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2022 Region III – 2A UIL Academic Meet Handbook



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A Letter from Our President



Dear UIL Participants:

Welcome to Panola College! Congratulations on your UIL accomplishments that made it possible for you to be here today. We are happy to have you on our campus. I hope that while you are here you will be able to tour some of our new facilities.

Over the past few years, we saw the opening of the new Charles C. Matthews Foundation Student Center (located directly behind the Frances B. Ross Millennium Clock Tower), the new state-of-the-art Health and Natural Sciences Building (take a look at the new Floating Granite Fountain located just outside the building), . Monk Hall was renovated for five computer labs, classroom space, and a tiered lecture hall ,and the renovated Arthur Johnson Gymnasium. We are very pleased that this January, our new Music Building, The Francis B. Ross opened. Maybe you will have time for a specialty coffee at Charlie's Bistro located just inside the foyer of the gymnasium

As a college serving both commuter and residential students, Panola College provides the advantages of attending a major university on a small college campus at a fraction of the cost. We offer a variety of academic transfer classes leading to a bachelor's degree and technical/health care career program of studies leading to employment upon graduation. We pride ourselves on our commitment of being student centered.

Panola College is proud of our strong support for teaching and learning, fine and performing arts, and intercollegiate athletics. Panola College offers an exceptional education at an affordable price and our graduates succeed!

Again, welcome to our campus and best wishes with your UIL Regional Spring Meet.

Sincerely,

Dr. Gregory S. Powell

Dr. Gregory Powell came to Panola College in 2000. During his tenure the College has experienced unprecedented growth and the construction of new student apartments and improvements in facilities. The College has been recognized by <u>The Chronicle of Higher Education</u> as A Great College to Work For (Honor Roll). In addition, the College has been awarded Center for Digital Education's "Digital Community College Award" in the small college's division nine times since 2003.





Panola College - Carthage

Panola College is a thriving and award-winning community college located in Carthage, Texas. The name derives from Panola County, Texas, of which Carthage is the county seat.

In just more than 65 years, Panola College has grown in both size and in the scope of its services offered to its students and its community. The school, which was established in 1947, was created to provide young people with the opportunity to earn the first two years of a traditional baccalaureate. The services the College offers have expanded greatly to meet community needs, providing a wide range of educational and training opportunities to citizens of all ages.

The College began operating temporary buildings before the first two permanent buildings were erected in 1949. A 35-acre campus at the junction of Texas state Highway 315 and U.S. 79 in Carthage has been the school's home since its inception. There are now nineteen permanent buildings with more than 135 acres available for expansion in the coming century.

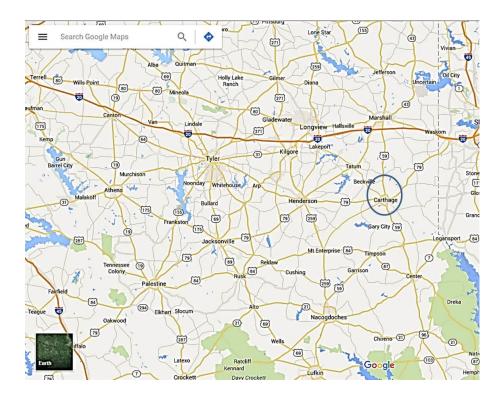
In addition to a comprehensive community college in Carthage, the school offers a variety of instructional opportunities in a four-county service area including Harrison, Marion, and Shelby counties.

These three counties became part of the college's official service area by legislative act in 1995. Enrollment at the College has grown from fewer than 100 students at the first registration in January of 1948 to over 2,600. The College provides many services, which enrich the lives of individuals in the region.

In 1998 Panola College requested authority to offer distance learning classes and presently offers several distance learning degrees.







Carthage is located 32 miles South of Longview, Texas and I-20 off Hwy 149.

50 miles north of Nacogdoches on State Hwy 59.

30 miles east of Henderson on State Highway 79.





Academic Entries

(Should be certified through the UIL online System)

FEES (Form can be found on page 15.)

In order to expedite the payment process for the Region III–AA 2022 Spring Meet, the Regional Director has authorized the following flat rate fee schedule:

Academic entry fee per district One-Act Play entry fee \$3,650.00 \$ 975.00/participating company

PAYMENT INFO

The District Spring Meet Chair for each district represented in Region III–AA will collect and submit the fees for that district. <u>Payments are due by Monday, April 18, 2022.</u> Please include in your payment the <u>District Academic Payment Form</u> located in the back of this handbook. UIL OAP Fee is paid only by those schools who have advanced to the Regional Competition.

