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New Year, New Look!

Happy Holidays from TSTC Waco Recruiting Services!

College Preview & Open House



Get ready for annual premier TSTC event of the year – College Preview, set for 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 4-5 on the grounds of the TSTC Waco campus. College Preview and Open House is an annual event that draws more than 1,000 people from throughout Texas. During preview you can tour the labs, visit with faculty, check out housing, meet with financial aid and admissions reps and enjoy a free lunch. With more than 100 offerings, there is virtually something for everyone.

To find out more about the event, contact TSTC's Chris Gropp at 254.867.4806, or e-mail chris.gropp@tstc.edu.

Spring Registration

Class registration for the spring 2008 semester continues 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays through Wednesday, Dec. 19. Registration will resume after the holiday break on Wednesday, Jan. 2. Hours will be extended from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 3, the last official day to register for the spring term. Spring classes begin Monday, Jan. 7.

Region 12 Workshop

The Region 12 High School Counselors Workshop, to be held Tuesday, Dec. 11, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at TSTC's Women's Resource Center, will feature a representative of the THECB. A free breakfast and lunch will be served. To find out more, contact Jackie Adler at 254.867.3620 or e-mail jackie.adler@tstc.edu.



Tech-Connect New Year, New Look

The Cooperative Education office at TSTC is unveiling a new initiative in dual credit and articulation to help streamline the process for you and your students.

Project Manager Anita Steele and Staff Assistant Tammy Turner are here to help your students get the technical connection they need to get a jump on their college career by way of dual credit and articulation.

To find out more about Tech-Connect, contact Anita Steele at 254.867.4860 or Tammy Turner at 254.867.3062 or e-mail tech.connect@tstc.edu.

tech-connect
Get the connection.

Things of Note & Upcoming Events * * * * *

Counselor & Teacher Luncheon We're celebrating all you do to help students achieve their educational goals from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 15, at the Industrial Technology Center. During the event, sponsored by TSTC and the Region XII Education Service Center, you can earn CE credit and tour TSTC programs. There will also be a special award presentation.

Register online by Feb. 8 at www.esc12.net. For more information e-mail nanette.torres@tstc.edu or call 254.867.4835.

On the Road Again **TSTC Roadshow**

TSTC Waco recruiting staff will hit the road to a school near you. Their first stop will be Thursday, Dec. 13, at the Academy SPJST Hall, in Academy, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. On-hand for the Discover TSTC Road Show will be representatives of each technology and student services departments, allowing visitors to meet with instructors, admission

advisors, counselors, financial aid officers and housing representatives. This is a come and go event, so if you plan to be in the area, feel free to drop in at any time or contact **Jeff Pyeatt** at **254.867.4813** or via e-mail at **jeff.pyeatt@tstc.edu**.

Other upcoming road shows:
La Grone Technology Complex,
Denton - Thursday, Jan. 24

Gatesville High School,
Gatesville - Friday, March 7

Bell Tech Center **Awarded Grant**

Bell Area Technical Center was awarded a \$50,000 state grant and a \$20,000 gift from the Belton Economic Development Corp. The center opened in the fall and offers dual-credit EMT and automotive courses.

George Williams, TSTC Waco instructor, teaches the Introduction to Automotive Tech course to Bell County area students, priming them in everything from basic metal fabrication to oil changes. Students in the automotive class can earn six or seven college credits and skip two basic courses if they decide to attend TSTC.



Happy Holidays **From TSTC's Recruiting Staff**

Meet the TSTC Waco Recruiting Staff, who want to wish everyone a happy holiday. They are always more than happy to answer any questions you may have. Just call **254.867.2360**.



Front Row (l-r) **Sheryl Kattner-Allen** (admissions advisor), **Autumn Outlaw** (admissions advisor), **Kasey Darnell** (staff assistant)
Nanette Torres (admissions advisor)

Middle Row (l-r) **Marcus Balch** (director of Recruiting Services), **Art Residori** (admissions advisor), **Jeff Pyeatt** (admissions advisor),
Sharon Gatlin (Software Integration specialist)

Back Row (l-r) **Sharon Weems** (staff assistant), **Chris Gropp** (recruiting coordinator) and **Lucy Price** (admissions advisor)

Have a safe and happy holiday season!
We look forward to working with you in the coming year.