Since 1993, TTUISD has served over 335,000 students from 63 countries.

TTUISD has provided an education to students in: Argentina, Australia, Bahamas, Belgium, Belize, Brazil, Cameroon, Canada, China, Colombia, Democratic Republic of Congo, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Egypt, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Guadeloupe, Honduras, Hong Kong, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kuwait, Laos, Malaysia, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Paraguay, Philippines, Qatar, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Slovakia, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Tanzania, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, United States and Zimbabwe.

On the Texas Tech University campus, Drane Hall is home to Texas Tech University Independent School District (TTUISD).
WELCOME
Texas Tech University Independent School District (TTUISD) is a Texas Education Agency (TEA) accredited program that offers education opportunities for K-12 students, schools and school districts. Our elementary, middle and high school options meet the same rigorous standards as traditional brick and mortar schools.

The difference is when and where the students learn.

TTUISD students have the opportunity to choose when and where they study – it doesn’t matter where they live or when they decide to start. Students can choose to enroll in our Full-time Diploma Program to pursue a Texas high school diploma or take courses and/or Credit by Exams (CBEs) to supplement their current school or home school curriculum. Regardless of the option students choose, they can begin at any time. Our self-paced courses have no enrollment deadlines.

So go ahead – explore with us!

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TTUISD HISTORY
The Texas Tech University High School Program was established by legislative and state board action in 1993 as a “Special Purpose District” designed to educate students with special situations and whose educational needs are not adequately met by traditional school districts. In 1998, the Commissioner of Education granted expansion of the program to include kindergarten through 8th grade. Currently, TTUISD serves kindergarten through 12th grade students.

ACCREDITATION
TTUISD is accredited by the Texas Education Agency and all courses and CBEs are aligned with the state-mandated Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS), which have been determined as important standards for students to learn and apply throughout a course. Upon graduation, high school students earn a Texas high school diploma.

**Please be advised that this course catalog is contingent on future decisions of the Texas Education Agency, the State Board of Education and the Texas Legislature. Find the most up-to-date information on our website.

The information contained in this catalog supersedes all prior catalogs. The tuition and fees listed in this catalog became effective 9/1/15. While every effort has been made to ensure accuracy in reporting courses, policies, fees and other statements within this publication, the district reserves the right to make changes at any time without notice.

*Cover photos are TTUISD students.
2013-14 Highlights & Statistics

DOMESTIC COLLABORATION

TTUISD works with more than five organizations in the United States to offer courses, CBEs and diplomas. These collaborations provide organizations with quality solutions to meet their specific needs.

INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION

TTUISD has academic endeavors in Brazil, China and Mexico. Fifty-eight schools in Brazil have reached record growth. Currently, over 1,900 Brazilian students pursue a Texas high school diploma without leaving their country. Over 860 students have graduated with a Texas high school diploma since 2002.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

- 310 graduates from five states and six foreign countries
- Highest GPA of 4.46
- 21 students with GPA of 4.0 or higher
- Average GPA of 2.83
- Average SAT scores were 559 verbal; 556 math and; 525 writing
- Average ACT composite score of 26
- SAT and ACT scores above the state and national average

AVG SAT/ACT SCORES OF GRADUATES

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TTUISD TOTAL GRADUATES

- 2010-11: 152
- 2011-12: 142
- 2012-13: 159
- 2013-14: 172

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TTUISD ALUMNUS
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CURRENT TTUISD STUDENT  
ASPIRING ACTOR
“I wasn’t trained to be a teacher. I love that I can open the curriculum and it says what to do.”
- Keri Sherman, Mother

HAYLEY ORRANTIA  
TTUISD ALUMNA
Hayley and her group, Lakoda Rayne, were top nine finalists on The X-Factor U.S.A. 2011, and she currently portrays Erica Goldberg on the ABC comedy series The Goldbergs.

LEVEN RAMBIN  
TTUISD ALUMNA
Leven appeared in the movie, The Hunger Games, and television shows: All My Children, Grey’s Anatomy, Terminator: The Sarah Connor Chronicles, One Tree Hill, Wizards of Waverly Place and CSI: Miami.

PARKER PAYNE  
CURRENT TTUISD STUDENT  
WORLD CHAMPION AMATEUR SURFER
“Homeschooling (with TTUISD) really takes a lot of pressure off of ‘school’ with the flexibility of the schedule.”
- Parker Payne

ASHLEY ADAMS  
TTUISD ALUMNA  
TTU STUDENT, MEMBER OF RANCH HORSE TEAM
“I wouldn’t be here today if it wasn’t for the great TTUISD [program] that let me get done extremely fast and keep up with the pace I wanted to do.”
- Ashley Adams

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**TTUISD Educational Program Options**

Through TTUISD, students can enroll in the Full-time Diploma Program to work toward achieving a Texas high school diploma, or supplement their current school or homeschool curriculum. To help decide which path you need, read more about our options.

