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NIMITZ TO OFFER HOSPITAL JOB TRAINING

Unique Program is a Simulated Hospital in a High School

By Leticia Fehling
AISD Director of Internal Communications,

ALDINE - Training Future Healthcare Workers: Students experience healthcare training without leaving the campus, stepping into real-world medical environments.

On a Tuesday morning in April, students at Nimitz High School's Health Education and Learning (HEAL) Program didn't just hear about what their futures could look like. They walked through them.

Aldine ISD, Memorial Hermann Health System, and Bloomberg Philanthropies officially unveiled the completed HEAL Program facilities on April 22,

2026, with a ribbon-cutting ceremony attended by Aldine ISD Superintendent Dr. LaTonya M. Goffney, Memorial Hermann President and CEO Dr. David L. Callender, Bloomberg Philanthropies Program Manager Kate Herman, Aldine ISD Board of Trustees, HEAL students and their families, and Texas State Representative Senfronia Thompson of District 141.

The completed facilities, including a simulated hospital, rehabilitation space, library, Anatomage Lab, pharmacy, health clinic, and specialized classrooms, mark a major milestone for the program and redefine the high school experience for Aldine ISD students.

"This is not just a ribbon-cutting. It is a promise fulfilled," said Dr. Goffney. "HEAL students can see their future in their present. Memorial Hermann, through this program, is giving stu-



Aldine ISD students, leaders from the school district and Memorial Hermann Health System, and local elected officials cut the ribbon on HEAL High School, which opened a simulated hospital and new facilities.

dents the tools to leave their pathway prepared — and that is the #AldineStory in action."

What started in May 2023 with a single phone call between Dr. Goffney

and Memorial Hermann has become one of the most innovative career and technical education programs in the country.

A Hospital Inside a High School

The centerpiece of the new facilities is the simulated hospital — a space designed to mirror real Memorial Hermann clinical environments. Students train in:

Two medical-surgical patient rooms are identical to those found in Memorial Hermann hospitals

Two ICU rooms with a nurse's station, windows for patient observation, and an AnteRoom for practicing infection control protocols

A working imaging room with an X-ray machine

A mock pharmacy complete with medication racks, a negative pressure room, and vials to simulate

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NEWS NOTES

BAA Civic Engagement Roundtable April 30

When: April 30, 2026, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
where: At LSC-Houston North Greenspoint, 250 N. Sam Houston Pkwy E., Room 306. The event will provide information on the voting process and voter registration for community members.

New: We-Cycle Wednesdays at East Aldine Recycling Center

Every third Wednesday of the Month, the East Aldine Recycling Center will accept All East Aldine Residents without an appointment. LOCATION: 2789 Hopper Road, Houston 77093.

HCSO Explorers Excel in Latest Competition

East Aldine District - We offer enthusiastic congratulations to the Harris County Sheriff's Office Explorers and their Advisor, Isaac Torres, for their outstanding performance at their latest competition

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We're proud of these young leaders and it's our honor to support the next



TEAM 1 DISPLAYS THEIR AWARDS

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Judge Hidalgo Statement on SB-4 allowed to go Into Effect

Harris County, TX, - Harris County Judge Lina Hidalgo released the following statement today after the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit lifted the temporary injunction on Senate Bill 4, which allows local law enforcement and state judges to assume federal immigration responsibilities of arresting and deporting undocumented immigrants, even if they are seeking asylum or their immigration status is pending:

"Our immigration system is already rife with uncertainty, and allowing S.B. 4 to go into effect will only cause more chaos. Immigrants are already afraid



Judge Lina Hidalgo

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Court: Garcia Appointment Invalid, Commissioner's Seat Retained

By David Taylor
Managing Editor

Harris County Commissioner Adrian Garcia's appointment to a regional flood resilience board was illegal, but the error does not force him to vacate his Precinct 2 seat, the First Court of Appeals ruled April 16.

The ruling stems from a lawsuit filed in 2024 by Harris County resident Mark Goloby and Richard Vega, the Republican challenging Garcia in November. They argued that Garcia's 2021 appointment to the Gulf Coast Protection District created a "conflicting loyalty" and, under the common-law incompatibility doctrine, triggered an automatic resig-



Commissioner Adrian Garcia

nation from Commissioners Court.

Harris County Attorney Jonathan Fombonne countered that the appointment

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Learn more: AldineDistrict.org/Explorers

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¡Extendemos nuestras más entusiastas felicitaciones a los HCSO explorers y a su asesor, Isaac Torres, por su destacada actuación en su última competencia!

Equipo 1: **1.er Lugar** — DWI (Conducir bajo los efectos de la intoxicación), CSI (investigación de la escena del crimen) y Violencia Doméstica | **2.º Lugar** — Salud Mental | **3.er Lugar** en la Clasificación General

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Estamos orgullosos de estos jóvenes líderes y es nuestro honor apoyar a la próxima generación de fuerzas policiales que se está construyendo aquí mismo en East Aldine. Gracias a los agentes de la Oficina del Sheriff del Condado Harris que los guían e invierten en ellos.

Judge Hidalgo warns of community safety concerns,

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to go to work and send their kids to school. They'll be even more afraid to report crime to their local police. S.B. 4 makes us all less safe by eroding trust

between law enforcement and residents. I continue to join the community in advocating for real solutions to our immigration system, rather than the masked

men and unmarked cars that show up outside schools and residences in Harris County," said **Judge Lina Hidalgo.**



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HIGH MEADOWS LIBRARY NEWS

CAREER AND COLLEGE HELP | AYUDA PARA BUSCA DE EMPLEO O CARRERAS
Wednesday, April 29, 12:00pm-6:00pm
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 Please click on the link below or call. Virtual appointments are also available.

TOON CAFÉ
Wednesday, April 29, 3:00pm-4:00pm
 Description
 Lights, laughter, and classic cartoons! Calling all teens—come hang out at the library for a special cartoon
 Bring your own favorite snacks to enjoy while you watch and get ready for a fun-filled break with non-stop cartoon comedy. If you love animation and humor, this is the perfect event for you!

KRAFTY KIDS
Wednesday, April 29, 3:30pm-4:30pm
 Description
 Krafty Kids offers a

fantastic chance for your children to unleash their creativity while having a great time in a safe and inviting space.
 Whether it's painting, drawing, sculpting, or other activities, there's something for every budding artist to delight in.