OAP Fee's are due no later than the day of the contest.

A list of absent contestants will be reported to the State UIL office from each academic event. It is extremely important you notify the regional director in advance if a contestant will be unable to attend the regional competition and that your school has contacted the alternate to take the contestants place.

All academic questions should be directed to Karen King.

Contact information

Karen King Regional Academic Director <u>uilacademics@panola.edu</u> 903-693-2064

Karen King Regional OAP Event Director, Contest Manager, Academic Director kking@panola.edu 903-693-2064





General Information

Academic UIL Headquarters

The Academic UIL Headquarters is located in the Lobby of the Charles Matthews Student Center. The Hospitality Room is located in the Murphy Payne Room in the library on Friday and in the Charles Matthews Ballroom on Saturday.. Hospitality is for Coaches, Drivers, Sponsors, Judges, and other UIL workers – no students will be admitted.

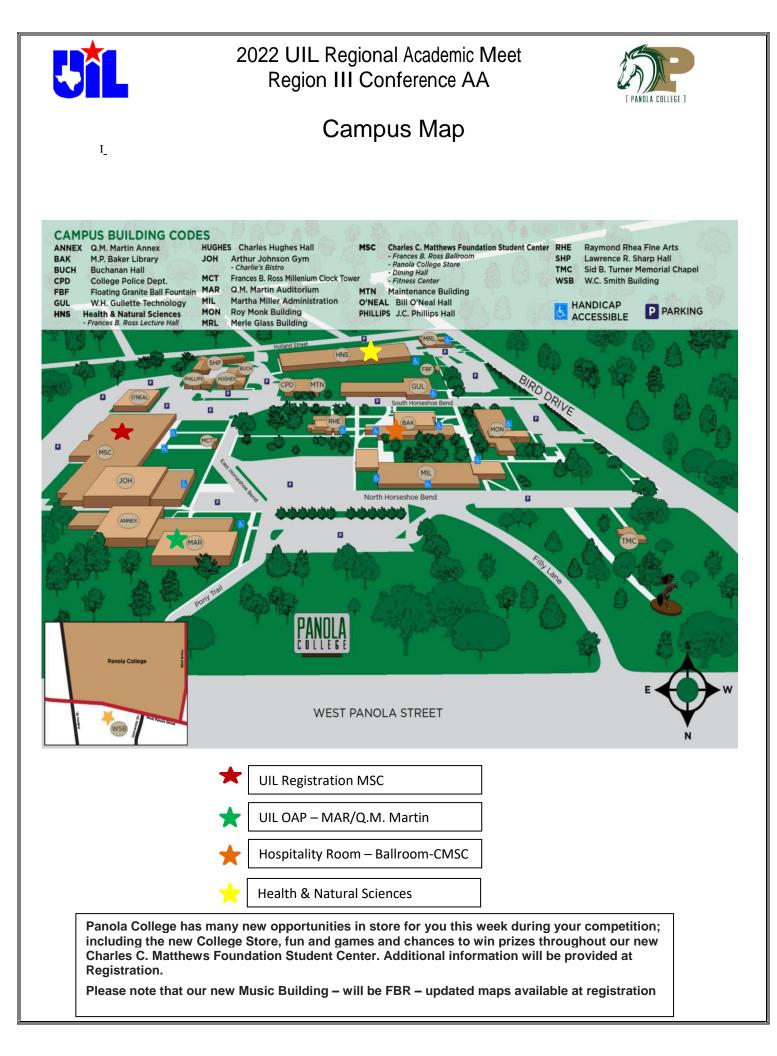
Participant Requirements

We have a few requirements that we ask our participants to follow:

- * The designated administrator of each school who has a qualified representative is responsible for knowing the dates for the meet and the scheduled time for each contest or event. All events will start at exactly the time posted. A roll call will be taken for each contest or event. Participants will NOT be allowed to enter the contest after the contest has begun.
- * Each school must follow the Spring Meet Code as outlined in this handbook and the Constitution and Contest Rules of the University Interscholastic League, which encourages all participants to compete in all contest in the spirit of fairness, good sportsmanship and high ethics. Graders from school coaches are encouraged to participate in order to help facilitate the contest. The CC&R states the conditions in which coaches may assist in grading for contests.
- * Participants should accept decision of officials or judges, treat officials with respect, treat opponents as guests and should put sportsmanship above victory. Violation of the code may result in probation, disqualification, or suspension of participants and/or schools.
- * Coaches and Sponsors are responsible for the safety and conduct of their students. The Charles Matthews Student Center as well as the Lobby areas of the new Health and Science Building, Q.M. Martin Auditorium, A.J. Johnson Gym, and Ballrooms will be available for students and their coaches and sponsors as a gathering area. District assignments will be handed out during registeration. Our facilities offer areas for charging electronic devices, tables, couches, chairs, as well as vending machines.

