Off
College Access Centers (Students Only)
Her Own Words: Professional Women in Nontraditional Careers
Location: Stuart Career Center
Time: 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

Step 2 - Push Yourself!

Tuesday, Nov. 2
Time to Speak Up! Young Men's Symposium
Location: Lee College Tucker Hall
Time: 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Step 3 - Find the Right Fit

Wednesday, Nov. 3
College Spirit Day Wear your favorite college shirt!
College Night
Location: Goose Creek Memorial High School
Time: 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

Step 4 - Get Your Hands on Some \$\$\$!

Thursday, Nov. 4
College Cost Seminar by David Murray of the National Center of College Costs
Location: Sterling High School
Time: 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
For questions about College and Career Week, contact Goose Creek CISD's Higher Education Transition Liaison LeRonda Lockhart at 281-420-1591 or via email at leronda.lockhart@gccisd.net.

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