BOOK BUDDIES @ HIGH MEADOWS
Wednesday, April 29, 4:15pm-5:00pm
 Description
 Book Buddies is a FREE literacy program that brings child and teens together to share the joy of reading. It pairs trained teen volunteers (Big Buddies) with children in K-3rd grades (Little Buddies).
 Each Wednesday for 10 weeks, Big Buddies and Little Buddies will meet to read together and create positive experiences surrounding literacy. By the end of the session, we aspire that all Little Buddies will learn to love to read and form positive associations with reading.
 Applications to be a Little Buddy or Big Buddy are available at the High Meadows Library until capacity is reached!
 Teen volunteers (Big Buddies) must attend a Big Buddy training to participate in the program.

ADVENTURES IN READING/ AVENTURAS EN LECTURA
Wednesday, April 29, 5:00pm-6:00pm
 Description
 Get ready for a story time adventure. After we dive into two exciting tales, we'll jump into fun games and awesome activities that bring the books to life.
 Prepárense para una aventura llena de cuentos. Después de sumergirnos en historias fascinantes, participaremos en juegos divertidos y actividades increíbles que

darán vida a los libros.
THE MAGIC OF COLOR: WATERCOLOR PAINTING FOR ADULTS
Wednesday, April 29, 5:30pm-7:00pm
 Description
 De-stress, unwind, and enjoy the almost-magical calm that comes from painting with watercolors.
 This is not an art class — it's a chance to be creative and relax while enjoying each other's company in an encouraging environment.
 See the colors flow from your imagination to the paper and let your worries drift away for a while.
 This program is for adults 18+. Registration is not required, but space is limited.

TEEN LOUNGE
Thursday, April 30, 3:00pm-5:00pm
 Description
 Calling all teens and tweens! This is your space to relax and unwind. Draw and color, play some games, do a craft, or hang out with your friends—the possibilities are endless! No registration is required. This event is open to ages 12 to 18.

TOON CAFÉ
Friday, May 01, 3:00pm-5:00pm
 Description
 Lights, laughter, and classic cartoons! Calling all teens—come hang out at the library for a special cartoon
 Bring your own favorite snacks to enjoy while you watch and get ready for a fun-filled break with non-stop cartoon comedy. If you love animation and humor, this is the perfect event for you!

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AIRLINE LIBRARY NEWS

WIGGLE WEDNESDAY
Wednesday, April 29, 11:00am-12:00pm
 Description
 Come Move and Groove with Us!
 Join us for a fun-filled session of reading, singing, and playful movement! It's the perfect way to introduce toddlers to the joy of books and reading while building important motor skills. Through music, movement, and play, we'll help support your child's growth in a joyful, engaging way—because play is essential to every part of toddler development!

BOOK BUDDIES
Tuesday, April 28, 4:30pm-5:15pm
 Description
 Do you have a child in kindergarten through 3rd grade who loves stories—or one who could use a little extra reading support? Harris County Public Library's Book Buddies is a FREE, fun-filled literacy program that pairs enthusiastic, trained teen volunteers (Big Buddies) with younger readers (Little Buddies) for 10 weeks of reading adventures! Begins Tuesday, Feb 17th | 4:30 PM – 5:15 PM Feb. 17 - April 28 (Excluding March 17th) @ Aldine Branch Library
 Each week, your child will build confidence, make a new

friend, and discover the joy of reading in a supportive, one-on-one setting.

ESL 1
Wednesday, April 29, 1:00pm-2:30pm
 Description
 Start learning English for free at the library! This is an introductory English class for complete beginners.
 Class is once a week on Wednesdays from 1 - 2:30 p.m.
 It is an 8 week session from April 1st to May 20th, 2026
 Registration is required in order to attend.
 To register, visit us on a registration date to take a placement exam and confirm your spot in a class.

TWEEN SPARK GAME NIGHT
Wednesday, April 29, 4:30pm-5:30pm
 Description
 Join us at Aldine Library for a game night! Whether you want to play Smash Bros on the Switch or fight over Uno, we'll have the game for you
 Snacks will be provided.
 This program is best for 6th-9th graders

TOGETHER TIME
Thursday, April 30, 11:00am-12:00pm
 Description
 Family program with each week is a different theme to hangout and have planned together time as a family. No registration required.

TOGETHER TIME THURSDAY - FAMILY PROGRAM
 APRIL 16 - Collage Poetry
 APRIL 23- Rock Art
 APRIL 30th- Watercolor

TEEN CLUB
Thursday, April 30, 5:00pm-6:00pm
 Description
 Join us every Thursday for a fun hour full of crafts and workshops. Relax, have a snack in a safe and welcoming space!

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT
Thursday, April 30, 5:00pm-6:30pm
 Description
 Join Aldine Branch Library for a movie night! Eat some popcorn and watch a fun movie with the whole family.

FREE COMIC BOOK DAY!
Saturday, May 02, 10:00am-2:00pm
 Description
 It's Free Comic Book Day at the Aldine Library!
 Stop by, pick up a free comic, and a library card if you don't have one.
 Costumes are encouraged.
 Everyone is welcome!

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SCHOOL NEWS PAGE

The Dog Who Helped Them Connect

At Aldine ISD, a Canine Companions® facility dog is helping students with disabilities find their voice and connect with the world around them.

Where It All Began



When Amanda Lee was 12, she met a dog named Grizzly, a service dog who had failed out of training because he loved tennis balls too much.

But to the boy next door, a child with cerebral palsy, Grizzly was everything.

Amanda remembers helping him off the bus, watching the dog move beside him, steady and patient, filling in the spaces the world had made difficult to cross.

"That's when I realized not only that I wanted to be a teacher," she said, "but that a highly

trained dog could help."

Years later, in Room 137, a Structured Learning Classroom (SLC) at Carmichael Elementary in Aldine ISD, she brought that idea to life. Amanda Lee, the district's 2024 Elementary Teacher of the Year, now leads the classroom where that early vision has become part of students' daily lives.

Preparing for Someone They Hadn't Met Yet

Before Jameson ever walked through the door, her students already knew him, or at least, they thought they did.

