



# Collegiate High School Overview

February 8, 2024



# Participating Local Education Agencies

- Clear Creek ISD
- Dickinson ISD
- Friendswood ISD
- Hitchcock ISD
- Odyssey Academy
- Santa Fe ISD
- Texas City ISD





# Mission

It is the mission of the Collegiate High School to prepare high school students to earn college credits in order to achieve their goals by providing a rigorous foundation of academic, interpersonal, and work-readiness skills, leading to further education and employment in high demand occupations in the state and global economies.



# CHS at a Glance

## Location

All classes are taken at College of the Mainland.

Participation in high school and college extra-curricular activities is encouraged.

## Target Students

Students who want the rigor and challenge of college courses, first generation college students, underserved student populations, and students from families of low socio-economic status.

## Goal

All students will work towards high school graduation and associate degree requirements simultaneously.

## Course Load

Students are enrolled as full-time college students and take a minimum of 12 college hours a semester.



# CHS at a Glance

## Age Level

Students may begin taking college classes as early as their ninth-grade year based on their school district's policy.

## Student Success

Student Success classes provide students with activities to learn how to be successful in college and the workplace.

## Textbooks

CHS maintains a textbook lending library.

## CHS Banquet

CHS holds a yearly Graduation Banquet where students receive CHS cords to wear at their public high school graduation ceremony.



# Cost of Collegiate High School

Collegiate High School students receive a tuition discount.

The college has adopted a new flat-rate tuition model effective Fall 2024. The cost for Collegiate High School students will be \$31 per credit hour. A 12-credit hour semester will be approximately \$372.





# Admissions Requirement

- Junior or Senior Classification or permission from high school
- Passing all state assessments
- Prefer completion of Algebra I
- College Ready





# Admissions Requirements

## Student

1. Meet with high school counselor for school procedures
2. Complete online application for COM (ApplyTexas)
3. Pass the TSIA2 Assessment (ACT/SAT/PSAT/EOC)  
Prepare for TSIA2:  
<https://tsia2.pearsonperspective.com>
4. Complete CHS application ([www.com.edu/chs](http://www.com.edu/chs))
5. Parents sign and complete recommendation form
6. Forward teacher, counselor and assistant principal recommendations
7. Write a personal essay
8. Submit completed application to your high school campus counselor or to the CHS office for private school students
9. Meningococcal Meningitis Vaccination required



# Admissions Requirements

## High School Counselor

1. Special needs or 504 documentation
2. Official transcript
3. Copies of Qualifying College Readiness Scores (needs to be official – see next slide)
4. Immunization Records
5. Review and approve completed applications
6. Forward to Collegiate High School



## Collegiate High School

1. Review application (Date input): Test scores and immunization records submitted to Admissions. Admissions converts applicant to COM student. Then, CHS converts to a CHS student.
2. Student and parent interview
3. CHS Staff make the final decision.



# College Readiness

High school students must be either college ready or dual credit eligible to take freshman-level college courses. Students can demonstrate college readiness or dual credit eligibility in a variety of methods.

 <b>College Ready<sup>1</sup></b>	 <b>Dual Credit Eligible<sup>2</sup></b>
<b>Demonstrate College Readiness*</b> Passing score on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• TSI Assessment (TSIA)</li><li>• SAT</li><li>• ACT</li><li>• STAAR EOC (4000)<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• English III and</li><li>• Algebra II (4000)</li></ul></li></ul> <p>* exemptions in TAC §4.85</p>	<b>Demonstrate dual credit eligibility:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• PSAT-MNSQT/Aspire</li><li>• English II EOC (4000)</li><li>• Algebra I EOC (4000) and Algebra II course (grade A, B, or C)</li></ul>

<sup>1</sup>70% likelihood of achieving A, B, or C in an entry-level college-credit course

<sup>2</sup>Not meeting the college readiness benchmark, but can ENROLL in a college-level course (by subject area)





# COLLEGIATE HIGH SCHOOL

## INDIVIDUAL GRADUATION PLAN (HB5)

Student Name (ID):

