



# Tennessee State University Awards Ceremony & Information Session

Hosted by:

African American Student Services Dept.



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- Tennessee State University Video
- Introduction
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Black National Anthem

## ■ PRESENTATION

- Welcome – **Jimmy Hart**, Director AASSD
- Keynote Speaker – **Trehon Cockrell-Coleman**, TSU Alumnus
- TSU Ambassador – **Dr. William Smith**, Director of Strategic Partnership, Recruitment and Initiatives
- Honoring Awardees – **Martha Acosta**, Program Specialist
- Closing Remarks – **Jimmy Hart**, Director AASSD







# **TSU Year in Review**

TSU









# Keynote Speaker

*Trehon Cockrell-Coleman*

TSU Alumni

Raytheon Computer Engineer





# TSU Ambassador

- *Dr. William Smith*
- Director, Strategic Partnership Recruitment and Initiatives





# **Congratulations to Scholarship Awardees**





# CLOSING REMARKS

*Jimmy Hart,*  
Director - TUSD

African American  
Student Services





# Special Thanks

- *Tennessee State University Admissions*
- *Tucson LINKS Inc, Beverly Elliott*
- *TUSD College and Career Readiness Coordinators*
- *AASSD Staff*





**Black History Month** was created by Carter G. Woodson in February 1926. Originally called Negro History Week, Woodson created the concept so students would have the opportunity to learn Black History. Woodson chose the second week in February in celebration of Frederick Douglass and President Abraham Lincoln.

For additional information and resources, visit the African American Student Services website at [tusd1.org/aassd](https://tusd1.org/aassd).

For questions about events and activities please call our office at **584-7500**.



"Think. Work. Serve."

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## Tennessee State University

### Scholarship Award Ceremony & Information Session

#### AASSD's Black History Month Kick-Off Event

Tuesday, February 1, 2022 - 6:00pm to 7:30pm

Zoom Link: <https://tusd1.zoom.us/j/84404807657> or Meeting ID: 844 0480 7657

#### OPENING

Tennessee State University Video

Introduction: Martha Acosta, AASSD Program Specialist

Pledge of Allegiance

Black National Anthem

#### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Welcome - Jimmy Hart, Director of African American Student Services Department

Keynote Speaker - Trehon Cockrell-Coleman, TSU Alumni

TSU Ambassador - Dr. William Smith, Assistant Director of TSU Admissions

Honoring TUSD Scholarship Awardees - Martha Acosta, AASSD Program Specialist

Closing Remarks—Jimmy Hart, Director of African American Student Services Department



#### SPECIAL THANKS

Tennessee State University Admissions - Tucson  
LINKS Inc, Beverley Elliot - TUSD CCR Team, and  
the AASSD Staff.



Congratulation Tucson -Tigers! It gives me great pleasure to invite you to attend Tennessee State University for the Fall 2022 semester.

By selecting [TSU](https://www.tnstate.edu) you join a legacy of learning dedicated to our motto "Think, Work, Serve," and an educational community focused on your successful future life. In an effort to ensure your smooth arrival, we have enclosed an *Enrollment Checklist*, please complete all of the sections listed.

TSU has created a my TSU account for you to access financial aid, registration, bill payment, and other student account information. Retrieve my TSU username and password, ***which is different from your Future Tiger login information***, at [www.tnstate.edu/tnumber](https://www.tnstate.edu/tnumber). Once you login to your account, click the "Banner Services Tab" at the top. If you experience difficulty with logging in, email the Admissions Office at [admissions@tnstate.edu](mailto:admissions@tnstate.edu). Or call IT at 615- 963-7777). When you have additional questions call me at 571-214-3003 or send an email to [wsmith42@tnstate.edu](mailto:wsmith42@tnstate.edu).

On behalf of the Tennessee State University family and the admissions staff, I commend you on the excellence of your preparation for college and the patience shown as you are moving through the college enrollment process. We look forward to greeting you in the *Land of Golden Sunshine* for the Fall 2022 semester. Again, congratulations and welcome to Tennessee State University.

Sincerely,  
William Smith, ED.D  
Director of Strategic Recruitment Partnerships and Initiatives  
Division of Enrollment Management





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# WILL BE VISITING TUSD

## On the Spot Scholarship Opportunities

**TUCSON HS Cafeteria**

**Tuesday, OCTOBER 5TH 2021**

6:00-8:00 PM Senior Students & Families  
from **Catalina HS, Rincon HS, Cholla HS & University HS** all Welcome

**PALO VERDE HS Cafeteria**

**Wednesday, OCTOBER 6TH 2021**

6:00-8:00 PM Senior Students & Families  
from **Sabino HS, Sahuaro HS & Santa Rita HS**  
all Welcome

**African American Student Services  
HBCU In-Person and Virtual Visits  
Tennessee State University**



	DATE	QUARTER	EVENT	LOCATION	PURPOSE	ATTENDANCE
1	10/5/2021	1	TSU Visit	THMS	HBCU Awareness	60
2	10/5/2021	1	TSU Visit	THMS	HBCU Parent Information Session	21
3	10/6/2021	1	TSU Visit	Palo Verde HS	HBCU Awareness	40
4	10/6/2021	1	TSU Visit	Palo Verde HS	HBCU Parent Information Session	20
5	02/01/2022	3	TSU Virtual Visit	Rincon/University HS/Virtual	HBCU Awareness	41
6	02/01/2022	3	TSU Virtual Visit	Sabino HS/Virtual	HBCU Awareness	10
7	02/10/2022	3	TSU Virtual Scholarship Program	Virtual	HBCU Awareness and Award Scholarships	16 virtual logins (approx. 30 people)

