



# WHATS BRUIN IN THE CAREER CENTER

**August 26, 2024**

## IMPORTANT DATES

September 4	Senior Parent College Night, Little Theatre
September 19	HS Back to School Night
October 9	PSAT/SAT @ LBSS
October 20	<a href="#">FCPS College Fair</a> @ GMU

## APPLICATION WORKSHOP

Come to the Career Center during Advisory/Bruin Block to get help with your college applications. Be sure to make an E-Hall pass. It will cap at 30 students. **September 27th, October 24th, October 28th.**

**COLLEGE REP INFO SESSIONS** – Come meet with a College Representative. I am adding Universities every day! Students will need to sign up in Naviance and make an E-Hall Pass for the date & time of visit. I will not 'approve' it from my end. Please stop by the Career Center (L102) if you need up signing up. The full list of visits can be found in Naviance. Upcoming sessions include:

Date	Time	College
9/9/2024	11:10am	East Carolina University
9/9/2024	12:00pm	Randolph College
9/10/2024	8:20am	Washington University in St Louis
9/10/2024	11:10am	University of Utah
9/10/2024	12:40pm	Gettysburg College
9/11/2024	9:45am	Greensboro College
9/11/2024	11:10am	Hofstra University
9/11/2024	12:40pm	American University
9/12/2024	12:40pm	Boston University
9/13/2024	8:20am	Michigan State University
9/13/2024	10:30am	Savannah College of Art and Design

## STUDENT SERVICES NEWS

### Our Fabulous Staff

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Mr. Brodie	A-Breg	Ms. Hackler	Berh-Coh
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## **Society of Women Engineers @ UVA**

**High School Visitation** program on **Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024** held in Charlottesville. The program provides high school students a comprehensive look at engineering fields and UVA's engineering curriculum through the female perspective. Throughout the day, students will get to explore UVA engineering through informative speakers, an interactive design activity, tours, and much more. The program is designed to benefit participants with all levels of engineering experience, but we particularly target those students who are not yet familiar with the field and may be interested in applying to engineering schools or pursuing a STEM career.

To apply, students should complete the **HSV Fall 2024 Application** which can be found [here](#). Students who have previously applied to HSV, are in the targeted grade level, and demonstrate a strong interest in engineering through their short answer questions will receive priority acceptance. The attached information packet provides more information about the event and instructions on how to apply online through our [website](#). The online application must be completed by 11:59 pm on Thursday, September 19th, 2024.

## **2023 Fall Fest, an open house highlighting the Black and African-American/Hispanic/Latinx student experiences at UVA.**

We know how busy the fall gets, so we are hosting Fall Fest twice this year. We would be honored for your students to join us on [Saturday, October 14](#) or [Saturday, October 21](#), from **8:00 AM until 2:30 PM ET**.

Highlights of each day will include:

- Admission information and remarks from staff and students
- Financial aid session
- Academic sessions with faculty and students from all seven of our undergraduate schools
- Lunch with current students
- Panels for both prospective students and parents
- Tour of Grounds
- Meet and Greet with the Office of African American Affairs and Multicultural Student Services

[Register for Fall Fest today!](#) Please note that the registration deadline is 72 hours before the event begins.

We encourage them to visit our [website](#) for the day's schedule and more information.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us by phone at (434) 982-3200 or by email at [outreachteam@virginia.edu](mailto:outreachteam@virginia.edu).

## **Alfred Street Baptist Church's HBCU Fair**

Save the Date for The Alfred Street Baptist Church HBCU Festival will be on 11/9 at the St James Sports Complex in Springfield. It's the largest HBCU festival in the country.

*Disclaimer: Opportunities offered by organizations other than Fairfax County Public Schools are neither sponsored nor endorsed by the Fairfax County School Board, the Superintendent, or a specific school.*

## **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Be sure to check out [Volunteer Fairfax](#) for some great opportunities. **All service hours must be entered and verified in x2Vol by May 1<sup>st</sup> to be eligible for the [Service Learning cord or the Civic Seal](#).**

## **JOB OPPORTUNITIES**

### **AMRC Lifeguard**

Audrey Moore Rec Center is looking for individuals who have an interest in emergency response and enjoy aquatics. As a lifeguard you are part of a unique team that is responsible for responding to all emergency that take place at the facility. Training is free and all individuals who work for the facility get to enjoy free access to the pool, fitness center, basketball course, and more! Work hours are flexible with competitive pay! For additional information please reach out to [Nicholas.ambrose@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:Nicholas.ambrose@fairfaxcounty.gov) or scan the QR code on the flyer to apply!