COM Program:

Associate of Arts-General Studies 2022-2023

Career Pathway:

Home Campus:

Graduation Year:

Date:

1/23/2023 10:00 AM

SUBJECT	HIGH SCHOOL								COLLEGE			
	9 <sup>th</sup> Fall	9 <sup>th</sup> Spring	10 <sup>th</sup> Fall	10 <sup>th</sup> Spring	11 <sup>th</sup> Fall	11 <sup>th</sup> Spring	12 <sup>th</sup> Fall	12 <sup>th</sup> Spring	FRESHMAN		SOPHOMORE	
English (4) <i>Lang, Phil &amp; Culture/Speech</i>	English IA	English IB	English IIA	English IIB	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1302	ENGL Lit	SPCH 1315 or 1318	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1302		Lang, Phil & Culture ENGL Lit
Math (3)*	Algebra IA	Algebra IB	Geometry A	Geometry B	Algebra IIA	Algebra IIB	Pre-Cal A or MATH	Pre-Cal B or MATH	Core Curriculum MATH			
Science (3)*	Biology A	Biology B	Chemistry A	Chemistry B	Physics A	Physics B	Life & Phys Science X4XX				Life & Phys Science X4XX	Life & Phys Science X4XX
Social Studies (2.5)	World Geography A	World Geography B	World History A	World History B	HIST 1301	HIST 1302	GOVT 2305		HIST 1301	HIST 1302, GOVT 2305	GOVT 2306	
Economics (0.5) <i>Soc/Beh Sci</i>								Economics or ECON 2301 or 2302		Soc/Beh Science ECON, PSYC or SOCI		
Languages or Computer Science (2)	Spanish I (J), Spanish IIA	Spanish IIB										
Fine Arts (1)			Art	Art							Creative Arts Elective	
Physical Education (1)	PE	PE										PHED 1164
Psychology for Success (Elective)					EDUC 1300				EDUC 1300			
Electives with Endorsements (9)* Multi Dis.	Elective	Elective	Elective, Elective	Elective, Elective		College Transitions	Path College & Career, Elective	Path College & Career, Elective	SPCH 1315 or 1318	Elective X3XX	Elective X3XX, Elective X3XX	Elective X3XX, Elective X3XX
# HS Credits (26)												
# College Semester Hours									15	15	16	14

\*At least four credits of Math and Science are recommended for university admission. With one additional math and science credit only 7 credits of Electives with Endorsements are required.  
(FHS Students must complete Speech and Health for HS credit.)

# Sample CHS Graduation Plan



# Course Format

Beginning Fall 2024, COM will increase the number of 8-week courses.

- Most 3-hour courses will be 8 weeks.
- Most 4-hour courses will be 16 weeks.
- Most online courses will be 8 weeks.

CHS Staff are still working on what a typical CHS schedule will look like, where HS classes will fit in, etc.

