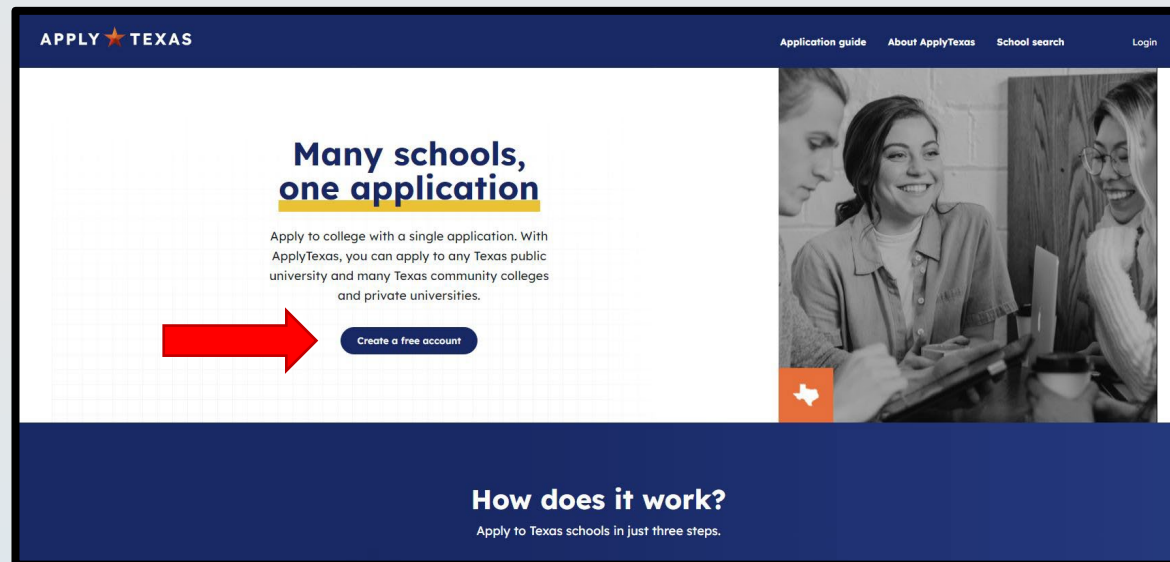


STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO APPLY TEXAS – FALL 2025

For Dual Credit Students at Collin College

CREATE AN ACCOUNT



Click “Create a Free Account.” Use a personal email address you will have access to (do not use your ISD email address).

STEP 1: FIND THE RIGHT APPLICATION

High school status

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On this page, let us know if you are in middle or high school currently and if you are applying for dual credit. We use your response to determine which application you should use.

Are you currently in high school or middle school? *

☒ YES

☐ NO

Do you plan to apply to an undergraduate program, dual credit program, or both? * 

☐ Undergraduate program

☒ Dual credit (e.g., taking college courses for credit while in high school)

☐ Both (more common for 12th grade students)


[Back to dashboard](#)

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STEP 1: FIND THE RIGHT APPLICATION

Course history

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On this page, enter information about previous college credit you earned. We use this to determine if you are applying as a first-year, transfer, graduate, or other type of student.

Have you ever taken college courses? *1

☐ YES ☐ NO

Do you plan to apply to an undergraduate program, graduate program, or both? *1

☐ Graduate program

☐ Undergraduate program

☐ Both

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- **Question 1:** Select “Yes” if you’ve taken college courses (AP does NOT count)
- **Question 1:** Select “No” if you have NOT taken college courses
- **Question 2:** Select “Undergraduate Program”
- Select “Next”

COMPLETE STEP 1: FIND THE RIGHT APPLICATION



Great job!

You've completed the first step in applying to a school! Based on your answers, these are the types of applications you're eligible for:



Undergraduate (4 year)

Apply to complete a Bachelor's degree as a first-year US student.



Undergraduate (2 year)

Apply to complete an Associate degree or career certificate program as a first-year US student.

Not seeing what you expected?

If the results don't include a type you were looking for, [update your responses](#).

You can also learn how your responses determine your eligibility. [?](#)



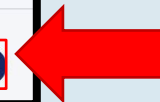
Next up: Complete Core Questions

Core Questions are a set of common questions you can use to apply to multiple schools.

