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College Is What's Next

Thanks to supporters and partners of the South Plains Closing the Gaps P-20 Council, students in the region are able to realize their dream of going to college and improving the quality of life for their families. The council partnered with the statewide campaign, Generation Texas (GenTX) and established the South Plains GenTX Scholarship Fund. Donations of any amount for the scholarship fund are appreciated. First time entering college students from the area are eligible to apply for a \$500 scholarship. The application is available at www.SouthPlainsGenTX.org. Deadline to apply is March 15, 2014. Donors and recipients will be recognized at the 3rd annual College Signing Day scheduled for May 2, 2014. The council provides students and families in the region with college and career readiness programming, professional development for educators, and advocacy for students in pre-kindergarten through twelfth grade.

College interns from Texas Tech University and South Plains College known as GenTXperts assist the council with outreach. GenTX events and resources are provided to schools to help promote a college going culture.

Council Partners include: Texas Tech University, South Plains College, Wayland Baptist University, Lubbock Christian University, United Way of Lubbock, Region 17 Education Service Center and area ISDs, Covenant Health System, LEARN Inc., Lubbock Boys & Girls Clubs, Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, and United Supermarkets Inc.



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