

Texas Higher Education COORDINATING BOARD

ApplyTexas Updates

Dear ApplyTexas Partners,

Please see the ApplyTexas enhancements released during yesterday's maintenance period. You can also find an update to the Help Desk schedule.

Admin Portal Enhancements:

- Updated admission deadline displays for Trinity University
- Updated pause transmission functionality
- Updated Application Transmission for users to retransmit by date and time
- Improved search email function to include lowercase and uppercase letters
- Updated Banner on home screen

Applicant Portal Enhancements:

- Updated the Application screener flow to direct current high school students to the citizenship question
- Updated institution graduation rates in the School Search to read null if data is unavailable
- Updated field validation for date of birth
- Updated character limit and added message to indicate character limit in Essay section

- Updated Application review page to remove check enforced for residency affidavit consent when residency affidavit consent is not displayed
- Updated the application review page flags validation for items that are not required
- Updated submission process for dual credit application
- Improved messaging on the Login screen for applicants without an account or email
- Updated question order for parent/guardian's residency
- Updated conditional logic for Texas Residency question for attending another institution.
- Updated question order for Texas residency/property section
- Updated search functionality to enable applicants to search by key word in School Search
- Updated Banner on home screen

Counselor Suite Enhancements:

- Updated Banner on home screen
- Updated logic to include high school students based on graduation date

System updates:

- Updated databases across all portals
- Name changes:
 - Southwest Texas Junior College to Southwest Texas College
 - Sul Ross State University - Rio Grande College to Sul Ross State University - Rio Grande College (Del Rio, Eagle Pass, Uvalde)
 - Sul Ross State University to Sul Ross State University- Alpine
- Added new school district and high school: Rockport - Fulton ISD

Help Desk Support Schedule

The ApplyTexas Help Desk support will be unavailable on Monday, January 20, 2025, and Monday, February 17, 2025. Help Desk support will resume the following Tuesday at 8:00 a.m. CT.

We will continue to keep you apprised of any updates or changes as they are available.

As a reminder, for training materials, previous webinars and other resources, please visit the [Redesigned ApplyTexas - Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board site](#).

Sincerely,

The ApplyTexas Team

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