For two weeks, they prepared.

They learned about water bowls and when not to touch them. They practiced how to approach a dog, where to pet and how to give space. They explored kennels, leashes, brushes and routines. They worked with a stuffed dog named Fluffy, rehearsing interactions again and again.

They read stories, practiced patience and prepared for something they couldn't quite imagine yet.

On the last day before break, Amanda told them that when they came back, there would be a real dog in the classroom.

One student pointed to the stuffed animal and said, "We already have Fluffy."

They didn't understand.

Not yet.

More Than a Classroom Dog

Jameson is a Canine Companions® facility dog, trained to support individuals with disabilities. Unlike a therapy dog, he does more than provide comfort. He performs specific, trained tasks.

Facility dogs like Jameson learn more than 40 tasks and are placed with professionals in educational, healthcare and therapeutic settings. Through Canine Companions®, a nonprofit that has been placing highly trained dogs since 1975, Jameson was matched with Amanda after a rigorous application and training process. He was provided at no cost to her, though each dog represents an investment of approximately \$50,000.

"Essentially, Jameson is a service dog for all of my students," Amanda said.

In this classroom, he isn't a visitor. He is part of the work.

The Day Everything Changed

At first, Amanda kept him in his kennel, allowing students to approach on their own terms.

One student sat nearby and began to laugh, not once, but repeatedly. She would stop, pause and then laugh again.

"The joy that she had just seeing him in the kennel was incredible," Amanda said.

Jameson was supposed to start slowly, beginning with half days and easing into the routine.

But on the second morning, when he wasn't there, the students walked in, went straight to his kennel and began to cry.

"Where is Jameson?" They kept asking.

"That continued pretty much until lunch," Amanda said.

That afternoon, he came back.

After that, he stayed.

When Connection Feels Hard

In Amanda's structured learning classroom, students have a range of disabilities, including autism, intellectual disabilities and speech and language impairments. Many rely heavily on routine and structure. Socially, some prefer to be alone. Communication can be difficult, and when words don't come, frustration sometimes does.

"Individuals with autism often struggle to connect with people, and that's okay," Amanda said. "But they have all connected with Jameson."

What the Students Say

When asked what Jameson means to them, Amanda's students answer in their own ways.

Amari, a second grader, used her AAC device to share her thoughts: "He is our class family. I feel happy Jameson here."

"Jameson is a dog. I walk him," said Jeremiah, a first grader.

"Jameson is my friend. He is my puppy," added Rafael, a second grader.

"Jameson plays bunny game. Jameson is gold," said Kamilla, a first grader.

Their words are simple.

But for students who have worked hard to communicate at all, they carry weight.

A Message That Says Everything

One day, Amanda showed a student photos of Jameson as a puppy, raised for 18 months by a volunteer named Sam before being placed in the classroom. She explained how difficult it must have been to give him up.

Then she asked what they would say to her.

The student picked up her AAC device, typed carefully and pressed play:

"Thank you, Sam. I love Jameson."

More Than Learning

Jameson helps with lessons, including turn-taking games, puzzles, vocabulary buttons and reading activities.

But what he really does goes beyond tasks.

"He has taken tasks that students would dread doing and made them look forward to doing them," Amanda said. "He makes my students excited about learning."

Sometimes, he simply rests his head on a lap and reminds a child that connection does not have to be hard.

The Bridge



For Amanda, the impact is personal.

"Teaching is a hard job," she said. "Some mornings it is tough to get up. But every morning Jameson is excited to come to work, and that makes me a little more excited, too."

But more than anything, her goal has always been clear.

"I want to give my students the world," Amanda said. "I want to give them every opportunity to be successful." In a classroom where connection does not always come easily, that goal can feel overwhelming. But sometimes, it looks like this:

A student speaking when they once stayed silent. A child smiling when they once shut down. A moment of calm where there used to be frustration.

When she was 12, Amanda watched a dog help someone move through the world in a way that once felt impossible.

Now, every day in Room 137 at Carmichael Elementary, she watches her students do the same. Not all at once. Not perfectly. But in small, powerful moments.

Jameson meets them where they are and helps them go a little further.

As Amanda says, Jameson is the fluffy, loving bridge that helps her students connect to the world around them.

Houston Academy Students Join Nationwide STEM Watch Party



Houston Academy students joined more than 50 watch parties nationwide on April 16, exploring how science and technology can help address environmental challenges through the LINKS-STEMREADY National Signature Program STEM Exposed Summit Webinar and Watch Party.

The event brought together between 40 to 50 students in an interactive learning experience centered on environmental STEM topics in recognition of Earth Day. Hosted in partnership with Texas Spring Cypress Chapter of The LINKS Incorporated, a women's service organization committed to community service, the watch party was part of a nationwide effort, with LINKS chapters across the county hosting similar experiences for middle school students.

"We love working and encouraging children," said Toni Jackson, president of the Texas Spring Cypress Chapter. "During the summit, we're here to have fun, engage students, and help them explore career opportunities."

As students participated in the live webinar, they explored how innovation and technology are being used to address global environmental challenges through STEM, and STEAM, which includes the arts to support creativity and problem solving. Students also learned how individual actions, combined with technology and innovation, can contribute to protecting the planet.

Students also participated in hands-on activities, including a binoculars exploration activity and an Earth Day "Leaf Your Mark" project, encouraging them to reflect on their role in protecting the environment. Interactive discussions further challenged students to think critically about sustainability while connecting classroom learning to real-world issues and future STEM career pathways.

Sixth grader Daniel Asoro, who enjoys designing 3D structures and aspires to become a mechanical engineer, said the experience deepened his interest in science and engineering.

"I learned a lot more about science than I used to know," he said. It was great learning from others."

Students remained engaged through the event, asking questions, sharing ideas, and making connections between what they learned and future opportunities in STEM. Sixth grader Genesis Brown said the experience reinforced her interest in technology.

"I like technology, especially computer science, because of the way my teacher taught it," Brown said. "I like being able to incorporate science, which I love, and technology."

Superintendent Dr. LaTonya Goffney, also a member of The LINKS Incorporated, encouraged students to stay curious and continue exploring STEM opportunities.