[Go to Dashboard](#)

[Start Core Questions](#)

- You should see this screen once you've completed your Preliminary Questions
- Click "Start Core Questions"



STEP 2: CORE QUESTIONS

- Begin with the “About You” section
- Fill this information out to the best of your ability

Core Questions

✓ About you

✓ Your name

✓ Contact

✓ Background

✓ Military status

✓ Foster care

✓ Language

✓ Household

✓ Education and testing

✓ Activities and achievements

About you

Here's what to expect:

To begin, we ask for your name, background, and other personal information. Schools need this information to contact you, track documents, and determine financial aid. Schools may use this information when evaluating your application.

1 • Your name

Information such as first, last, middle, and preferred names

2 • Contact

Contact information including phone, email, and address

3 • Background

Demographic information like gender, ethnicity, and race

4 • Military status

Questions related to you and your parent/guardian's military service (if applicable)

5 • Foster care

Questions related to time spent in foster care (if applicable)

6 • Language

Details about what languages you speak fluently in addition to English (if applicable)

STEP 2: CORE QUESTIONS

Core Questions

✓ About you

✓ Household

⊙ Parents or guardians

⊙ Emergency contact

⊙ Texas residency

⊙ Family obligations

○ Family information

✓ Education and testing

✓ Activities and achievements

Household

Here's what to expect:

In this section, we ask about your household. This includes questions about your parents or guardians, emergency contacts, and residency status. Schools may use this information when evaluating your application.

1 • Parents or guardians

Questions about their contact information, education level, and income

2 • Emergency contact

Contact information for who schools should reach out to in an emergency

3 • Texas residency

Questions related to where you live and you or your parent/guardian's tax information

4 • Family obligations

Questions about commitments you have to support your family or household

5 • Family information

Questions about immediate family (if applicable)

- Once you complete the “About You” section, you’ll continue onto the “Household” Section
- Fill this information out to the best of your ability

STEP 2: CORE QUESTIONS

The screenshot shows a web interface for 'Core Questions'. On the left is a sidebar with a list of sections: 'About you', 'Household', 'Education and testing' (highlighted), 'High school information', 'College history', 'Advanced certifications', 'Entrance exams', and 'Activities and achievements'. The main content area has a dark blue header with the title 'Education and testing'. Below this, a section titled 'Here's what to expect:' explains that the section asks about high school and college classes. It then lists four sub-sections: 1. High school information (related to high school course work and graduation), 2. College history (information about college courses and degrees), 3. Advanced certifications (details on preprofessional programs and teaching certification interest), and 4. Entrance exams (questions related to college entrance and foreign language exams).

Core Questions

Education and testing

Here's what to expect:

In this section, we ask about the high school and college classes you've taken. Your educational details may be used when evaluating your application.

1 • High school information

Questions related to your high school course work and graduation

2 • College history

Information about college courses taken and degrees earned (if applicable)

3 • Advanced certifications

Details on your preprofessional program and teaching certification interest (if applicable)

