



WHATS BRUIN IN THE CAREER CENTER

February 4, 2022

COLLEGE REP INFO SESSIONS – Fall College Visits are over, but I have several opportunities coming up.

NOVA Application Workshop	March 2, 2022	10:00AM	Career Center
Virtual Gap Year Fair	February 17, 2022	6:30pm - 9:00pm	Information below

STUDENT SERVICES NEWS

ASVAB

We will be offering the ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) test at Lake Braddock Thursday, February 24, 2022, at 8:00am in the Lecture Hall. To learn more about the ASVAB or view practice tests please visit the following site <https://www.military.com/join-armed-forces/asvab> If you are interested in taking the ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) please sign up at the link below by February 18th.

You must be on a school computer to sign up. <https://forms.gle/m1fbdEUH2gKXMEwW7>

Color of Justice Program

The Color of Justice is an annual program designed to expose high school students to the legal profession while encouraging diversity participation in the law. This Program is open to all high school students.

The Northern Virginia Chapter of the Virginia Women Attorneys Association will be hosting the event this year at the Fairfax Courthouse (4110 Chain Bridge Road, Fairfax, VA 22030) on Saturday, March 26, from 9:30 AM to 2:00 PM (COVID permitting). We are also hosting an optional essay contest; entry into the essay contest is not required for the participation in the Color of Justice Program but, if a student participates in the essay contest, they are eligible to win a prize. Attached is the registration packet with more information on the event.

Registrations will be accepted until March 1, 2022.

Performing & Visual Arts Virtual College Fair

You and your students are invited to attend the **Performing & Visual Arts Virtual College Fair** on **Tuesday, February 8** from 4-8 p.m. (ET)!

Sign up for free at www.nacacattend.org/fairs. You can also [check out which schools will be there](#)

HBCU Virtual College Tour Series

In celebration of Black History Month, ECMC The College Place is hosting an HBCU Virtual College Tour Series! Throughout the month of February, we will feature virtual tours of Historically Black Colleges and Universities every Tuesday at 4pm MST/6pm EST

For more info, contact Tomika Brown (tbrown@ecmc.org) or Chevy Lowe (clowe@ecmc.org)!

FEBRUARY 1 Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/Feb1HBCUSeries>

FEBRUARY 8 Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/Feb8HBCUSeries>

FEBRUARY 15 Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/Feb15HBCUSeries>

FEBRUARY 22 Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/Feb22HBCUSeries>

United States Military Academy, West Point, NY Summer Leadership Experience

The United States Military Academy, West Point, Summer Leadership Experience (SLE) 2022 provides juniors with a week-long immersion into the academic, military, and social life of a cadet. Our country's best asset is our people and West Point is trusted to educate, train, and inspire its undergraduate students to become leaders of character who will make an impact on the world stage. At SLE, you will explore West Point from all angles, including our high-tech educational facilities, team building athletic activities, and realistic military training. You will get a taste of Cadet Life through the entire program, which is led by current West Point cadets. You will experience the thrill of victory when you overcome the challenges of our summer program and you will form life-long connections and friendships with your future classmates.

The Summer Leadership Experience 2022 application window is open and will close on March 15th

Session 1: May 28 - June 3, 2022

Session 2: June 4 - June 10, 2022

The cost of attendance is \$625 and generous need-based scholarships are available. There is no application fee.

Standardized test scores are not required but the ideal applicant has a strong academic background and participates in team sports and other extracurricular activities.

- SLE Website: <https://www.westpoint.edu/admissions/summer-program>
- Learn more about SLE Recording: <https://youtu.be/KgRs02LqHHk>
- USMA Steps to Admissions: <https://www.westpoint.edu/admissions/steps-to-admission>

United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD, Summer Seminar

The **United States Naval Academy Summer Seminar 2022** is the first step in navigating your future to becoming one of our nation's next generation of leaders. If you are currently in your junior year of high school and considering the Naval Academy as your college of choice, we strongly recommend you consider applying to Summer Seminar. Summer Seminar will introduce you to life at the Academy, where you will experience first-class academic, athletic, and professional training at the #1 public college in the Country (released 2021 U.S. News & World Report College Ranking Report). Your Summer Seminar application will also serve as a preliminary application to the Academy that you will complete before or during your senior year.