"Experiences like the STEMREADY STEM Exposed Summit highlight the importance of creating opportunities like this for Aldine ISD students," Goffney said. "Students are learning and collaborating with peers, leaders, and innovators from across the nation, all with a focus on STEM."

Educators at Houston Academy emphasized the value of providing meaningful learning experiences beyond the classroom.

"It's important for students to experience things they may not encounter every day," said Diamond Rivers, a computer science technology teacher at Houston Academy. "It opens their eyes to new possibilities, especially in STEM."

Students left the event with new knowledge and a deeper understanding of how STEM can be used to address global challenges. Through experiences like the STEM Exposed Summit watch party, Aldine ISD continues to provide students with opportunities that support college, career and life readiness.

Nimitz Unified Track and Field Team Returns to State

The Nimitz High School Unified Track and Field team is headed back to the state meet for the second consecutive year, continuing to build on a program rooted in inclusion, perseverance and growth.

Led by head coach Kendra Venzant and Lead Adapted Physical Education teacher Julie Grutzmacher and SLC para Rodney Robertson the team is in its fourth year and was the first Unified athletics program established in Aldine ISD. Unified athletics bring together students with and without intellectual disabilities to compete as teammates, promoting inclusion and shared experiences. A unified athlete is defined as a student-athlete with intellectual disabilities who typically receives special education services.

The team's success follows a year-round commitment to preparation. The Unified basketball season tipped off on Jan. 13, with Nimitz advancing to regional competition. The track and field season began March 17, though training for both sports started well in advance.

Beyond competition, the program has created meaningful opportunities for student-athletes to grow athletically, socially, and personally—forming friendships and connections that extend beyond the field.

Venzant, who also serves as head coach of the Lady Cougars basketball team, reflected on the challenges her athletes faced this season and how those experiences have strengthened the group.

"Some of our athletes have a physical and intellectual im-



pairment," Venzant said. "But we don't use that as a downer mentality because we view it as our superpower. Believing in yourself can change your entire world, so we make sure to teach that, 'We can & We will.'"

She added that competing together—and preparing for the state stage—has encouraged athletes to step outside their comfort zones, trust one another and embrace new possibilities.

That mindset, the "we will" factor, has made a lasting impact on senior Adrian Ramirez, who plans to work in his family's business after graduation. Ramirez credits Unified Track and Field for helping him grow into a confident leader.

"Being part of a unified team shows that everyone deserves the chance to compete and be included," Ramirez said. "Unified Track helps break stereotypes because people can see how strong teamwork is when everyone works together. It shows that ability doesn't define someone; it's effort, teamwork and support that we look forward to when we play sports as a team and compete."

Grutzmacher has witnessed the program's influence extend beyond athletics, shaping the

campus culture.

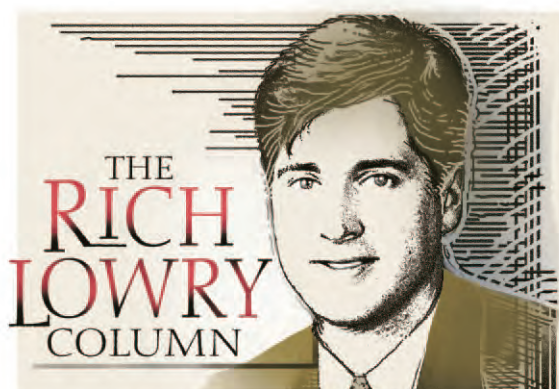
"Unified sports has helped create a more inclusive environment where students support and celebrate one another," Grutzmacher said. "It has broken down barriers, built relationships and shown our campus what true teamwork and acceptance look like. We've had high school coaches from all different sports come up to us, check in and genuinely ask how our meets have been going. The blessing is our students are finally being seen."

The Nimitz Unified program is part of the Unified Champion Schools® initiative, which empowers students to create school environments rooted in acceptance and inclusion. Through collaboration with Special Olympics, the program fosters respect, dignity and unity among students with and without intellectual disabilities.

As the Cougars prepare to compete at the state level once again, their journey continues to represent more than wins and medals—it reflects a growing culture of belonging, belief and opportunity for all.

To learn more about Unified Champion Schools®, visit: <https://shorturl.at/xyMa1>

OPINION PAGE



War

Yes, of course, war settles things
Countless protest signs have informed us over the years that "war is not the answer."

"War does not solve problems," the pontiff said in an Angelus address last year. "On the contrary, it amplifies them and causes deep wounds in the history of peoples — wounds that take generations to heal."

Now, there are many things that can be said about the tragedy of warfare without crediting the blatantly ahistorical cliché that it is never the answer, or doesn't solve disputed questions, often with a terrible finality.

Warfare can determine international boundaries and the nature of governments. It can decide who will rule and who will not. The relative power of states, the extent of religious faiths and the status of a culture can depend on it.

Wars might be pointless, or fought for prestige, revenge or territorial aggrandizement. That's all true, but it doesn't change the fact that military conflict is, at times, necessary and highly consequential; it can achieve beneficial ends, as well as awful ones.

It mattered for the spread of Christianity, for instance, that Constantine, who would become the first Christian emperor of Rome, won the Battle of Milvian Bridge in 312. Later, Christendom benefited from Ferdinand and Isabella taking back Granada from its Muslim rulers in 1492, and from the Holy Roman Emperor defeating the Ottoman besiegers of Vienna in 1683.

Certainly, it would have been better if all this could have been amiably worked out among the relevant parties, but that's not how the world usually works.

In the early 19th century, Europe had a Napoleon problem — a world-historical military genius determined to bend the continent to his will through force of arms. After serial failures, the Allies finally solved this problem in the War of the Seventh Coalition. The ensuing diplomatic settlement at the Congress of Vienna forged a peace that lasted nearly a century, but wouldn't have been possible without victory at Waterloo.

In the early 20th century, Europe had a Hitler problem — a fanatical, race-obsessed militarist who wanted his Third Reich to dominate Europe. This problem, too, was solved by force and led to a lasting peace, although a very tense one during the Cold War. If it's true that war should usually be the last resort, the Allies would have been better off if it had been the first resort against Hitler, checking him when he was relatively weak.

