

# Godby High School ACADEMY OPEN HOUSE



Tuesday, February 4<sup>th</sup> 5:30-7:00 p.m. Godby Media Center



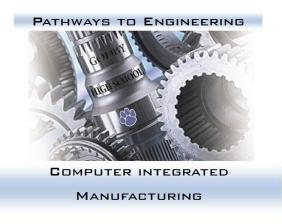
Drop in and find out more about Godby High School's Academy Programs:

Academy of Information Technology

Academy of Finance

**Academy of Computer Integrated Manufacturing** 









## Godby High School

It is our mission to produce graduates who have the academic and technological skills necessary to think analytically and communicate clearly so they can be productive members of our global community.

### **CAREER ACADEMIES**

#### **Academy of Finance:**

The Academy of Finance provides hands-on experience, allowing students a unique opportunity for learning numerous aspects of finance. Students can take advantage of honors-weighted and advanced placement courses. Students receive a rigorous and relevant curriculum for achieving success in high school and prepare for specific jobs throughout the financial industry. The Academy of Finance students at Godby High School take part in a unique experience that is made possible through our partnership with the United Way of the Big Bend and our local IRS. Godby's finance students are trained and certified by the IRS to prepare federal income tax returns for members of our community free of charge. This service allows our students real-life experience and exposes them to the realities of our economy. In addition, these students experience the great satisfaction of helping others in need. Students also have opportunities for other internships in the field of finance and have the opportunity to earn industry-level certifications.

#### **Certifications Available:**

Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) - Word; PowerPoint; Excel; Outlook; Access VITA (Voluntary Income Tax Assistant) & QuickBooks

#### **Academy of Information Technology:**

The Academy of Information Technology (AOIT) offers an honors-weighted and advanced placement integrated program, linking the core academic subjects to information technology and computer content. The AOIT combines college preparatory curriculum with an information technology career oriented study track. The program also prepares students to test for numerous

industry certifications while still in high school. When students graduate from the AOIT program, they are prepared to enter both the traditional four-year university and join the work force. AOIT Students can choose to specialize in one or more of the following areas: Digital Design, Networking & Web Design

#### **Certifications available:**

Adobe Certified Associate (ACA) - Photoshop; Dreamweaver; Flash; Premiere; After Effects Certified Internet Web Professional (CIW)
CompTiaA+ and Network+
Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) - Word; PowerPoint; Excel; Outlook; Access

#### <u>Pathways to Engineering – Academy of Computer Integrated Manufacturing:</u>

The mission of the Pathways to Engineering program is to provide students with a foundation of knowledge and experiences in the study of the applications of engineering and its effect upon society. To accomplish this goal, a curriculum driven by students engaging in hands-on projects with a focus on the fundamental concepts of engineering design analysis, robotics and the production processes and systems used in the advanced manufacturing industry. Students who graduate from the program earn college credit and nationally recognized certifications that prepare them to enter both an institution of higher learning and the work force.

#### **Certifications available:**

AutoDesk Inventor Certified User
MSSC Certified Production Technician
Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) - Word; PowerPoint; Excel; Outlook; Access
National Instruments – LabView Associate Developer

In the 2012-2013 school year Godby students earned 142 industry level certifications.