**OPTION 1: INDIVIDUAL (SUPPLEMENTAL)**

There are two options for supplementing current school or homeschool curriculum. Students can choose courses and/or Credit by Exams (CBEs) to:

- Graduate on time or early
- Make up failed credits (credit recovery)
- Earn credits during the summer

Before enrolling in a course or CBE, students at public, private or charter schools should check with a school counselor or principal to ensure the credit from TTUISD will be accepted. Failure to receive approval could cause enrollment delays and may result in the school not granting credit.

**OPTION 2: FULL-TIME DIPLOMA PROGRAM**

The TTUISD Full-time Diploma Program offers flexible educational opportunities for many non-traditional students including:

- Homeschool students
- Actors, dancers and athletes
- Military families
- Families who travel or move often
- Families living overseas
- Adults finishing high school
- Hospital/homebound students
- Students looking for an accredited school that enables them to complete coursework and pursue a Texas high school diploma without attending a physical location

Students become part of the Texas Tech family when they enroll as a full-time student in TTUISD elementary, middle or high school. In the TTUISD Full-time Diploma Program, students can earn a Texas high school diploma regardless of where he or she lives. Whether enrolled full-time in online or print courses, students will work closely with TTUISD’s Texas-certified staff of advisors and administrators to ensure the successful completion of all requirements to earn a diploma. Requirements by grade level are available online at www.ttuisd.ttu.edu. Each spring, TTUISD hosts a graduation ceremony on the Texas Tech campus to honor our high school graduates.

To get started now, visit www.ttuisd.ttu.edu/enroll.

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**TTUISD Credit Options**

**COURSES**

TTUISD offers more than 150 different online and print courses. Students can enroll in courses to help supplement school or homeschool curriculum to earn elementary, middle or high school credit.

- **Begin at any time.** Our courses are self-paced and there are no enrollment deadlines.
- **All courses have required lessons and a final exam.**
- **Students have six months from the date of enrollment to complete a course, including the final exam.** Print courses cannot be completed in less than 60 days. Online courses cannot be completed in less than 30 days.
- **Textbooks and materials may be required and are not included in TTUISD fees.**
- **All exams must be taken under the supervision of an approved proctor.**

See Course Listings on pages 9-12.

**CREDIT BY EXAMS (CBES)**

Students who need an accelerated option can choose to test out of a subject with over 150 print-based Credit by Exams (CBEs). TTUISD’s CBEs are exams designed to evaluate a student’s mastery of a given subject or discipline relative to Texas standards. Upon passing a CBE, a student is given credit for completing the associated course.

- **Enroll at anytime.** CBEs are offered year-round.
- **Students have 60 days from the date of enrollment to take a CBE – no extensions, transfers or refunds.**
- **Purchasing textbooks is not required. Students have access to TTUISD’s CBE Review Sheets at www.ttuisd.ttu.edu to prepare for each exam.**
- **Students who take a CBE will receive a numerical grade for the exam. No assessment or feedback, such as notation or correct answers, is given.**
- **CBEs must be taken under the supervision of an approved proctor.**

See CBE Listings on page 8.

Students not enrolled in the TTUISD Full-time Diploma program must obtain approval from their school counselor or principal before enrolling in a course or CBE. Failure to do so may result in delayed enrollment or necessary credit not being granted.
Solutions For Schools & Districts

TESTING SOLUTIONS
Credit by Exams (CBEs) available through TTUISD are aligned with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS). Texas schools, districts, regional service centers and other agencies can order exams and pay by purchase order or invoice from Texas Tech University.

DROPOUT PREVENTION
The Full-time Diploma program is a turnkey solution that high schools and districts can recommend to at-risk students. Students who transfer into TTUISD will not count against the school or district’s dropout rate.

CREDIT RECOVERY
Students who have failed a course can enroll in one of over 150 TTUISD online or print-based, self-paced courses to recover credit. TTUISD also offers more than 150 print-based CBEs that enable students to test out of subjects.

CUSTOMIZED EDUCATION SOLUTIONS
We offer customized solutions to meet many educational needs. TTUISD works with many clients including public and private schools and other educational organizations. Contact ttuisd@ttu.edu for more information.