More parochially, the United States wouldn't be what it is today absent two existential wars. When the colonies began agitating for independence, the British weren't simply going to cede what they considered sovereign territories, especially given their economic and strategic value. The American cause — and all the good that has flowed from it — depended on prevailing in a grinding eight-year war.

About a hundred years later, it all could have collapsed had the United States not prevailed in the Civil War, an appallingly bloody conflict that extinguished American slavery and preserved the foundation for the nation's gathering greatness.

TITLE: None of this is a warrant for heedless warmongering, or a reason to dismiss, say, the sheer cynical brutishness of the Roman destruction of Carthage in the Third Punic War, or the horrors of Passchendaele. That war is terrible; however, it doesn't mean that it's ineffective.

In our times, Russia invaded Ukraine in 2022 in the erroneous, but not crazy, belief that a sharp, decisive military campaign would topple the Western-oriented government in Kyiv and force the creation of a regime more to the Kremlin's liking. This was a war that never should have been launched, yet Ukraine had no alternative but to fight it.

If Kyiv wants to protect its sovereign territory and eventually get a tolerable diplomatic outcome, war is the answer — as, sadly, it has been so often throughout human history.

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STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Gary Borders



Cost for future water needs could reach \$174B

Texas will need to invest \$174 billion over the next 50 years to keep up with water demand, according to a draft 2027 state water plan approved last week, the Austin American-Statesman reported. That is more than twice the projected cost in the previous state water plan published in 2022.

The draft report, released by the Texas Water Development Board, says the increased costs are due to a number of factors: inflation in construction costs, more frequent droughts, and a decline in existing water supplies as the state's aquifers become depleted.

The state last year earmarked spending \$20 billion over the next two decades for water infrastructure and supply projects — an amount that falls far short of what will be needed, according to some experts.

"This figure validates concerns that \$1 billion a year is not going to be sufficient to meet the infrastructure needs to ensure our water supply," said Perry Fowler, executive director of the Texas Water Infrastructure Network, a construction trade coalition for water projects.

The state water plan is created with input from 16 regional planning groups that identify future water needs in their regions and how to meet them. The draft plan is open for public comment and can be accessed here: https://tinyurl.com/3ktz5fpm.

TALARICO RAISES RECORD \$27 MILLION; CORNYN LEADS PAXTON IN FUNDRAISING

State Rep. James Talarico raised a record \$27 million in this first quarter of this year, the largest-ever sum for any Senate candidate in any state in the first quarter of an election year, The Texas Tribune reported.

"Winning in Texas will require unprecedented resources," said Seth Krasne, Talarico's campaign manager. "This grassroots fundraising haul puts our movement in a strong position to spread our message in some of the most expensive media markets in the country. But we can't take our foot off of the gas."

Talarico has raised more than \$40 million since entering the race last September from more than 540,000 individual contributors.

On the Republican side, where incumbent U.S. Sen. John Cornyn is heading to a May 26 runoff against Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton, Cornyn outraised his opponent



by fourfold, pulling in \$9 million in the first quarter. Paxton raised \$2.2 million

"The Cornyn campaign continues performing at a high level, building off the over performance in the March 3rd primary to announcing a massive fundraising haul in the first quarter of 2026," Cornyn campaign manager Andy Hemming said.

JUDGE ORDERS CAMP MYSTIC TO PRESERVE CABINS WHERE GIRLS DIED

An Austin state district judge ordered Camp Mystic's owners not to alter, repair or demolish cabins that housed campers and counselors who died in last year's July 4 flood along the Guadalupe River, southwest of Kerrville. The flood killed 25 girls, two counselors and one of the owners of the camp.

The camp's owners are being sued by the parents of 8-year-old Cile Steward, the only victim whose body has not been recovered. Other parents of children who died in the floods also have lawsuits pending.

"This finding is supported by facts tending to show that defendants owed a duty of care to Cile Steward and other minor campers, which they breached by operating Camp Mystic in a high-risk zone without adequate flood protections," Judge Guerra Gamble wrote.

The injunction remains in place until the lawsuit is resolved or the court rules otherwise. The judge set a trial date of May 3, 2027.

SNAP RULE CHANGE FORCES RECIPIENTS TO READ FOOD LABELS

Changes in what can be purchased under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program are now in place in Texas, and consumers are spending more time examining the ingredients label, the Texas Standard reported.

SNAP benefits can no longer be used to buy candy or sweetened beverages, under Texas Senate Bill 379, passed

last year. That includes drinks with more than five grams of added sugar or any amount of artificial sweetener.

The ban does not include baking sugar or sweet cereals, however. The guidelines do not provide an itemized list, so retailers must interpret them and apply them to the food items they sell.

"You use Google a lot to get the internet's interpretation. You look at the law and how it's written," said John Robertson of Austin's Fresh Plus grocery stores.

DATA CENTER OWNERS GRILLED BY LEGISLATORS

Texas lawmakers grilled data center developers, energy companies and grid officials recently on the impact of the state's data center boom, the Houston Chronicle reported. Grid officials say they are proposing regulations that will ensure Texas can handle data centers without raising electricity costs for consumers or risking power blackouts.

Officials from various Texas energy companies said data centers could help upgrade the state's grid infrastructure.

"If we have an opportunity to have new customers coming to the state pay for that, we'll have done some really good work," said Brian Lloyd, with Dallas-based Oncor, the Texas utility with by far the most data centers seeking to connect to its system.

Thomas Gleason, chair of the Public Utility Commission, told lawmakers his agency is working with the Electric Reliability Council of Texas, the grid operator, on rules to encourage data centers to bring their own power generation to help prevent price spikes.

"I honestly don't think on the generation side you're going to see a large increase in costs at this point, because we have so many renewables and batteries on the system," Gleason said.

AMOUNT OF STATE IN DROUGHT INCREASES AGAIN

Near the end of March, 89% of the state was in drought, according to hydrologist Dr. Mark Wentzel with the Texas Water Development Board. That is the largest extent of drought in nearly four years, Wentzel wrote. In addition to continued dry conditions, average March temperatures were 66.8 Fahrenheit, beating the previous record by more than one-and-a-half degrees.

Wentzel said there is some reason for optimism with a wet, cooler start to April and a forecast of drought contraction in much of the state, except for the Panhandle and West Texas by early summer.

