Vanguard College Preparatory School believes in the value of a college preparatory education and appreciates the long-standing partnership with Baylor University. Since 2003, 115 Vanguard graduates have chosen Baylor University to continue their academic pursuits.

WHY VANGUARD
Vanguard features small class-sizes where students get individualized attention. They instill time management, organization skills, and study habits in their students, which benefit them for the rest of their lives. Not only do we offer students in grades 6-12 a full slate of academics, fine arts, sports, and extracurricular activities, but we also teach responsibility, rigor, and respect. Vanguard’s SAT scores are 27% higher than the state average and the school has produced over 49 National Merit Finalists in the past 18 years. Vanguard believes our education standards align with the high standards of Baylor University.

BAYLOR FACULTY AND STAFF BENEFITS
• Tuition Assistance consideration for all Baylor Employees
• The Bright Futures Scholarship for a rising 7th grader
  The recipient will be selected based on being a well-rounded student who will take advantage of all that Vanguard has to offer. The recipient will uphold Vanguard’s values including, but not exclusive to, a sense of community, physical vigor, passion for learning, and a willingness to try new things. Vanguard’s core values are rigor, respect, and responsibility. Current VCPS 6th graders may apply.

REQUIREMENTS FOR AN APPLICATING CANDIDATE INCLUDE:
• Parent is a current full-time Baylor employee
• Vanguard on-campus visit by family and prospective student
• Prospective student shadows a current 7th grader for an entire day
• Prospective student transcript
• Vanguard application completed.
• Student interview with Vanguard School representatives
• Maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA annually 7th - 12th grade
• Abide by Vanguard Honor Code
• Current VCPS 6th graders may apply via contacting Chelsa Ressetar
Vanguard College Preparatory School Baylor’s Bright Scholarship Opportunity

For consideration for Vanguard “Bright” Future scholarship, the applicant must contact Vanguard and complete the requirements by **December 31st, 2023**. 6th graders from all schools are eligible to apply, including current VCPS 6th graders who have parents who work at Baylor. All interviews will be completed in January. Vanguard will notify the scholarship recipient in early February.

To apply for the Bright Scholarship or inquire about admission and tuition assistance, contact Chelsa Ressetar at chelsa_resetar@vanguard.org or call 254-772-8111.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, GO TO WWW.VANGUARD.ORG.

WE ARE PROUD TO ANNOUNCE THE 2023-2024 “BRIGHT” FUTURE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

**TATUM HENNIG**

Tatum Hennig is the daughter of Tierra Hennig. Tatum is a China Spring native and currently attends China Spring Intermediate.

Tierra is the Administrative Operations Manager serving the Undergraduate Business and Honors students. She helps with employer recruiting, student engagement, on-campus interviews, and career events for the Career Center. Tierra works with employers on their recruitment efforts and discusses how they can actively engage on-campus and hire Baylor students.

Tatum enjoys math, science, and English. She loves to play with her 3 dogs and 2 cats, especially her Rhodesian Ridgeback, Jogger. Tatum was a part of the percussion at China Spring Intermediate in 6th grade and learned the bells and drums, she looks forward to growing her musical talent. Some of her hobbies include writing, digital art, playing piano, basketball, running and going to the beach. Tatum is thrilled for the opportunity to be a Vanguard Viking!