INSTITUTIONAL PRICING FOR TESTING SERVICES (BULK CBES)
$23 each
(Standard Shipping Included)
Expedited shipping is available at an additional cost. No refunds. TTUISD allows six months to take a CBE.

NOTE:
Students who take a CBE will receive a numerical grade for the exam. No assessment or feedback, such as notation of correct or incorrect answers, is given.

COUNSELOR PORTAL
Access your progress 24/7 by visiting www.courseportal.uc.ttu.edu/ttuisd-portal
Information about CBEs ordered in bulk is not available on the Counselor Portal.
Texas Tech University

RECRUITMENT INTO TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY

TTUISD wants to help you transition from high school into Texas Tech University.

Texas Tech University is the only campus in Texas that is home to a major university, law school and medical school. With 10 colleges, 150 undergraduates degrees, 100 master’s degrees and more than 50 doctoral programs, Texas Tech University currently offers the knowledge and skills to excel in almost any field of study. In addition to academics, Texas Tech is proud to support its Red Raider athletic teams.

TTUISD SCHOLARSHIPS FOR TTUISD STUDENTS

TTUISD welcomes our full-time seniors and former graduates who plan to attend or are already attending Texas Tech University to apply for a $1,000 renewable scholarship. This scholarship is competitive and is reviewed on a first-come, first-serve basis. Receiving this scholarship qualifies students for in-state tuition rates.

Eligibility Requirements
Applicants must:
• Be a full-time TTUISD senior and have successfully completed 20 or more credits with a minimum cumulative adjusted GPA of 3.0 or higher; OR
• Be a former TTUISD graduate who graduated with a minimum cumulative adjusted GPA of 3.0 or higher.

How to Apply
• Applicants must first apply to Texas Tech University to be considered
• Provide official transcript if not currently enrolled in TTUISD
• Complete Scholarship application including a one-page support letter describing how this award will contribute to and/or enhance your academic success. (Scholarship application can be found online at www.ttuisd.ttu.edu)

For more information about TTUISD Scholarships and Recruitment, contact Jared Lay, Director of Recruitment and Camps at (806) 834-0801 or jared.lay@ttu.edu or visit www.ttuisd.ttu.edu.
### Credit by Exam Listing

#### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

**Kindergarten**
- ELAR K - English Language Arts & Reading
- MATH K - Mathematics
- SCI K - Science
- SOCS K - Social Studies

**First Grade**
- ELAR 1 - English Language Arts & Reading
- MATH 1 - Mathematics
- SCI 1 - Science
- SOCS 1 - Social Studies

**Second Grade**
- ELAR 2 - English Language Arts & Reading
- MATH 2 - Mathematics
- SCI 2 - Science
- SOCS 2 - Social Studies

**Third Grade**
- ELAR 3 - English Language Arts & Reading
- MATH 3 - Mathematics
- SCI 3 - Science
- SOCS 3 - Social Studies

**Fourth Grade**
- ELAR 4 - English Language Arts & Reading
- MATH 4 - Mathematics
- SCI 4 - Science
- SOCS 4 - Social Studies

**Fifth Grade**
- ELAR 5 - English Language Arts & Reading
- MATH 5 - Mathematics
- SCI 5 - Science
- SOCS 5 - Social Studies

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL

**Sixth Grade**
- ART 6A - Art
- ART 6B - Art

**English Language Arts**
- COMMAPP - Communication Applications
- ENG 1A - English I
- ENG 1B - English I
- ENG 2A - English II
- ENG 2B - English II
- ENG 3A - English III

**Mathematics**
- HSNTENG - Hebrew Scriptures and New Testament

**Science**
- BIO 1A - Biology
- BIO 1B - Biology
- CHEM 1A - Chemistry
- CHEM 1B - Chemistry

**Health & Physical Education**
- FPF - Foundations of Personal Fitness
- PEIN - Individual Sports (Bowling/Tennis)

**Social Studies, Texas & U.S. History**
- ECO-FE - Economics with Emphasis on the Free Enterprise System and Its Benefits
- GOVT - United States Government
- US HIS 1A - United States History Since Reconstruction
- US HIS 1B - United States History Since Reconstruction
- WHIST 2A - World History Studies
- WHIST 2B - World History Studies

**Languages other than English**
- FREN 1A - French I
- FREN 1B - French I
- FREN 2A - French II
- FREN 2B - French II
- GERM 1A - German I
- GERM 1B - German I
- GERM 2A - German II
- GERM 2B - German II
- LAT 1A - Latin I
- LAT 1B - Latin I
- LAT 2A - Latin II
- LAT 2B - Latin II
- SPAN 1A - Spanish I
- SPAN 1B - Spanish I
- SPAN 2A - Spanish II
- SPAN 2B - Spanish II
- SPAN 3A - Spanish III
- SPAN 3B - Spanish III