"Also note that we've set a new monthly record every year since 2021. In 2021, we set the record for the hottest December. In 2022, it was the hottest July, hottest September in 2023, October in 2024, and November in 2025," he wrote.

Now we can add March 2026 to that list.

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THE POSTSCRIPT By Carrie Classon

Things Can Change



"Carrie!" my husband, Peter, called from the bathroom.

We are still in Mexico, and Peter's abscessed tooth had been extracted earlier that day. The extraction had been difficult. Peter was sore and tired, and he had not eaten since the night before. All this factored into what happened next.

"What's the matter?"

"I'm feeling a little faint. ..."

I ran to the bathroom. "Put your head down!" But it was too late. Peter fell straight forward like a falling tree. He hit the wall with his forehead, shattered the ceramic toilet paper holder and knocked himself out.

I am not great in emergencies, as it turns out.

Peter's fall made a mighty crash, and I yelled something (I have no idea what) and moments later a downstairs neighbor whom we had never met (his name turned out to be Jim) was knocking on the door.

"Is everything OK up there?" Jim asked.

I don't remember what I told him, but he got the idea. Jim was a big, strong guy, and he wrestled Peter into a seated position. Peter had a huge gash in his forehead and was still out cold.

"Peter! Wake up! Can you hear me?" I hollered into Peter's ear.

Peter made sounds that indicated he heard me, but he was clearly not awake.

"You hold this towel on his head. I'll go get Jorge!" Jim ran downstairs to tell Jorge, our landlord, and I followed orders.

While I sat there on the floor with my unconscious husband, our cat, Felix, cautiously crept into the bathroom to see what all the excitement was about. He examined the blood splattered all over and tentatively made his way over to check out Peter's face.

A moment later, Jim was back in the bathroom. Felix bolted.

"Jorge called the Red Cross," Jim reported. Then he added, "Do you have a black-and-white cat?"

"Yes!"

"I think she just ran out the door."

Peter started to come to. His eyes slowly focused on this tall stranger standing in his bathroom.

"We're going to take you to the hospital," Jim informed Peter.

"Oh, no!" Peter said. "I don't think that's necessary. ..."

"You're going to the hospital!" I informed Peter. I was relieved Peter was arguing because now I knew he was fully conscious.

Felix had not gone far. He had run out the front door and made a daring leap to our balcony (three stories above the ground) where he was now waiting, expecting to be let in. Felix dove under the bed just as the men from the Red Cross showed up.

Three men dressed in red carried Peter to the living room, gave him an IV, checked his blood pressure, put a bandage on his head and hauled him out to a waiting ambulance in a matter of minutes. (Felix stayed under the bed while these three terrifying men in red did their work.)

Peter had a CT scan, and everything was normal ("except it showed I have no brain!" Peter noted), and he was sent home with a lot of stitches. The ambulance was free, I discovered, because the Red Cross is a nonprofit organization.

Jim and his wife checked out the next day. "I'm so sorry we didn't get to thank Jim again," I told Peter.

"I wondered what that guy was doing in my bathroom!" Peter said, examining his Frankenstein-style stitches. "Things can change in a moment, can't they?"

They can. They do. And I thought how much worse everything could have been if we had not had caring people all around us.

Till next time, Carrie

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Nimitz HEAL program unveils hospital-style training facility,

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medication preparation. A working pneumatic tube system — the same system used to transport medications in real hospital settings. Students also have access to a fully operational school-based health clinic, where they can assist with patient care under the supervision of Memorial Hermann staff.

“Our teams designed the spaces on this campus to mirror Memorial Hermann clinical spaces,” said Dr. Callender. “Students are learning what our real hospitals look like, so they are prepared to jump into jobs immediately after graduation. They are already a part of our Memorial Hermann family.”

5 Pathways to a Career HEAL Program students at Nimitz choose one of five in-demand healthcare pathways:

Nursing — Students learn core patient care skills, develop clinical techniques, practice critical thinking, and engage in compassionate interaction alongside registered nurses.

Physical and Occupational Rehabilitation — Students help patients and athletes recover from injuries and regain mobility by working with physical and occupational therapists.

Medical Imaging — Students operate technology such as X-ray and diagnostic machines to assist doctors in identifying and treating medical issues.

Pharmacy — Students learn medication preparation and management, focusing on accuracy and patient safety in fast-paced healthcare settings.

Healthcare Business Administration — Students manage hospital and clinic operations, including team coordination, budgeting, and overseeing patient services.



HEAL students pose with (l-r) Dr. David L. Callender, President & CEO of Memorial Hermann Health System; Aldine ISD Superintendent Dr. LaTonya M. Goffney, Anne Neeson, Executive Vice President and CEO of the Memorial Hermann Foundation; and Kate Herman, Program Manager of Bloomberg Philanthropies education team, where she leads the healthcare CTE high schools initiative.



In ninth and 10th grades, students build foundational skills through simulation labs and job shadowing. Starting in 11th grade, students gain access to paid healthcare internships, professional mentoring, and work-based learning experiences. Advanced opportunities include earning professional certifications, graduation cords, and paid employment.

A Student's Perspective
Students receive most training at the Choice School campus but also visit Memorial Hermann

hospitals to shadow mentors and hear from leadership. HEAL student Precious Okafor shared her experience since ninth grade.

“This program is laying a good foundation for me in healthcare,” she said. “I enjoy the mentorship, the hospital-based learning, and the simulation experience. I get to shadow nurses, assist with patient needs, and understand the importance of human compassion. It has been an incredible opportunity.”

From Vision to Reality
The HEAL Program at

Nimitz High School is part of Bloomberg Philanthropies' first-of-its-kind \$250 million national initiative, which selected 10 urban and rural communities across the country to bridge the gap between public education and healthcare systems. Aldine ISD was among the districts chosen, supported by an initial \$31 million investment from Bloomberg Philanthropies to the Memorial Hermann Foundation — announced in January 2024 and launched with the program's first cohort in the



In Aldine ISD, the future of healthcare doesn't start after graduation. It starts in Room 1 — where a student in scrubs checks a patient's vitals, reads an X-ray, or prepares a medication in a pharmacy that looks exactly like the one at the hospital down the road. This is the HEAL Program. And it is just getting started.



