

SUBMIT TOP FIVE/TEN PROJECT ENTRIES NO LATER THAN **FEBRUARY 13, 2018**



**TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF STUDENT COUNCILS  
TASC TOP TEN PROJECTS COMPETITION**

# HIGH SCHOOL

## ENTRY COVER SHEET

School Name:	School UIL Classification:
Westwood High School	6A
School Address:	Size of Community: $\approx 951,000$
12400 Mellow Meadow Drive	various charities in the city of Austin
City/State:	Zip:
Austin, TX	78750
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Principal Name:	Principal Signature:
Mario Acosta	<i>M. Acosta</i>
Project Name:	Project Dates:
Warrior Walk	October 10, 2018 to November 11, 2018
Total Number of Students in Council:	Number of Members Involved in Project:
204	42
Total Number of Students Enrolled in School:	Number of Other Students Involved in Project:
2,757	57
Total Number of Faculty Enrolled in School	Number of Faculty Involved in Project
290	26
Number of Community Groups Involved in Project	Number of Community Members Involved in Project
16	13

**THIS INFORMATION MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE.**

Top Ten entries must be submitted by **FEBRUARY 13, 2019**

This application must be submitted online via the TASC website.  
Upload your photos, newspaper articles, etc. online as well. Scan all pages into one document and upload.

Please consider presenting a table talk (HS) on your project for extra points. You must apply to do that.



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January 8, 2019

Texas Association of Student Councils  
Austin, Texas

The Warrior Walk was a fantastic opportunity for my organization-PROS (affiliated with national PALS). We were afforded the opportunity to make sandwiches for those less fortunate. The opportunity was a superb example of what I believe is "true" fellowship. My kids gave up a portion of their Saturday to selflessly and cheerfully work for others. They smeared peanut butter and jelly on bread and helped make over 400 sandwiches. I am always absolutely amazed that such a daunting task could be done in such a short period of time and with so much joy and cheer.

This day offered these wonderful young people with a direction and purpose for a wonderful cause. Personally, I was impressed with everything about the event. I just want to thank you for the opportunity to show young people how much fun it can be to do something for others.

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To Whom It May Concern,

On Saturday, November 10, 2018, I had the privilege to supervise and participate in Warrior Walk 2018, designed and implemented by student council representatives and participating students at Westwood High School. The Walk consisted of a series of legs connecting various points within the downtown and University of Texas area of Austin. Students walked each leg as a group, led by a team holding a banner proclaiming Warrior Walk for all passersby to observe. Joined at times by several of their teachers who were up for some brisk morning exercise, the students coordinated donations or service activities at each transition point, where parent volunteers or the Student Council Sponsor were waiting, driving point to point. Commencing at the Meals on Wheels of Central Texas location for the first donation, the walk proceeded through recently gentrified areas of East Austin to the Cuvee Coffee Bar for some welcome morning beverages. What fun it was to socialize with students and their teachers on a Saturday morning. The next leg ambled through areas of downtown that stood in stark contrast to the upscale environs of the first jaunt, terminating at the downtown Salvation Army, where students could observe firsthand the two sides our capitol city, the haves, and the have-nots. Perhaps this gave them a clearer sense of why community service is so important. The third leg led us through the state capitol grounds where the commanding presence of the capitol building perhaps reinforced our sense of the importance of civic participation within our democracy. We passed by another group which had gathered on the capitol grounds, exercising their own rights of assembly. This building belongs to all of us, I thought. How proud I was of our students for their own demonstration! The final leg of the approximate six-mile Warrior Walk concluded with a meal distribution within the environs of the State's flagship university, a fitting locale, I thought, for contemplating the morning's activities and the future society our young people are shaping. Hook 'em, Warriors.

Sincere Regards,

Mark Kylar  
Assistant Principal, Westwood High School

## **Warrior Walk**

Westwood High School

Westwood High School's 2019 submission for TASC Top Ten is a large-scale community service project called Warrior Walk. Student Council selected four locations to serve and donate at in downtown Austin: Meals on Wheels, Salvation Army, Micah 6, and Austin Pets Alive. We were joined by numerous clubs and organizations on campus, including National Honor Society and the IB Student Organization. We met at one point on the map and walked to donate at each of the four locations, forming a "W" across downtown Austin. After all of this was complete, we worked with other Westwood clubs to make over 400 peanut butter and jelly sandwiches for the homeless.

Warrior Walk amassed a total of 858 donations, 99 student volunteers at all four locations combined, 17 Westwood clubs involved, all in a 5.9 mile walk.

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