The Summer Seminar 2022 application window is open and will close on March 31st, 2022.

Session 1: June 4 - June 9, 2022

Session 2: June 11 - June 16, 2022

Session 3: June 18 - June 23, 2022

The Naval Academy Summer Seminar's program fee is \$650.00. This will include room and board plus meals and all clothing to be worn. Campers should plan to bring additional funds for snacks and souvenirs.

- SS Website: <https://www.usna.edu/Admissions/Programs/NASS.php#fndtn-panel1-Steps-For>
- Learn more about SS Recording: <https://youtu.be/dYD6hjhKGC4>

USNA Steps to Admissions: <https://www.usna.edu/Admissions/Apply/index.php#ApplyindexPanel1>

NOVA Virtual Information Sessions for FCPS Students and Families (HS)

NOVA is hosting information sessions specifically for FCPS seniors and their families. Attendees will learn about opportunities, services, and resources at NOVA. Students interested in or considering NOVA are encouraged to attend. Please see the [attached flyer](#) for dates and registration links. Registration is required to obtain the meeting link. For questions, contact: hsoutreach@nvcc.edu.

Back2Fairfax Operational Seminar 2022

Attendees will have an opportunity to network with current employees in various operational and administrative positions. Attendees can view a live operational employee panel and attend breakout sessions on various topics including Apprenticeship 101, Computer Hardware Repair, Network Engineering, Technology Support, Trade Careers, and more.

Current FCPS juniors, seniors, and recent FCPS graduates considering an operational career with Fairfax County Public Schools are welcome to join this event.

Date: February 22, 2022 from 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

[Registration for the event is available online](#) by Monday, February 21, 2022

The Princeton Review's Video on The College Board's Digital SAT

The College Board's announcement that the SAT will be transitioning to a digital testing format has everyone talking. Families have questions; we've got answers! In this super-informative [YouTube video, our editor-in-chief, Rob Franek](#), breaks down everything you need to know about the changes. We thought this video might be helpful for your students and their families, especially freshman students and their parents. If you'd like to view the complete SAT Digital Pre ss Release, you can find that [here](#) as well.

SAT – Plans for going digital

<https://newsroom.collegeboard.org/digital-sat-brings-student-friendly-changes-test-experience?fbclid=IwAR28wwd7wIRj9kcpIRLqWIO6UdMOopdHQzROGpScEPt0EScnZRy3ncxkPsQ>

College Access Fairfax - free Paying for College Virtual Workshops

Is your student a current 9th, 10th, or 11th grader? Have you started thinking about his/her post-secondary educational experiences and how you will pay for them? **College Access Fairfax**, in partnership with Fairfax County Public Schools, is offering a series of free Paying for College Virtual Workshops.

Topics to be covered include: Understanding Cost of Attendance, What is Financial Aid, How/when do you apply for Financial Aid, What is considered in determining Financial Need, Where can you go for help

Workshops will be held on:

Saturday, February 12, 2022 at 10:00 AM <https://myfcpk12.zoom.us/j/98233722661>

Tuesday, February 15, 2022 at 7:00 PM <https://myfcpk12.zoom.us/j/99211434624>

Thursday, February 24, 2022 at 7:00 PM <https://myfcpk12zoom.us/j/91429331868>

To access these workshops, simply click on the link above for your selected date.

The power point presentation for this workshop (as well as more information) may be found on our website:

<https://www.collegeaccessfairfax.org> For questions or concerns, please email us at: questions@collegeaccessfairfax.org

ACE Foundation Scholarships and Early Enrollment Opportunities (HS)

FCPS Adult & Community Education (ACE) is partnering with schools to provide continued education to students who are not college bound. To this end, ACE is offering two unique programs:

- Celebrate your Plan! All students deserve to Celebrate their Plan for after high school. ACE has launched an early enrollment option for students to commit to an ACE apprenticeship program before or shortly after graduating.
- Apprenticeship Opportunities! Students are also able to enroll in ACE Apprenticeship classes (offered in the evenings) to get a jump start on their trades education. ACE offers apprenticeship programs that lead to an NCCER credential, in electrical, plumbing, and HVAC.