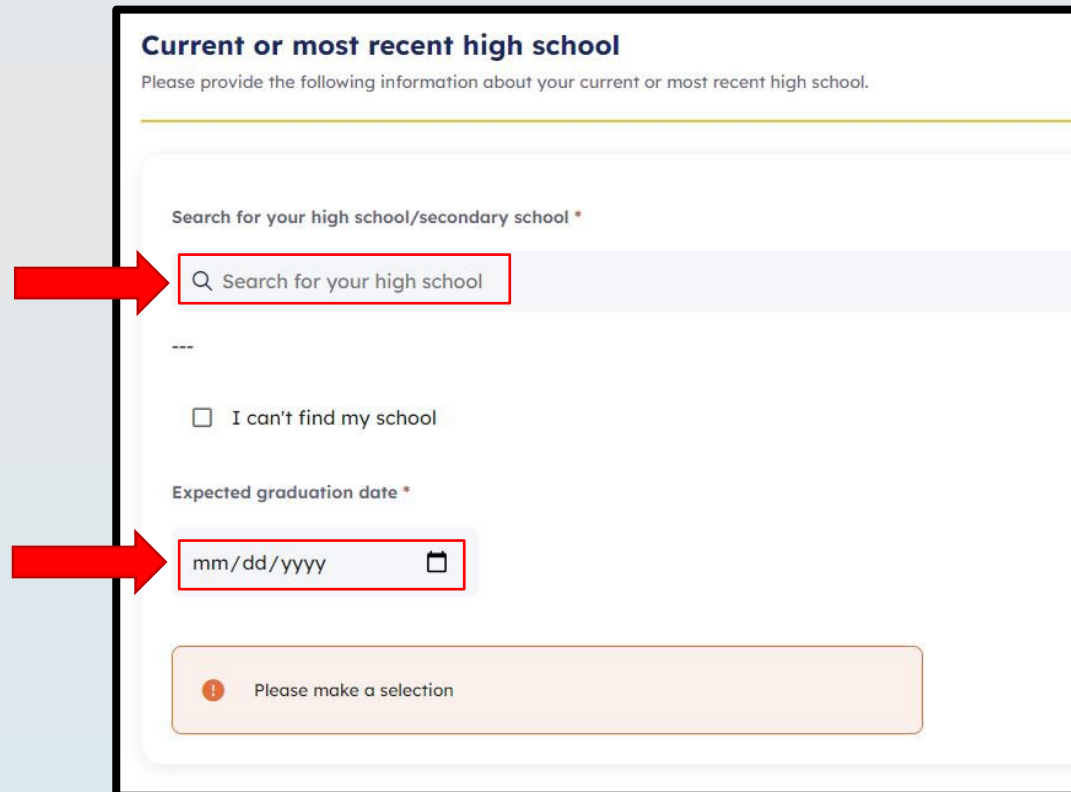
4 • Entrance exams

Questions related to college entrance and foreign language exams taken (if applicable)

- Once completing the “Household” section, you will move onto the “Education and Testing” section

STEP 2: CORE QUESTIONS

- Begin typing in the name of your high school
- If you are a homeschool student, select “HOME SCHOOLED – null,TX (US)”



Current or most recent high school
Please provide the following information about your current or most recent high school.

Search for your high school/secondary school *

Q Search for your high school

☐ I can't find my school

Expected graduation date *

mm/dd/yyyy

Please make a selection

Make sure you accurately enter your expected **HIGH SCHOOL** graduation date

STEP 2: CORE QUESTIONS

Core Questions

✓ About you

✓ Household

✓ Education and testing

○ Activities and achievements

⦿ Family obligations

⦿ Extracurriculars

⦿ Volunteer activities

⦿ Awards and honors

○ Employment

Activities and achievements

Here's what to expect:

In this section, we'd like you to review your family obligations and detail your involvement in extracurriculars, community service or volunteer activities, awards and honors, and work experiences. Schools may use this information to make an admission decision based on your full involvement.

1 • Family obligations

Review your answers for obligations to family and household support

2 • Extracurriculars

Information about sports, clubs, and organizations you participated in

3 • Volunteer activities

Details on your service experience and volunteer projects

4 • Awards and honors


Questions related to awards, talents, and distinctions received


5 • Employment

Information about your past employers and internships


- Once you complete the “Education and Testing” section, you’ll continue onto the “Activities and Achievements” Section
- Fill this information out to the best of your ability

COMPLETE STEP 2: CORE QUESTIONS


 **Great job!**

**Step 1: You Found the Right Application.**

Use the application type(s) listed on your dashboard to apply to the school of your choice.

**Step 2: You finished your Core Questions.**

You may need to come back and answer questions you skipped before submitting your application.

**Up next: Search for schools**

Search for schools you'd like to apply to. They may have some extra questions for you to answer.

Return to your Core Questions


Search for schools


Once you complete **Step 2: Core Questions**, you'll move onto **Step 3: Search for Schools**


STEP 3: SCHOOL SEARCH

School Search

The school search allows you to find colleges and universities to apply to using ApplyTexas. You can search by school name or filter based on semester, application type, and more.