# Sample of a Current Schedule

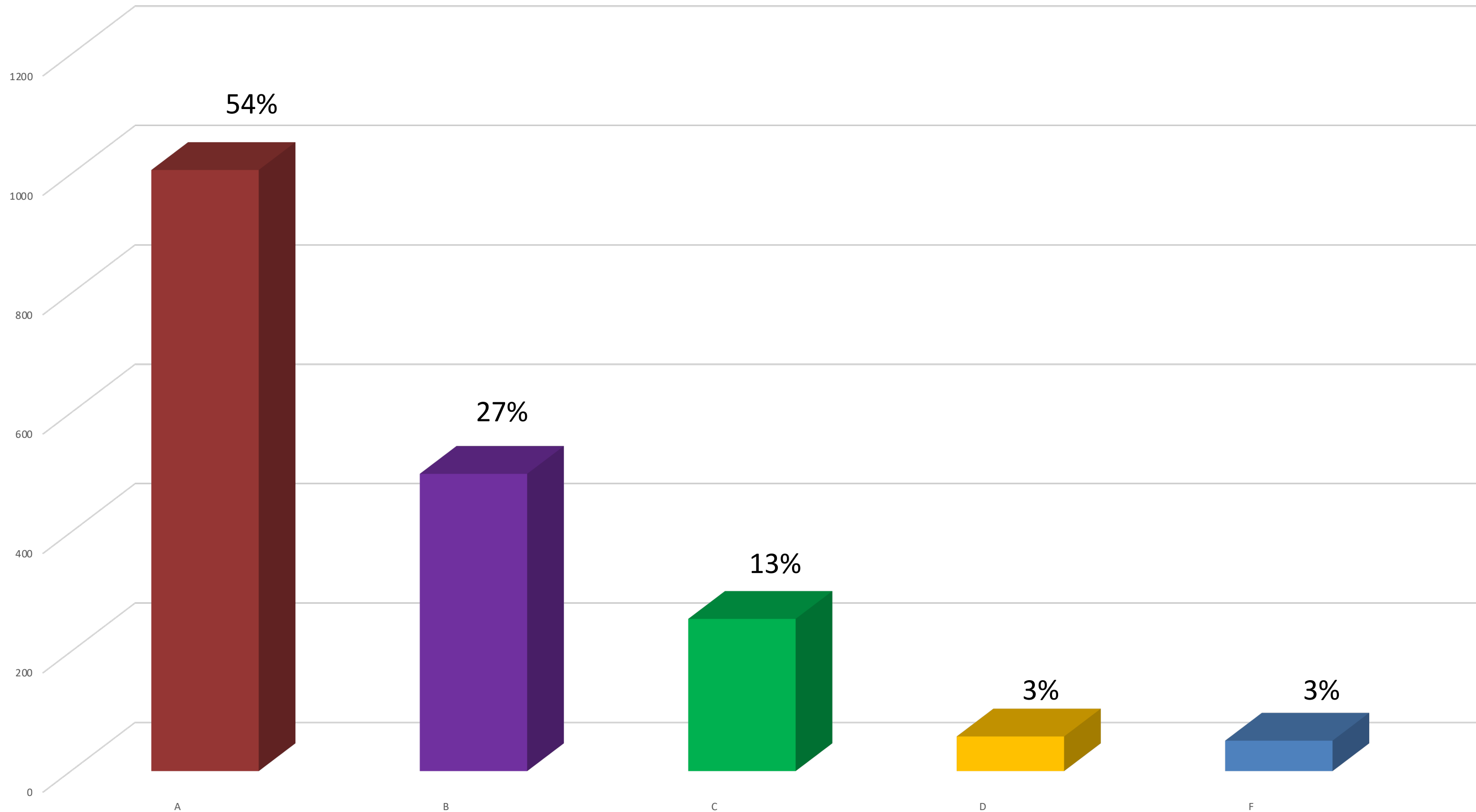
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
7:30-7:50							
8:00-8:20	<b>Physics</b>	<b>ENGL 1301</b>	<b>Physics</b>	<b>ENGL 1301</b>	8:00-8:55	<b>Physics</b>	
8:30-8:50					9:00-9:55		<b>English Supplement</b>
9:00-9:20					<b>Pre Cal</b>		
9:30-9:50	<b>HIST 1301</b>	<b>HIST 1301</b>	11:00-11:55	<b>Nu Psi</b>			
10:00-10:20			<b>Free</b>			<b>Free</b>	12:00-1:00
10:30-10:50	<b>CHS Success Class</b>	<b>CHS Success Class</b>					
11:00-11:20			<b>SPCH 1315</b>	<b>SPCH 1315</b>			
11:30-11:50					<b>BIOL 1406</b>	<b>BIOL 1406</b>	
12:00-12:20							
12:30-12:50							
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1:30-1:50							
2:00-2:20							
2:30-2:50							
3:00-3:20							
3:30-3:50							
4:00-4:20							
4:30-4:50							