ACE is currently enrolling in Winter/Spring classes and recent graduates would be able to enroll and possibly receive a scholarship.

Please view the [Apprenticeship flyer](#), [Celebrate Your Plan early enrollment program flyer](#), and [ACE Foundation Scholarship flyer](#) for more information.

2022 Virtual Gap Year Fair (HS)

On February 17, 2022, FCPS is co-hosting a Virtual Gap Year Fair with Go Overseas, whose mission is to empower human connection through perspective-changing travel. At the Virtual Gap Year Fair, students and their families can connect with gap year program providers, counselors, alumni, and college admissions representatives to learn everything needed about taking a gap year. See the [attached flyer](#) for more information!

When: February 17, 2022 6:30pm - 9:00pm

Where: Virtual

Register: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/national-usa-gap-year-fair-2022-feb-17-registration-211523661967?aff=GYFeventscta>

The Virtual Gap Year Fair is on the last day of [Instruction 2 Industry](#), a career expo event for high school students to learn about a wide variety of potential career paths and post-secondary options.

Commonwealth Cyber Initiative (CCI) Internship

Summer 2022-The Commonwealth Cyber Initiative (CCI) Internship is available to rising high school seniors and rising first year college/university students who are 17+ and interested in learning more about exploring cyber security as a possible career option. Applications are due by 5:00 pm on February 15, 2022.

<https://form.jotform.com/213435926744057>

The GW Biomedical Laboratory Sciences Department Presents the 2022 Biomedical Sciences Summer Immersion Program

When: This intensive program will be offered in two sessions:

- Session One: July 11 – July 15, 2022 (Virtual)
- Session Two: July 25 – July 29, 2022 (In-Person)*

*In-person session will be dependent upon GW guidance (or policy) due to the pandemic.

Who: High school, community college, and 1st and 2nd year college students with limited laboratory experience

The overall goal for this program is to expose students, with limited laboratory experience, to the skills necessary to pursue careers in biomedical sciences. Students will be asked to select their session choice on the application.

More information about this program and links to our applications can be found on our website:

<https://smhs.gwu.edu/biomedical-laboratory-sciences/programs/summer-immersion-program>

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

InCourage Martial Arts - After School Coordinator

In our After School/ Summer Camp lead role at InCourage, you will get valuable hands-on experience leading and managing our young members within our award-winning program.

Your work includes:

- Running physical games.
- Keeping our students safe on field trips.
- Teaching arts and crafts activities
- Helping students with homework in a fun and safe environment.

The ideal candidate works great in teams, has excellent communication skills, is detail-oriented, enjoys being around kids and fun people, and is eager to learn! The role is part-time to full-time and is perfect for high school and college students. <http://incouragemartialarts.com>

Pay rate: \$8 - \$12 per hour

Hours: 3:30 pm - 6:15 pm Monday – Friday. Minimum two days a week

High Sierra Pools

Let's get this summer started! Join our lifeguard team and earn up to \$18/hr plus \$250 in bonuses and get paid for referrals up to \$100 each! Apply today and get certified to take advantage of bonuses for starting the season of May 29.

If you've got good swimming skills and are looking for a fun summer job where you can make a difference in your community, lifeguarding is the job for you! Flexible summer/seasonal schedules are available including full-time, part-time, and weekend-only work.

What do lifeguards do? Lifeguards get paid to spend summer at the pool! They keep the pool sparkling clean, make sure patrons follow safety rules, and help everyone enjoy summer at the pool. And of course, they're fully trained to prevent, recognize, and respond to any issues that might come up.