Summer Infusion Experience in July 2024.

“Philanthropy is the magic that bridges vision and reality,” said Anne Neeson, Executive Vice President and CEO of the Memorial Hermann Foundation. “Because of Bloomberg Philanthropies, we have built the first mock hospital on a school campus — and we will provide hundreds of students with the tools and resources they need for a lifelong career in healthcare.”

Kate Herman of Bloomberg Philanthropies put it simply: “If even one student discovers their calling here, serves others with compassion, and builds a meaningful life, this investment is worth it. But we are grateful — it will be hundreds of stu-

dents.” Board President Dr. Kimberley N. Booker reflected on what the facility represents for Aldine ISD students: “If I had a program like this when I was growing up, I would be Dr. MD Booker. Our students are not pretending — they are preparing. Aldine continues to grow, and continues to grow professionals.”

The HEAL Program at Nimitz High School will continue to expand across four academic years, reaching its full capacity of approximately 760 students by 2028.

For more information about the HEAL Program at Nimitz High School, visit aldineisd.org/heal.

Appeals court rules commissioner Adrian Garcia remains in office,

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was invalid from the start because officials generally cannot appoint themselves to another office. The appeals court agreed, finding the move violated a “common law incompatibility” rule and concluding Garcia's appointment was void.

Because the appointment was void, the court said, it “did not affect his resignation as a county commissioner.” In other words, Garcia never lawfully held the second position and therefore did not automatically resign his commissioner's court seat.

Vega said he plans to ask the Texas Supreme Court to review the decision. “Our legal team is examining this matter at the highest level of the state judiciary, and we intend to continue forward with this process because we believe strongly that we have a legitimate case on behalf of the people of Harris County,” Vega said.

A spokesperson for Garcia's campaign called the suit a political effort to undo the results of elections in Precinct 2.

“Republicans have tried for years to unseat Commissioner Adrian Garcia,” Grant Martin said in an ABC-13 interview. “After losing again and again at the ballot box, they're now wasting taxpayer dollars by filing frivolous lawsuits. Voters know and trust Commissioner Garcia's steady, responsible leadership — and they will continue to keep him in office.”

Texas law and the state constitution generally

prohibit officeholders from simultaneously occupying certain public offices, particularly when the roles carry “conflicting loyalties.” Under the common-law incompatibility doctrine, accepting a second, incompatible office can operate as an automatic resignation from the first.

Accepting a conflicted second role is considered an automatic resignation from the first under common law incompatibility.

Goloby and Vega argued that because the Gulf Coast Protection District can contract with Harris County, Garcia's service on both bodies created an impermissible conflict. They asked the court to declare Garcia's commissioner's court seat vacant and sought to invalidate certain 3-2 votes he cast while the appointment was in effect.

The appeals court said the question was whether Garcia's appointment to the district was legally

valid. Because it was not, the court concluded Garcia never lawfully joined the district's board and therefore never held two offices at the same time for purposes of the incompatibility doctrine.

Created in 2021 to coordinate a regional approach to flood management, the Gulf Coast Protection District is led by an 11-member board, including one representative appointed by each of five counties — Harris, Galveston, Orange, Chambers and Jefferson — and additional members appointed by the governor. Garcia was tapped to represent Harris County in August 2021, about a month after the district was created.

Court filings show Harris County Flood Control District Executive Director Tina Petersen was appointed to replace Garcia on the district board in August 2024, the same month the lawsuit was filed.

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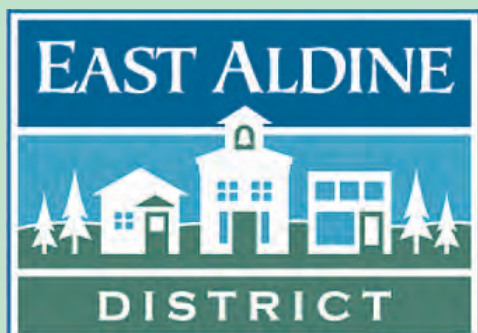
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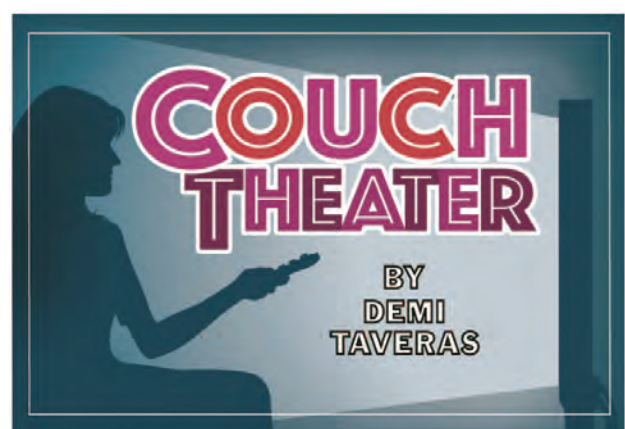


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All four episodes are out now to stream. (Hulu) "Balls Up" (R) — Who will volunteer as tribute to stop Mark Wahlberg from making action/comedy films...

"Funny AF with Kevin Hart" (TV-MA) — Comedian/actor Kevin Hart ("Borderlands") hosts this new competition show that searches for the next best stand-up comedian across the nation!

In Case You Missed It "Rental Family" (PG-13) — Oscar winner Brendan Fraser ("The Whale") leads this comedy-drama film that takes place in Japan...



Q:I saw that Alec Baldwin was back in court again for the unfortunate shooting on the set of his movie. I thought that all the charges against him were dismissed. — C.W.

A: Alec Baldwin was charged with involuntary manslaughter for the accidental death of cinematographer Halyna Hutchins, but a judge dismissed the case with prejudice...

Q:When is "Dexter" coming back, and which show will it be? I remember there were two new ones. I want to catch up on the episodes. — S.L.

A:"Dexter: Resurrection" stars Michael C. Hall in the titular role and continues the story where the original "Dexter" series left off...

"Dexter: Original Sin" was a prequel series that starred Patrick Gibson in the title role 15 years before Hall played him. It had a loyal following, but unfortunately, its second season was scrapped...