 **Have more questions about schools?**
Use the Program Explorer from My Texas Future to find more information on average tuition, enrollment, and programs offered by different schools. [Explore programs →](#)

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



 [More filters](#)



☒ Show only relevant applications

- Type “Collin College” into search bar
- Select “Collin College”

Collin College

Undergraduate (two - year) **Fall 2025**

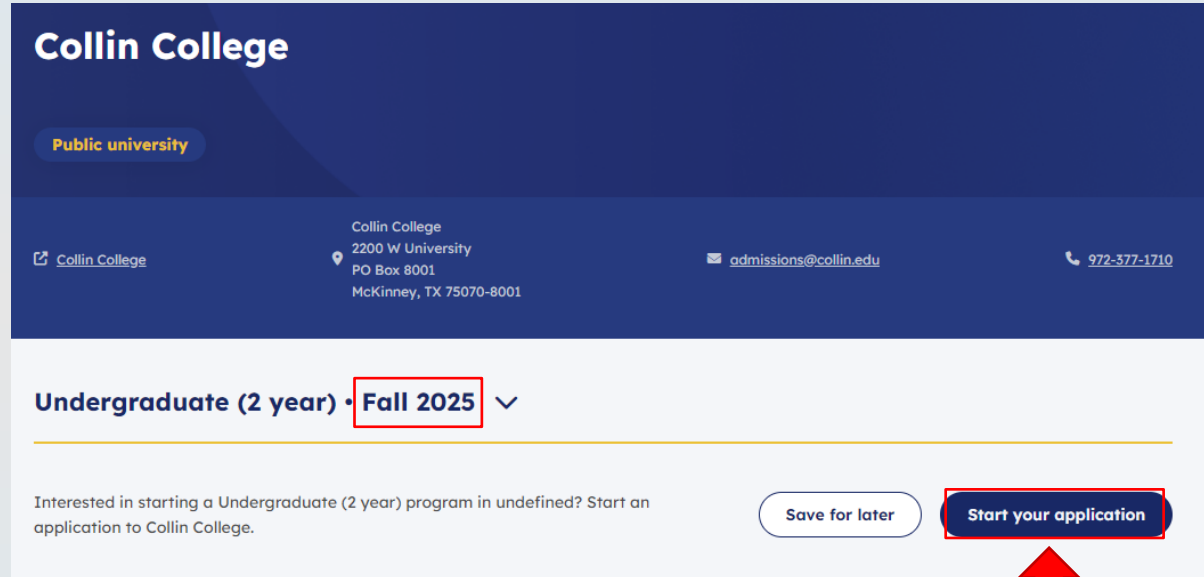
Requires:  Essay  SAT/ACT Available:  Scholarship application 

| App deadline | App opens | Avg. tuition  | Graduation rate  |
|--------------|--------------|--|---|
| Nov 08, 2025 | Sep 01, 2024 | \$1,910 | 35% |

[Save for later](#) [View details →](#)

- Make sure you find “Fall 2025”
- Select “View Details”

STEP 4: APPLICATION



Collin College

Public university

Collin College
2200 W University
PO Box 8001
McKinney, TX 75070-8001

admissions@collin.edu 972-377-1710

Undergraduate (2 year) • **Fall 2025** ✓

Interested in starting a Undergraduate (2 year) program in undefined? Start an application to Collin College.

Save for later Start your application

- Click “Start your application”

STEP 4: APPLICATION

- If you are taking Workforce classes (Welding, HVAC, Construction, etc.), select this as your major
- If you are taking Health Sciences (CNA, Pharm Tech, etc.), select this as your major
- If you are taking regular academic courses:
 - Scroll down to “Dual Credit General Studies Degrees”
 - Select “Associate of Arts – Liberal Arts”

Note: You can change your major later

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Choose your major

On this page, enter your first and second choice majors. Schools use your second choice major if you are not admitted to your first choice major. Schools may also use your second choice major in special cases, like consideration for honors programs.