**Electives**
- BANKFIN - Banking and Finance
- BUSIM 1A - Business Information Management I
- BUSIM 1B - Business Information Management I
- CHILLOD - Child Development
- DIMED 1A - Digital and Interactive Media
- DIMED 1B - Digital and Interactive Media
- DOLLARS - Dollars and Sense
- HLTH ED - Health Education
- INTERSTU - Interpersonal Studies
- MONEY 1A - Money Matters
- MONEY 1B - Money Matters
- PRINT 1A - Principles of Information Technology
- PRINT 1B - Principles of Information Technology
- PSYCH - Psychology
- SOC - Sociology
- TAWEBDN 1A - Web Design
- TAWEBND 1B - Web Design

### High School

**English Language Arts**
- COMMAPP - Communication Applications
- ENG 1A - English I
- ENG 1B - English I
- ENG 2A - English II
- ENG 2B - English II
- ENG 3A - English III
- ENG 3B - English III
- ENG 4A - English IV
- ENG 4B - English IV

**Mathematics**
- ALG 1A - Algebra I
- ALG 1B - Algebra I
- ALG 2A - Algebra II
- ALG 2B - Algebra II
- GEOM 1A - Geometry
- GEOM 1B - Geometry
- MTHM 1A - Mathematical Models with Applications
- MTHM 1B - Mathematical Models with Applications
- PRE CALC 1A - Precalculus
- PRE CALC 1B - Precalculus

**Science**
- BIO 1A - Biology
- BIO 1B - Biology
- CHEM 1A - Chemistry
- CHEM 1B - Chemistry
- ENVRSYS 1A - Environmental Systems
- ENVRSYS 1B - Environmental Systems
- IPC 1A - Integrated Physics and Chemistry
- IPC 1B - Integrated Physics and Chemistry
- PHY 1A - Physics
- PHY 1B - Physics

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**Note:** TTUISD is currently working to assure the following CBEs are approved to substitute the End-of-Course exams in Texas: English I (A&B); English II (A&B); Biology (A&B); U.S. History (A&B); Algebra I (A&B). Direct all questions to Superintendent Jim Taliaferro at (806) 834-2004.

CBEs with an A or B next to them indicates one test for each 0.5 credit. In order to receive a full credit in one subject, the student must pass both A and B exams. Elementary (K-5) CBEs have one test per subject per grade level worth a full credit. Students who take a CBE will receive a numerical grade for the exam. No assessment or feedback, such as notation of correct or incorrect answers, is given.
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- **MATH KA** Mathematics K, First Semester: $185, n/a
- **MATH KB** Mathematics K, Second Semester: $185, n/a
- **SC  KA** Science K, First Semester: $185, n/a
- **SC  KB** Science K, Second Semester: $185, n/a
- **SOCS KA** Social Studies K, First Semester: $185, n/a
- **SOCS KB** Social Studies K, Second Semester: $185, n/a

### FIRST GRADE
- **ELAR 1A** English/Language Arts and Reading 1, First Semester: $185, n/a
- **ELAR 1B** English/Language Arts and Reading 1, Second Semester: $185, n/a
- **MATH 1A** Mathematics 1, First Semester: $185, n/a
- **MATH 1B** Mathematics 1, Second Semester: $185, n/a
- **SC  1A** Science 1, First Semester: $185, n/a
- **SC  1B** Science 1, Second Semester: $185, n/a
- **SOCS 1A** Social Studies 1, First Semester: $185, n/a
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### SECOND GRADE
- **ELAR 2A** English/Language Arts and Reading 2, First Semester: $185, n/a
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- **SC  2A** Science 2, First Semester: $185, n/a
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- **SOCS 2A** Social Studies 2, First Semester: $185, n/a
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### THIRD GRADE
- **ELAR 3A** English/Language Arts and Reading 3, First Semester: $185, n/a
- **ELAR 3B** English/Language Arts and Reading 3, Second Semester: $185, n/a
- **MATH 3A** Mathematics 3, First Semester: $185, n/a
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### FIFTH GRADE
- **ELAR 5A** English/Language Arts and Reading 5, First Semester: $185, n/a
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- **SOCS 5A** Social Studies 5, First Semester: $185, n/a
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TTUISD continues to add courses throughout the year. Please check our website for additional or new course offerings. Textbook and materials are additional cost. Please be advised that this course catalog is contingent on future decisions of the Texas Education Agency, the State Board of Education, and the Texas Legislature. Find the most up-to-date information on our website or in the online version of the catalog.
TTUISD is proud to partner with the Institute for the Development and Enrichment of Advanced Learners (IDEAL) and their Shake Hands with Your Future program in order to host the Texas Tech Summer Camps. Since 2012, TTUISD’s academic summer program has generated excitement about higher education and attending Texas Tech University.