Coach and Participant Registration

All coaches, school officials and participants are asked to register upon arrival in the entrance at the Student Center. Updated schedules, maps and other pertinent information will be available in your packet. If your school purchased meal vouchers, they will be in your packet.



Awards Presentation

Contest Results and Medals

The results of the academic contests on Friday and Saturday will be posted and announced at the Student Center.

Participants, coaches and other school officials are urged to attend all verification periods. After the final results are posted, the participant or a school representative may pick up the awards at Student Center Ballroom. Please ask judges to remain in the room during verification periods. The regional meet director is not responsible for contacting participants who fail to pick up their medals/awards.

All individual winner medals will be awarded following **EACH** event at the UIL Headquarters in the Student Center once the scores have been verified and declared official.

Those schools unable to pick up their awards at the time of announcement will have the medals and/or trophies placed in their Meet Materials Bag. These bags must be picked up before your school leaves the campus on Saturday. If unable to pick up your materials, you need to bring a self-addressed stamped or pre-paid box in order for the tests, ballots, etc.to be returned to you. Schools leaving materials and not providing an envelope will have until Tuesday, April 26 to provide pick-up of those materials. Unless other arrangements are made, these materials will be shredded.

UIL State Meet Information

Information regarding the 2022 UIL Academic State Meet is posted on the UIL web site, <u>www.uiltexas.org</u>. Note: Each contest package does include information cards for each student who advances on to the state level.

Coaches and participants must go to the UIL web site for tentative schedules, University of Texas campus map and parking information.





Area Restaurants

(Carthage, TX 75633)

The Bulldawg Stop 713 W. Panola 903.693.7727

Church's Chicken 1025 Hwy 59N 903.693.9312

Dairy Queen 1001 E. Sabine 903.694.2815

Denny's 1086 Hwy 59S 903.690.0330

Chicken Express 1517 W. Panola (903) 693-7073

Taco Bell

1519 W. Panola

Jalapeno Tree 510 W. Panola 903.694.2219

Panda Express

1515 W. Panola

Little Caesars 4399 NW Loop 903.265.7318 McDonald's 1415 W. Panola 90. 693.9531

Milano's Pizza 467 W. Panola 903.693.7747

Pizza Hut 1100 W. Panola 903.693.4331

Rancho Grande 212 N. Adams St. 903.693.3106

Sonic Drive-In 710 W. Panola 903.693.5181

Subway 1018 W. Panola 90. 693.8438

Super China Buffet 611-A W. Panola 903.690.0888

Texas Tea Room 100 E. Sabine 903.693.8689

Whataburger 819 W. Panola 903.690.9600





Charles Matthews Student Center Dining Hall

Pre-order your meals – please see order form on the last page of the handbook..

Also open will be Charlie's Bistro and Coffee Shop serving Starbucks!.

Our Bistro, located in the A. Johnson Gym, next to the Student Center, offers a variety of snack bar type offerings.

Charlie's Bistro: 8:30 am-- 5 pm on Friday, 8:30 – 2:30 p.m - Saturday

Hospitality for Drivers, Coaches, Judges, Directors, and Site Crew in the Murphy Payne Room.

Area Lodging

Please mention Regional UIL when booking your rooms to receive the hotels discounts.

Inwood Suites 2313 SE Loop 903.694.9075 **Best Western Inn** 2332 SE Loop 903.694.2809

Comfort Inn & Suites 2235 SE Loop 903.693.6700 Holiday Inn Express 2295 SE Loop 903.693.8585

Super 8 Motel 2386 S.E. Loop 903.693.7200

Western Twelve Oaks Motel 2298 SE Loop Hwy 59 903.693.7828





Academic Event Schedule OAP

One Act Play – Region III, 2A **One Act Play** – Region III, 2A

Thursday, April 21, 2022

Fee for One Act Play is paid only by the participating schools – fee for 2022 is \$975 and is due upon your arrival to campus prior to your rehearsal..

The following performance times determined by a blind draw.