First choice major *

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- Occupational Skills Award-Early Childhood Administrator
- Occupational Skills Award-Special Education (0-8 Years)
- Manufacturing**
- Associate of Applied Science in Welding
- Certificate in Entry Welding
- Certificate in Gas Shielded Welding
- Certificate in Welding Technology-L2
- Multidisciplinary Transfer Degrees**
- Associate of Arts - Liberal Arts
- Associate of Science - Sciences
- Dual Credit General Studies Degrees**
- Associate of Arts - Liberal Arts
- Associate of Science - Sciences
- Bachelor Degrees at Collin College**
- Bachelor of Applied Science in Clinical Operations Mgmt
- Bachelor of Applied Science in Construction Management
- Bachelor of Applied Technology in Cybersecurity
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)
- Non-Degree Seeking (Not Eligible for Financial Aid)**
- Non-Degree Seeking/Transient--Not Eligible for Financial Aid


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STEP 4: APPLICATION

Campus of Interest *

Select the campus at which you intend to take the majority of your classes?

- ☐ Celina Campus
- ☐ Farmersville Campus
- ☐ Frisco (Preston Ridge) Campus
- ☐ iCollin (Fully Online Enrollment)
- ☐ McKinney (Central Park) Campus
- ☐ Plano (Spring Creek) Campus
- ☐ Technical Campus
- ☐ Wylie Campus
- ☒ Dual Credit on a High School Campus (Other)



- Select “Dual Credit on a High School Campus (Other)”
- You can still take classes at a Collin Campus

STEP 4: APPLICATION

- Select “Next” to move onto **Step 5: Submit**

✓ Major Edit

First choice major: Associate of Arts - Liberal Arts

✓ School-required questions Edit Expand

✓ Essays Edit Expand


Transcript information

You may be able request your official transcript at no cost through the Texas Records Exchange (TREx) in ApplyTexas, depending on the high school you attended in Texas. You cannot request college transcripts or transcripts from high schools outside Texas through this system.

[Learn more about submitting transcripts](#)

Select the schools you would like to request official transcripts from for this application. You will be able to track the status of these transcripts on your dashboard.

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STEP 5: SUBMIT

- Once you have read and understood all terms and conditions, mark the two boxes

Step 2 of 3

Terms and conditions

☒ Review application ☐ Terms and conditions ☐ Payment instructions

On this page, review the ApplyTexas terms and conditions. Checking the box shows you agree with the terms and conditions outlined in each statement. You must check every box to submit your application. You may print this page for your own records.

Checking the boxes at the end of this page indicates you agree with the statement below and all [ApplyTexas Terms and Conditions](#). You must check both boxes below to submit your application. Please print or save this page for your personal records.

If my application is accepted, I agree to abide by the policies, rules, and regulations at any college to which I am admitted. I authorize the college to verify the information I have provided. I certify that the information I have provided is complete and correct and I understand that the submission of false information is grounds for rejection of my application, withdrawal of any offer of acceptance, cancellation of enrollment, and/or appropriate disciplinary action. I understand that officials of my college will use the information submitted on this form to determine my status for residency eligibility. I authorize the college to electronically access my records regarding the Texas Success Initiative. I agree to notify the proper officials of the institution of any changes in the information provided.

☐ I certify that I have read and understand the statement above and agree to all Terms and Conditions contained in this [ApplyTexas Terms of Service and Data Privacy Policy](#).

☐ I certify that I have read and understand the [Requirements and Important Information about Bacterial Meningitis](#).

STEP 5: SUBMIT

Payment instructions

Review application Terms and conditions **Payment instructions**

On this page, choose how you plan to pay the application fee.

You will pay the application fee directly to the school. If you wish to change your payment method after submitting, contact the school.

After you submit your application, you will need to pay the application fee. ApplyTexas does not collect payment. Instead, you need to send payment directly to each school. **We will send more detailed payment instructions in your confirmation email.**

Application fee: \$0

How will you be paying your application fee to this school?

☒ Credit or debit card
Accepted cards are:

☐ Fee waiver
Selecting this option requests a fee waiver for this school. You will need to demonstrate financial hardship to the school to receive a fee waiver.

☒ I understand my application is not considered complete until I have submitted payment.

☐ If I am denied admission, I allow the institution to share my application with other institutions that offer the same degree program.