# Preliminary Draft of a Fall 2024 Schedule

Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday										
	1st 8 Week	2nd 8 Week	1st 8 Week	2nd 8 Week	1st 8 Week	2nd 8 Week	1st 8 Week	2nd 8 Week										
7:30-7:50																		
8:00-8:20	<b>Physics</b>		<b>ENGL 1301 HY</b>	<b>SPCH 1318 HY</b>	<b>Physics</b>		<b>ENGL 1301 HY</b>	<b>SPCH 1318 HY</b>	8:00-8:55	<b>Physics</b>								
8:30-8:50			9:00-9:20	<b>Algebra 2</b>			<b>Algebra 2</b>		<b>Algebra 2</b>		9:00-9:55	<b>English Supplement</b>						
9:30-9:50			<b>Algebra 2</b>								<b>Algebra 2</b>		<b>Algebra 2</b>		10:00-10:20	<b>Biology Supplement</b>		
10:30-10:50	<b>College Hour</b>					<b>College Hour</b>									<b>College Hour</b>		11:00-11:20	<b>On Course to Success</b>
11:00-11:20					<b>EDUC 1300 (Success Class)</b>			<b>HIST 1301</b>	<b>EDUC 1300 (Success Class)</b>	<b>HIST 1301</b>							<b>EDUC 1300 (Success Class)</b>	
11:30-11:50			<b>College Hour</b>		<b>College Hour</b>			<b>College Hour</b>		<b>College Hour</b>		12:00-12:20	<b>CHS Advisory Period</b>					
12:30-12:50	<b>BIOL 1406</b>						<b>BIOL 1406</b>					<b>BIOL 1406</b>		<b>BIOL 1406</b>		1:00-1:20		
1:30-1:50																<b>BIOL 1406</b>		<b>BIOL 1406</b>
2:30-2:50			<b>BIOL 1406</b>		<b>BIOL 1406</b>				<b>BIOL 1406</b>		<b>BIOL 1406</b>							
3:30-3:50	<b>BIOL 1406</b>						<b>BIOL 1406</b>						<b>BIOL 1406</b>		<b>BIOL 1406</b>			
4:30-4:50																	<b>BIOL 1406</b>	
5:30-5:50			<b>BIOL 1406</b>		<b>BIOL 1406</b>				<b>BIOL 1406</b>		<b>BIOL 1406</b>							
6:30-6:50	<b>BIOL 1406</b>						<b>BIOL 1406</b>						<b>BIOL 1406</b>		<b>BIOL 1406</b>			
7:00-7:20																	<b>BIOL 1406</b>	

# 2022 – 2023 College Grades





# Other Components

- College Workshops/Seminars
- Employability Skills
- Portfolios
- CHS Success Class
- Extra-curricular Activities
- University, educational, community events
- Nu Psi – CHS Club at COM





# Critical Success Factors

High Academic Standards

Maturity

Self-Motivation

Responsibility

Goal Oriented





# F.A.S.T. Scholarship

**Students who qualified for the National Free/Reduced lunch program in any of the previous four academic years are eligible for the scholarship.**

**Those who qualify will not be charged for tuition, fees, textbooks or supplies.**

**COM will confirm student eligibility. No need to apply.**



# Opening Doors Promise Scholarship

## What is it?

The Opening Doors Promise Scholarship is a “last-dollar” scholarship opportunity that covers the cost of tuition and fees for any eligible graduating high school student pursuing full-time studies at COM.

Participating students can earn an associate degree or complete a workforce training certificate program.

## Participating Communities

Texas City  
La Marque  
Hitchcock  
Santa Fe  
Dickinson



Participation of Dickinson ISD students in Collegiate High School continues to increase each year. Students' complete courses at College of the Mainland that meet high school requirements and earn college credit at the same time. Many of our students graduate with an Associate of Arts degree before they receive their high school diploma. Collegiate High School provides our students with the challenge of college-level work, and it provides guidance and support to help students transition to college life. In addition, students and parents save a substantial amount of money on tuition because of our partnership with College of the Mainland.

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## CHS Application:

[www.com.edu/chs](http://www.com.edu/chs) (link is towards the  
bottom on left side)

## TSIA2 Practice Test Sites:

<https://tsia2.pearsonperspective.com>

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