Brian Cox ("Succession") will be joining the cast of season two of "Resurrection" as the serial killer known as the New York Ripper. Fans might recall that Cox played a younger Hannibal Lektor in the 1986 film "Manhunter"...

"Dexter: New Blood" was a limited series about Dexter's son, Harrison. Jack Alcott will be returning in the role for "Resurrection," as he did in season one. This is a lot of "Dexter" to catch up on,



Actor Alec Baldwin ("Rust")

so get busy streaming!

Q: What ever happened to the spin-off of "The Neighborhood" with the sons? I just realized it never popped up for the new fall season. — H.C.

A:Unfortunately, the proposed spin-off about the Butler sons with Marcel Spears and Sheاون McKinney in their new neighborhood in Venice Beach, California, has been scrapped by CBS...

"The Neighborhood" did have another spin-off, but it was short-lived. It starred Tracy Morgan as Calvin's (Cedric the Entertainer) cousin and aired on Paramount+, but it was canceled after one season...

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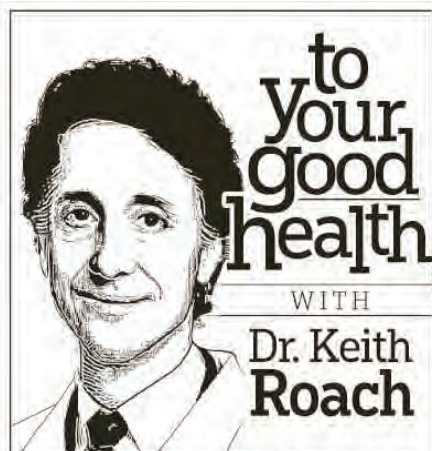
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Trivia Test by Fifi Rodriguez. 1. MOVIES: What is Indiana Jones' real first name in "Raiders of the Lost Ark"? 2. LITERATURE: What is Charlie's last name in the children's book "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory"?



A True Statement About Cancer Causes Intense Worry in Reader

DEAR DR. ROACH: I read your column every day. In a recent column, you wrote: "Since age is the major risk factor in getting cancer, it's likely that some people who were cured of their original cancer will later succumb to a different one."

This statement terrified me as I fall into this category. I had a lobectomy in 2009 to remove stage IA lung cancer that hadn't spread and for which I wasn't prescribed chemo or radiation. Annual CT scans since then have all been negative except for a pulmonary embolism in 2014, which resulted in a blood thinner prescription. I'm told that I will need to be on the blood thinner for the rest of my life.

Two years ago, my oncologist said that I could opt out of the scans and yearly visits since my chance of a recurrence was "less than 1%." (I think this was the percentage, or maybe I'm confusing it with something else she said.) Nevertheless, I decided to continue the scans and visits just to be on the safe side.

I rarely think about this cancer until it's time for a scan and a visit. However, your column shed new light on the situation, and as I said, now I'm scared to death. My first question is: Was it really necessary for you to include this statement since it was bound to frighten a great many people like me, who may not routinely worry about a 15-year-old cancer but will now most cer-

tainly worry?

My second question is: What can you say about my situation that may assuage my fears? — J.G.

ANSWER: I'm sorry to scare you. Every cancer survivor does know that cancer can come back. However, this risk goes down over time. How much and how quickly the risk goes down depends on the type of cancer. Your oncologist is right that for non-small cell lung cancer (I'm making an assumption), the risk is very low after 18 years. You should continue to follow her advice about follow-up scans.

What I was really referring to is that a person who's had cancer is more likely to get a new and separate cancer than the average person (who has about a 25% to 30% chance of dying from cancer). So, a cancer survivor should be diligent about following recommended screenings for other cancers, such as a mammogram, colonoscopy or PSA test (as appropriate for their age and sex).

Not all people (especially women) with lung cancer are current or former smokers, but those who are or were smokers should have careful exams of their mouths and throats. Lifestyle changes can also make a big difference with cancer risk, especially diet. A mostly plant-based diet reduces the risk of many cancers, and regular exercise helps as well. This is good advice for everyone — but especially those who have had cancer. Alcohol should be minimized or avoided entirely.

All of us live with the knowledge that we will die someday. Many people don't like to think about it, but physicians need to so that we can give our patients the best advice on how we can help them. For cancer survivors, this means being diligent about living wisely and getting the appropriate screening. It doesn't mean being obsessed with the possibility of an old cancer returning or a new cancer appearing.

Dr. Roach regrets that he is unable to answer individual questions, but will incorporate them in the column whenever possible. Readers may email questions to ToYourGoodHealth@med.cornell.edu.

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LSC students can plan for success with Full Year Schedule



Lone Star College System students can now plan their course schedules for the 2026-2027 academic year. Registration opens April 13.

HOUSTON — Lone Star College System students can now plan their courses for the full 2026-2027 academic year, allowing students to build their class schedules around work, child care and transportation needs.

"The Full Academic Year Schedule allows students to plan and register for fall, spring, summer and mini-mester sessions instead of one semester at a time," said Gerald F. Napoles, Ph.D., LSCS vice chancellor, Student Success. "This approach gives students greater clarity and flexibility as they map out their path and stay on track toward their educational journey."

Students can now view their course options for the 2026-2027 academic year, with registration

opening April 13.

Flexible learning options, including accelerated sessions and in-person, online and hybrid courses, can lead to time and cost savings.

"I have never felt so much like I was in a place that was truly dedicated to helping me succeed," said Ariana Almazan, LSC-University Park student. "Being able to engage in the community here at Lone Star College System and benefit from the resources available to me has allowed me to flourish and grow into the best version of myself."

The college system offers over 200 program options, including associate and bachelor's degrees, workforce certification, and pathways to transfer to four-year institutions. Learn more at LoneStar.edu/Registration.

tion.

Lone Star College System enrolls over 90,000 students each semester providing high-quality, low-cost academic transfer and career training education. LSCS is training tomorrow's workforce today and redefining the community college experience to support student success. Mario K. Castillo, J.D., serves as Chancellor of LSCS, the largest institution of higher education in the Houston area and has been named a 2025 Great Colleges to Work For® institution by the Chronicle of Higher Education. LSCS consists of eight colleges, six centers, eight Workforce Centers of Excellence and Lone Star Corporate College. To learn more, visit LoneStar.edu.

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