Back **Submit**

- It is FREE to apply to Collin (do not send any payment to Collin or any site to apply)
- Select “Credit or Debit Card”
- Read and understand all information on page
- Mark box
- SUBMIT

STEP 5: SUBMIT

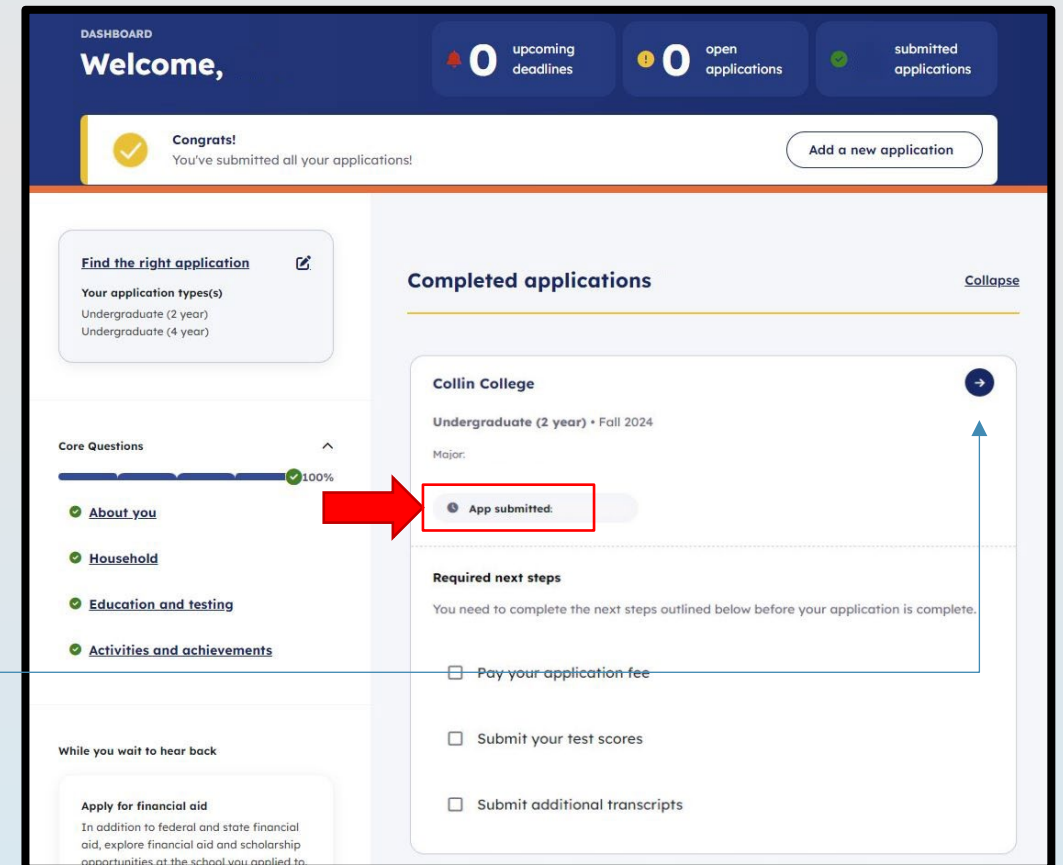
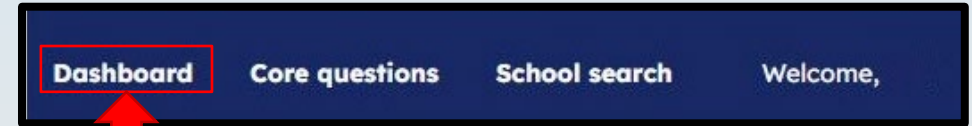
Double check your application was submitted

- You should have received an email with your application ID from “support@applytexas.org”

You can also check on ApplyTexas.org

- Select “Dashboard” in the top right
- It should say “App Submitted” under “Collin College Fall 2025”

Note: If it is not submitted, click the blue arrow to go back into your application



AFTER YOU APPLY

Within 3 business days you will receive:

- An email from Collin College with your College Wide ID (CWID) next steps for registration
- A separate email with your temporary password.
 - Both emails will be sent to the personal email address you used to create this application account.

If you have any questions or problems submitting your application, email DualCredit@collin.edu or call at **469-365-1850**