**CURRENT SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES** – **Check Naviance** for new scholarship opportunities vetted by FCPS, including (but not limited to):

### **LBSS Nomination Required Scholarships**

Below are two scholarships with upcoming deadlines. I will collect self-nomination forms and then a committee will determine which students move forward for ultimate consideration. Please let me know if you have any questions. The title of each scholarship links to the relevant website. The scholarships link in the colleges tab of Naviance lists many other amazing scholarships as well. These are simply the ones that require a nomination from LBSS with deadlines through October.

#### [UVA Jefferson Scholarship](#)

LBSS can nominate ONE senior to compete for this full scholarship to UVA. Jefferson Scholars are selected on the basis of demonstrated excellence in the areas of leadership, scholarship and citizenship. Typical Jefferson Scholars are in the top 5-10% of the class and have demonstrated uncommon academic abilities, exceptional leadership talents and an understanding of the broader community around them. Seniors who would like to be considered for the nomination must submit the [LBSS Self-Nomination Form](#) for Scholarships. The Self-Nomination form is due to Ms. Hunter [skhunter@fcps.edu](mailto:skhunter@fcps.edu) by **October 18, 3PM**. Please note: Seniors applying to another college or university under a binding early decision plan are not eligible to apply. Prior interest in UVA and financial need are not factors in selecting a nominee.

#### [UVA Walentas Scholars Program](#)

LBSS can nominate ONE senior to compete for this full scholarship to UVA. The Walentas Scholars Program develops leaders, citizens, and scholars who are pioneers—the first or among the first in their families to earn a bachelor’s degree from a college or university. **Nominees must be first generation.** LBSS will consider all first-generation students in the senior classes who are outstanding contributors to their schools and families. Successful candidates have demonstrated exceptional leadership talents, an understanding of the broader community around them, and have demonstrated uncommon academic abilities. To be considered, please fill out the [Self-Nomination form](#) and email to Ms. Hunter [skhunter@fcps.edu](mailto:skhunter@fcps.edu) by **October 18th, 3PM**.

### **Scholarships**

[James F Nelson Jr Scholarship](#) Amount: \$2500 Deadline: 9/26/2024 **Application in Naviance.**

[Overcoming Disability Scholarship](#) Amount: \$2500 Deadline: 9/30/2024 **Application in Naviance.**

[Allied Van Lines Scholarship](#) Amount: \$1000 Deadline: 12/15/2024 **Application in Naviance.**

[2024 Hometown Pride Scholarship](#) Amount: \$1000 Deadline: 8/31/2024 **Application in Naviance.**

[Cyberbullying Awareness Scholarship](#) Amount: Up to \$2000 Deadline: 8/31/2024 **Application in Naviance.**

[Questbridge The Match Scholarship](#) Amount: Full ride scholarship Deadline: 9/26/2024 **Application in Naviance.**

[AES Engineering Scholarship](#) Amount: \$500 Deadline: 10/8/2024 **Application in Naviance.**

[Anidjar & Levine Community Service Scholarship](#) Amount: \$2500 Deadline: 10/1/2024 **Application in Naviance.**

[Frans Hagen Scholarships](#) Amount: \$5000 Deadline: 9/30/2024 **Application in Naviance.**

### **Enrichment Programs**

[Virginia Tech Open House](#) Event date: 9/28-9/29

[Choose DO Medical School Virtual Expo](#) Event date: 9/25

[Hampton Roads Christian College Fair](#) Event date: 9/23

[HSF College 101 Presentation](#) Event date: 9/21

[Westbriar 2024 Fall Festival](#) Event date: 9/20

[Journey to Bucknell](#) Event date: 10/3-10/5 or 10/24-10/26

[iSTEM@Stevens](#) Deadline: 11/11 Event date: Exact dates TBD

[Harvard Princeton UVA Wellesley Yale Information Session](#) Event date: Various dates throughout August and September

[InGenius Prep Webinars](#) Event date: 8/22 for ACT or 9/5 for STEM

[Young Founders Lab](#) Event date: 8/25/2024

[Johns Hopkins Application Workshops](#) Event date: Different workshops available, check website for exact dates

[College Fair NCSSS](#) Event date: 10/10

[Fairfax County Teen Advocates Program](#) Deadline: 9/20 Event date: 2024-25 school year

[Virginia Space Coast Scholars](#) Deadline: 10/24 Event date: TBD for 2025

[Virginia Aerospace Science and Technology Scholars \(VSATS\)](#) Deadline: 10/24 Event date: 6/21-6/27, 7/12-7/18, 7/26-8/1

[Virginia Earth System Science Scholars \(VESSS\)](#) Deadline: 10/26 Event date: 2025 TBD

[Live Essay Reacts Workshop](#) Event date: 8/26

[Diversity Overnight at Case Western Reserve](#) Deadline: 9/5 Event date: 10/13-10/14 , 11/10-11/11

[Student Advisory Board](#) Deadline: 9/15 Event dates: 2024-25 school year