



# UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT INFORMATIONAL ITEM

**TOPIC:** UCAN for Educators Program Update

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**APPROVED FOR TRANSMITTAL TO SCHOOL BOARD:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE ASSIGNED FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION:** May 16, 2018

## **INFORMATIONAL REPORT:**

**United College Assistance Now (U-CAN) for Educators Program  
Content Area Master's Degree or 18 Hours Beyond Master's  
for Eligibility to Instruct Dual Enrollment Courses**

### **Purpose**

In our mission to provide high quality instruction and foster the professional growth of our teachers, United Independent School District ("UISD") seeks exemplary teacher candidates to participate in postgraduate studies at Texas A&M International University (TAMIU).

The vision of this initiative is to prepare teachers at the classroom/campus levels who will serve to instruct dual enrollment courses to interested/qualifying UISD students.



# U-CAN FOR EDUCATORS INITIATIVE UPDATES 2018-2019

May 8, 2018

Compiled by C&I- Advanced Academics

# **DISTRICT GOAL 1**

## **STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT**

- **Provide opportunities to assist students in preparing for college.**
- **United College Assistance Now (U-CAN) for Educators Program**
- **Content Area Master's Degree or 18 Hours Beyond Master's for Eligibility to Instruct Dual Enrollment Courses**



# U-CAN FOR EDUCATORS GUIDELINES



## U-CAN

### United College Assistance Now for High School Educators Program

U-CAN is a program for United ISD high school certified educators wishing to seek a content specific Masters Degree from Texas A&M International University. Upon completing a vetting process through United ISD Human Resources Department qualified candidates can begin a content specific 36 hour Masters Degree as early as Summer 2018. United ISD is accepting applications for the U-CAN Program.

#### INTERESTED APPLICANTS SHOULD

**STEP 1**

**APPLY FOR ADMISSIONS  
AT TAMU**

**STEP 2**

**COMPLETE VETTING  
APPLICATION FOR HR**

**STEP 3**

**ENROLL IN COURSE  
WORK**

#### APPLICATION DEADLINE

**APRIL 6, 2018**

#### FIRST DAY OF SEMESTER

**JUNE 4, 2018**

#### CONTENT SPECIFIC PROGRAMS IN

- (1) Art
- (2) English
- (3) Math
- (4) Science
- (5) Psychology
- (6) Speech
- (7) U.S. History
- (8) Sociology
- (9) Business Information Management
- (10) Spanish

**For more information about U-CAN contact Academic Partnerships at 473- 5247  
or visit [www.web2.uisd.net/staff](http://www.web2.uisd.net/staff)**

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# COHORT COMPLETION DATES

Current Campus	Degree Program	Term Started	Projected Completion	Ready For SY 2018-19	Ready For SY 2019-20
USHS	Math	SS 2017	Fall 2019		1
TMS	Math	SS/Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
UHS	English	Fall 2017	SPR 2020		1
AHS	History/Gov	Spring 2018	Fall 2018	1	
LBJHS	Math	Fall 2017	SPR 2020		1
LBJHS	English	SS 2017/Fall 2017	SPR 2020		1
LOMS	English	Fall 2017	Fall 2018	1	
TMS	English	Spring 2018	SPR 2020		1
AHS	Communication	Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
UHS9th	History	Fall 2017	SPR 2020		1
UHS	History	Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
USHS	History	SS/Fall 2017	Fall 2020		1
AHS	History	Fall 2017	Fall 2018	1	
USHS	History	SS 2017	SPR 2019	1	
UHS	Math	Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
USHS	History	Spring 2018	SPR 2019	1	
LBJHS	English	SS 2017/Fall 2017	Fall 2018	1	
USHS	English	SS 2017/Fall 2017	Fall 2018	1	
USHS	Psychology	SS/Fall 2017	SPR 2019	1	
UHS	English	Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
LBJHS	English	Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
STEP	Spanish	Spring 2018	Fall 2020		1
LBJHS	English	Fall 2017	Now	1	
USHS	History	Spring 2018	Fall 2020		1
AHS	History	Fall 2017	Fall 2018	1	
AHS	Math	Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
UHS	Math	SS 2017/Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
LBVMS	Math	SS 2017	Fall 2019		1
USHS	Speech	Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
USHS	History	SS 2017/Fall 2017	SPR 2019	1	
STEP	Math	Fall 2017	SPR 2019	1	
STEP	Psychology	Fall 2017	Fall 2020		1
AHS	Biology	Fall 2017	Fall 2019		1
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# EARLY START PATHWAY COURSE OPTIONS

Foundational Component Areas	College Course	High School Course	Required SCH
Creative Arts	ARTS 1301 -Art Appreciation	Art 1 (9th)	3
American History	HIST 1301 - United States History I	SS Adv. Studies (10th)	6
	HIST 1302 - United States History II	US History (11th)	
Communication	ENGL 1301 - Composition I	English 3 (11th)	6
	ENGL 1302 - Composition II	English 4 (12th)	
Math	MATH 1314 - College Algebra	4th Math (12th)	3
Language, Philosophy, and Culture	ENGL 2327 - American Literature	English 4 (12th)	3
Government/Political Science	GOVT 2305 - Federal Government	Government (12th)	6
	GOVT 2306 - Texas Government	SS Spec. Topics (12th)	
Social /Behavioral Science	PSYC 2301 - General Psychology	Psychology (12th)	3
<i>Total Core</i>			30

# BUDGET IMPLICATIONS

## FALL 2017

- LCC TUITION: \$270/STUDENT
- US HISTORY 1302 TUITION: \$226,575.00  
(839 STUDENTS)
- \*ENGLISH 1302 TUITION : \$187,920.00  
(SAVINGS FOR 696 STUDENTS WITH 9 TEACHERS)

TOTAL TUITION PAID TO LCC: \$226,575.00

(INSTEAD OF \$414,495.00) (\*SAVINGS: \$187,920.00)



# BUDGET IMPLICATIONS SPRING 2018

- LCC TUITION: \$270/STUDENT
- COLLEGE MATH TUITION: \$66,150.00 (245 STUDENTS)
- COLLEGE MATH TUITION: \$71,280.00  
(\*SAVINGS FOR 264 STUDENTS WITH 4 TEACHERS)
- ENGLISH 1301 TUITION : \$204,390.00  
(\*SAVINGS FOR 757 STUDENTS WITH 10 TEACHERS)
- PSY/SOCI TUITIOIN : \$59,400.00  
(\*SAVINGS FOR 220 STUDENTS WITH 2 TEACHERS)
- TOTAL TUITION PAID TO LCC: \$ 66,150.00  
(INSTEAD OF \$401,220.00) (\*SAVINGS: \$335,070.00)