Rehearsals will begin on Wednesday, April 20, 2022. Rehearsal schedule will be determined after the Area contests have concluded.

Director's Meeting @ 10:00 a.m. Performances begin at 11 a.m.

Performance Order - Plays run back-to-back with no intermission

Area 1 - 2A - Districts 17-20 / Area 2 - 2A - Districts 21-24The following performance times determined by a blind draw.

1.	Area 1, A play
2.	Area 2, A play
3.	Area 1, B play
4.	Area 1, C play
5.	Area 2, C play
6.	Area 2, B play

Please see the UIL OAP Region Information packet regarding judges, specs, and other pertinent information at the following link <u>UIL OAP HANDBOOK</u>

Attendance for all plays is \$15.00 regardless if one sees one show or all six. Company Members, Directors, and Bus Drivers receive passes for all shows. No one will be admitted once a performance has begun. *Please remember this is a competition and children under the age of six will not be admitted into the performances. They are welcome at critiques and awards.* Please ensure parents, relatives, and family friends are aware of this.

PURCHASE TICKETS: PANOLA BOOKTIX





Friday, April 22, 2022 Academic Competitions

All room assignments will be available at the Registration Desk, located in the Charles Matthews Student Center. This scheduled adjusted and approved by State Office - 2/15/2022

Speaking Events, Ready Writing, Lit Crit and Computer Science.

Academics Competition

All Speaking Events, Computer Science, Lit Crit, and Ready Writing

- 8:00-4:00 Registration Open -Charles Matthews Student Center (CMSC)
- 8:30 a.m. Roll Call L/D Debate
- 9:00 a.m. Roll Call for Prose, and Poetry, Document Check, Category Draw
- 9:00 a.m. Round 1 L/D Debate
- 9:00 a.m. Ready Writing
- 9:15 a.m. Alternates seated for Prose and Poetry
- 9:30 a.m. Prelims Prose and Poetry
- 10:00 a.m. Round 2 LD
- 11:30 a.m. Round 3 L/D Debate
- 12:00 p.m. Verification Prose & Poetry
- 12:30 p.m. Extemp Roll Call
- 12:45 pm. Extemp Draw
- 2:30 p.m. Quarter Final Round L/D Debate
- 2:30 p.m. Prose & Poetry Finals
- 2:30 p.m. Computer Science Written Test
- 3:00 p.m. Coaches Verification Extemp
- 3:30 p.m. Extemp Finals Roll Call
- 4:00p.m. Literary Criticism
- 4:00 p.m. Computer Science Programming
- 5:30 p.m. LD Semis
- 6:30 p.m. LD Finals





Academic Competitions Schedule Saturday, April 23, 2022

- 7:00-2:00 Registration Open -
- 8:00 a.m. Number Sense

Current Issues & Events

- 8:30 a.m. Calculator Set Up
- 9:00 a.m. Calculator Applications Event Computer Applications Set Up
- 10:00 a.m. Computer Applications Event General Journalism Meeting
- 10;30 a.m. Copy Editing Science Setup
- 11:00 a.m. News Writing
- 11:00 a.m. Spelling Accounting Science
- 12:00 p.m. Feature Writing
- 1:00 p.m. Social Studies Setup
- 1:30 p.m. Editorial Writing Social Studies
- 2:30 p.m. Mathematics Headline Writing





Speech Events

General Instructions and Information

All Speech Events Prose and Poetry Prelims and Finals will be held on Friday, April 22,2022 The Ready Writing, Literary Criticism, and Computer Science competitions will also take place on Friday, April 22, 2022.

All schools MUST check in at the Charles Matthews Student Center. Follow the signs to Registration.

LD Debate, Prose, Poetry, Informative and Persuasive:

Judges for these events are provided by Panola College Contest Directors, and the Regional Academic Committee.

