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Thank you for subscribing to our Plan4College E-newsletter, a supplement to our Plan4College Centers at Martin Regional Library and Rudisill Regional Library.

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## Upcoming Programs:

### Yes, I'm 18!!! The Legal Rights and Responsibilities of Becoming an Adult @ Hardesty Regional Library

Saturday, September 17  
10:00AM-12:00PM  
8316 E. 93<sup>rd</sup> St.

Turning 18 is a milestone, but it also brings legal responsibilities. Attorney Julie Ball will offer insight into some of the newfound freedoms and expectations with becoming an adult. Eileen Kenney, enrollment services director for TCC West Campus, will offer information about what colleges look for and how online presence affects college acceptance. This program is for anyone newly 18, nearing 18 or planning to begin the college admission process. Parents are welcome. Preregistration is required. Call 918-549-7430 to register.

## Check It Out!

What do you want to be when you grow up? When we're young, we seem to know exactly what we want to do. Sometimes we change our minds as we get older. There are many resources available at the library to help you make good decisions. Here are some examples:



## Scholarships

Check out these scholarship programs. Do you qualify? Be sure to apply, but don't miss those deadlines.

- AES Engineers Scholarship**
- Distinguished Young Women**
- Coca Cola Scholars**
- Education Matters Scholarship**
- United States Senate Youth Program**

## Plan 4 College @ Zarrow Regional Library

Thursday, September 22  
6:00PM-7:00PM  
2224 W. 51<sup>st</sup> St.

To get the job and future you want, you need a college degree! Learn about financial-aid opportunities, what grades you should make, what classes you should take, how to work with school counselors and more. For teens.

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## Required Coursework for College

All students graduating from an Oklahoma public high school must complete the course requirements listed below. These are the courses you must take to go to an Oklahoma state college or university. Click on the links below for more information and be sure to speak with your high school guidance counselor to make sure you are on the right track.

Course Requirements for Oklahoma State Colleges and Universities		
English	4 units	Grammar, composition and literature
Math	3 units	Algebra I & II, geometry, trigonometry, math analysis, pre-calculus, calculus and AP statistics
Laboratory Science	3 units	Biology, chemistry, physics or any lab science
History & Citizenship	3 units	Must include 1 unit of American history, and 2 units of history, economics, geography, government, civics, and/or non-Western culture
Other	2 units	Any of the subjects listed above or <a href="#">computer science</a> or <a href="#">foreign language</a>

## Learning Express

Did you know the library offers a test prep database for **free**? **Learning Express** features online interactive practice tests designed to help students succeed on academic or licensing tests. You'll get immediate scoring, complete answer explanations, and individualized analysis of your practice exam results. College entrance exams (graduate and undergraduate levels) include GED, PSAT, ACT, SAT, GRE, GMAT, and MCAT.

This database is available at all library branches or from home, and there is a free one-time registration requirement for TCCL library card holders.

### ***How Do I Access this Database From Home?***

1. Have your library card number ready.
2. Go to [www.tulsalibrary.org](http://www.tulsalibrary.org).
3. Select "Research" from the top menu.
4. Select "Find Articles & Databases"—top icon on the left.
5. Select "Alphabetical list of all databases."
6. For **test preparation**, choose **Learning Express**.

Go to [Account set up instructions](#) to register!