


# UPWARD BOUND



October 2018



TRIO students from Sinton, Odem, and A. C. Jones high school pose with Ms. Santa Contreras Barraza, a contemporary Chicana/Tejana artist who is a professor of art at Texas A&M University-Kingsville.

## Upcoming Events:

October 27th Saturday Academic Meeting Community Service Event:  
Special Olympics at Bowlero in Corpus Christi, Texas



We will be volunteering at a bowling competition for children and adults with intellectual disabilities. Give back to the community by participating in this service and enjoy a fun surprise we have planned after!



## The AV Club

As promised, this school year will bring new

components to the UB Program, including an Audio Library and

YouTube channel. Log onto [coastalbend.edu/ub](http://coastalbend.edu/ub) and/or [coastalbend.edu/ubrural](http://coastalbend.edu/ubrural) for podcast interviews of UB alum and highlight reels of our Academic Saturdays.

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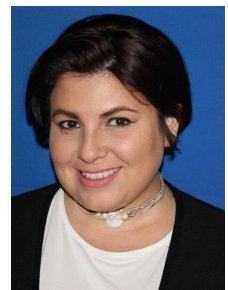
SOON!

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## Tutoring Now Available

Struggling with a subject? Need help preparing for the TSI or ACT?

Upward Bound offers tutoring to help you overcome your academic challenges. Please feel free to contact me to schedule a session at your school.



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### ACT REMINDER:

November 2nd is the deadline to register for the December 8th testing date. Seniors will be testing at this time.

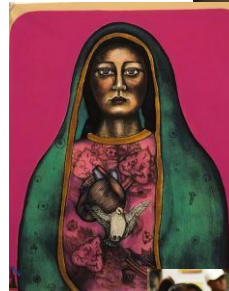




*A word about our host institution  
Coastal Bend College...*

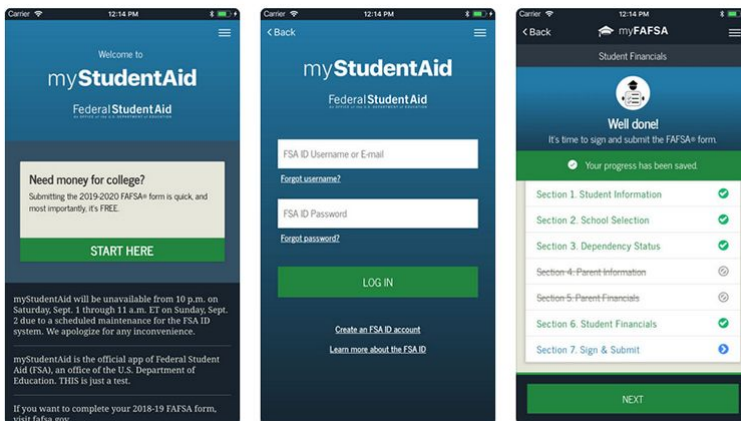
Internationally renowned Latina artist Santa Barraza lectured during a presentation of her

work on 9/26/18. TRIO students had the chance to meet her and received autographed prints of her paintings.



## SENIORS

The U.S. Education Department (ED) just rolled out its first mobile app to apply for federal student aid.



Students and parents will be able to submit new and renewal applications for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for the 2019–20 FAFSA processing cycle.

Additionally, students may use the myCollegeScorecard feature to view and compare additional information about prospective schools. The myStudentAid app is free to use and available for iOS and Android devices