IMPORTANT: PROSE/POETRY CONTESTANTS

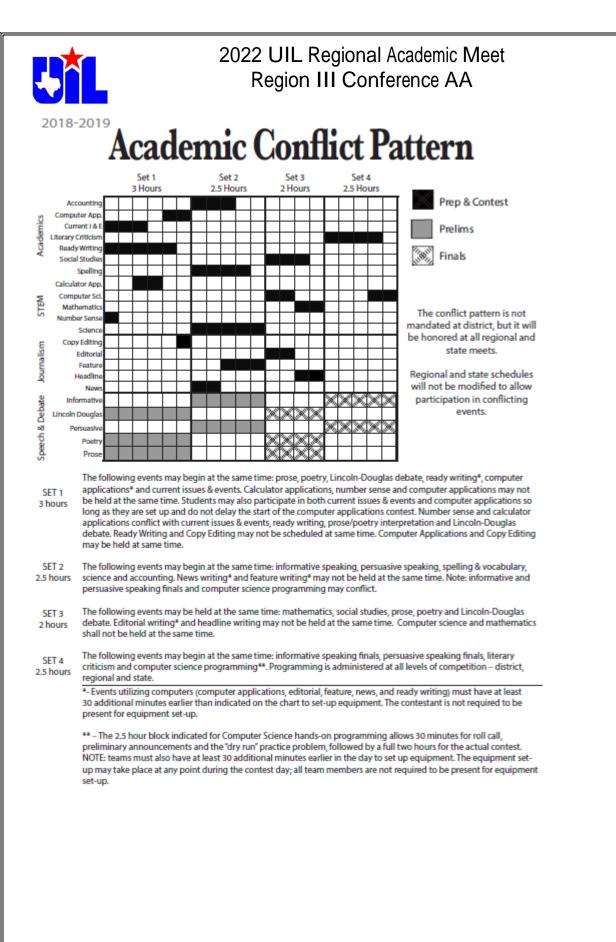
We are requesting that all documentation along with the Oral Interpretation Documentation form (found on the last page of this Handbook) be scanned and emailed to the Regional site by Wednesday, Monday, April 11, 2022 The email address is <u>uildocumentation@panola.edu</u>. PLEASE NO PICTURES – SCANNED DOCUMENTS.

VERY IMPORTANT that in your email subject line – you provide the event, last name of contestant, and your District #. For example: Poetry, Smith, District 21 Failure to correctly use this format in the Email Subject Line may result in your documentation not being seen.

Emailing your documentation does not take the place of bringing the hard copies, approved UIL copies, or the other UIL Acceptable documentation with you. The predocumentation check is to help avoid any issues that may arise at the official documentation check at the contest. There is a documentation check prior to prelims on Friday.

All judges are required to stay until all ranks have been verified.

The RAC committee will be available for interpretation of documentation Failure to have proper documentation will lead to disqualification.









Athletic Events

UIL Regional Athletic Events are being held at different venues. Please refer to the following link for the Spring Meet Athletic Events:

http://www.uiltexas.org/tennis/regional-sites/regional-spring-meet-conference-2a-region-iii





District Payment Form All Payments are due by Tuesday, April 12, 2022. – . This form MUST be submitted with each payment. Please include names of all schools in your district							
District #:							
Name of District UIL	Director:						
Phone Number:	Email:						
Names of Schools:							
	Please submit separate checks for Academic Fee and Food.						
	e: \$3,650.00 Make checks payable to Panola College						
Meals on Campus -	 Pre-Order form available at the end of the handbook 						
Please mail payment	Panola College Att: UIL Regional – Karen King 1109 W. Panola						
	Carthage, TX 75633						

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BEAT THE CROWDS – EAT ON CAMPUS

Pre-Order meals for your entire group at just \$6.50 per person.

Baskets at \$6.50

Burger Basket – includes the popular ¼ Lb. Pony Burger with toppings, fries and a fountain drink Garden Burger – (Vegetarian) Garden Burger with toppings, fries and a fountain drink

Chicken Tender Basket - includes three chicken tenders, fries and a fountain drink

Crispy Chicken Salad – Iceberg lettuce, tomato, cucumber, shredded cheddar cheese, crispy fried chicken and a fountain drink

Grilled Chicken Salad - Iceberg lettuce, tomato, cucumber, shredded cheddar cheese, fajita chicken and a fountain drink

Garden Burger Salad - Iceberg lettuce, tomato, cucumber, shredded cheddar cheese, a garden burger patty and a fountain drink

Payable by Check to Sodexo or Credit Card or Cash

Please fill out this form – scan and email to <u>kking@panola.edu</u>. Please state in Subject Email: 2A-R3 – Food Order

SCHOOL	-	Teacher		
Contact Phone		Contact Email		
Payment Method	Cash	School check		Credit Card
How Many	Description	Cost	Total	
	Burger Basket	\$6.50		
	Garden Burger Basket	\$6.50		
	Chicken Tenders Basket	\$6.50		
	Crispy Chicken Salad	\$6.50		
	Grilled Chicken Salad	\$6.50		
	Garden Burger Salad	\$6.50		
		TOTAL COST		