**IDEAL**
IDEAL at Texas Tech University was established in 1984 to open the eyes of thousands of students to the endless adventures in science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics (STEAM). IDEAL offers a variety of programs that encourage K-12 students to pursue a post-secondary education, introduce students to new fields of study and provide a hands on learning environment to encourage academic success. For more information, go to [http://www.depts.ttu.edu/diversity/ideal/](http://www.depts.ttu.edu/diversity/ideal/).

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Frequently Asked Questions

How do I begin the enrollment process?

Visit our website and follow the ENROLL NOW link on the homepage www.ttuisd.ttu.edu or call local (806) 742-7101 or toll free (800) 692-6887.

Students using courses or CBEs to supplement current curriculum should check with their school counselor or principal to ensure necessary credit will be accepted from TTUISD.

Do you accommodate students with disabilities?

TTUISD’s curriculum is developed to meet the standards of the State of Texas and the Texas Education Agency. The course content and the exams cannot be modified, however accommodations will be implemented based on the student’s current IEP or 504 documentation. Please note that distance education presents different challenges than those inherent in traditional classroom-based instruction, and the curriculum is reading and writing intensive. TTUISD strives to offer exceptional education programs that meet the needs of students with disabilities for student’s whose IEP reflects that TTUISD is an appropriate placement and is the student’s least restrictive environment.

Information regarding available disability accommodations should be obtained before enrolling in a course or CBE. A student requesting accommodations must submit either a current (within the last three years), signed Individual Education Plan from the Admission, Review, and Dismissal (ARD) committee report or a 504 Accommodation Form from the public school district in which the student is currently (or was previously) enrolled, describing any special considerations necessary to take a course and/or exams. This must be done prior to enrollment in a course or CBE.

Accommodations applied to one course do not automatically apply to other courses. Students should be specific as to which courses they are requesting accommodations for.

Non full-time students should coordinate with their school counselor concerning local school policies and other requirements.

How long do I have to complete a course or CBE?

Students have six months from the date of enrollment to complete a course, including the final exam. Print courses cannot be completed in less than 60 days and online courses cannot be completed in less than 30 days. If a student is enrolled in two or more courses at the same time, the expiration date will be the same for all courses. Extensions may be granted upon request for a fee.

Students have 60 days after the date of enrollment to complete a CBE. No extensions are granted.

What if I fail to meet my deadline for a course or CBE?

If a student is unable to complete a course on or before the expiration date, they may request a one-month extension for $30 (up to 5) or a six-month extension for $60. A course and its extensions can not exceed one year from the original date of purchase. An extension must be requested before the course expiration date.

Extensions, refunds and transfers will not be granted for CBEs. Extensions are not transferable.

What is the difference between an online and print course?

The course delivery systems are different. Students will access their online course(s) from the Course Portal and submit their assignments online. All online classes require a TTUISD username and password to log onto the Course Portal.

With a print-based course your assignments will be submitted either through the mail in the postage paid envelopes provided with your printed course materials, or by email or fax. You will still be able to check grades, request an exam, and access other course information through the Course Portal.

Are textbooks included in the price of a course?

Textbooks may be required for courses but the cost is not included in the course fees. Textbooks can be purchased through our online bookstore partner, MBS Direct at http://bookstore.mbsdirect.net/ttuisd.htm.

Textbooks are not required for CBEs; review sheets are available at www.ttuisd.ttu.edu.

What is the state-required testing?

STAAR - Students in grades 3-8 are expected to take the STAAR Reading and Mathematics to meet the requirements for graduation as determined by the Texas Legislature: English I, English II, Algebra I, Biology and U.S. History.

Students in grades 5 and 8 are expected to take the STAAR Reading and Mathematics to meet the Student Success Initiate per the Texas Legislature.

STAAR-EOC - Students who entered the 9th grade for the first time during or after the 2011-12 school year, must pass the five State of Texas Assessment of Academic Readiness End-of-Course Exams (STAAR EOC) to meet the requirements for graduation as determined by the Texas Legislature: English I, English II, Algebra I, Biology and U.S. History.

For more information see the TTUISD Student Handbook and TTUISD Policies, both available at www.ttuisd.ttu.edu/forms_and_downloads.php, or visit www.ttuisd.ttu.edu/faqs.php.