Apply TODAY to join our team for Summer 2022! www.highsierrapools.com

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

Fairfax County Internship site <https://sites.google.com/fcpsschools.net/work-based-learning-student/career-exploration/internships?authuser=0>

Scholarships

- Anne Rowe Student Scholarship - deadline March 1, 2022
- TGNCK Founder's Scholarship – deadline March 1, 2022
- Long Nguyen and Kimmy Duong Scholarship Program – deadline March 5, 2022
- Look Back Give Back Scholarship – deadline March 31, 2022
- SAMC's Cancer Fighter Scholarship – deadline April 1, 2022
- Bull Run Civil War Round Table (BRCWRT) Scholarship – deadline April 4, 2022
- DC Area Phi Beta Kappa Scholarship – deadline April 9, 2022
- Dorm Fairies – deadline April 30, 2022
- Stand up to Distracted Driving Scholarship – deadline June 15, 2022

Enrichment Programs

- HBCU Virtual College Tour Series – event date - February 2022 Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:30pm - <https://acrobat.adobe.com/link/track?uri=urn%3Aaid%3A%3AUS%3A9047d94f-c3b1-4fa6-8eeb-a2b62233d954#pageNum=1>
- Davidson Admission Intensive – event date Feb. 5, 2022 from 1pm to 3:15pm Feb 12, 2022 from 9am to 3:15pm - <https://www.davidson.edu/admission-and-financial-aid/admission-intensive>
- Pirates in Your Town (PIYT) – event date Feb. 9, 2022 from 6pm to 8pm - <https://eastcarolina.secure.force.com/events/>
- Instruction 2 Industry – event date Feb. 14-17 from 4pm to 7pm - <http://bit.ly/2022I2Ireg>
- American Red Cross Lifeguard Classes - Call 703-805-2620 - Registration Opens Feb. 1, 2022 event date Feb. 25 – 28 or March 18 – 21 or April 2-4, 2022
- High School Summer Programs – event date June 26 – July 2, 2022 - <https://smconservation.gmu.edu/programs/high-school-summer-programs-for-college-credit/>
- Washington Journalism and Media Conference – event date July 10 – 15, 2022 or July 17 – 22, 2022 - <https://wjmc.gmu.edu/>
- Health and Biomedical Sciences Summer Camp – event date July 25-27, 2022 11am to 1pm and 2pm to 4pm - <https://www.lvc.edu/life-at-lvc/summer-community-programming/health-biomedical-sciences-camp/>
- Summer Programs – event date July 2022 - <https://www.gettysburg.edu/offices/conference-event-services/summer-programs>
- Game and Technology Academy – event date June or July 2022 - <https://www.envisionexperience.com/explore-our-programs/game-and-technology-academy>
- TV and Radio Summer Camps – event date July and/or Aug. 2022 - <https://www.fcac.org/summer-camp-registration-forms>
- Envision - event date Summer 2022- <https://www.envisionexperience.com/explore-our-programs/>
- Seed Scholars Program – deadline Jan. 31, 2022 – event date 10 months in 2022-23 - <https://www.seedsoffortune.org/apply>
- Summer High School Intern Program – deadline Feb. 14, 2022 – event date Starts June 21, 2022 for 8 weeks from 8:30am to 5pm- <https://www.nist.gov/jaao/summer-high-school-intern-program>
- Back2Fairfax Operational Seminar – deadline Feb. 21, 2022 – event date Feb. 22, 2022 from 4:45pm to 8pm - <https://app.brazenconnect.com/a/FCPS/e/Kd9r3>

- STEM Enhancement in Earth Science (SEES) – deadline Feb. 21, 2022 – event date May 1 – Aug. 3, 2022 - <http://www.tsgc.utexas.edu/sees-internship/>
- Lifeguard at Fort Belvoir – deadline Feb. 25, 2022 – event date Summer 2022 - <https://belvoir.armymwr.com/happenings/come-work-aquatics>
- Princeton Summer Journalism Program – deadline Feb. 28, 2022 – event date July 29 – Aug. 8, 2022 - <https://psjp.princeton.edu/>
- Northwestern’s Journalism Program – deadline March 14, 2022 – event date June 26 – July 29, 2022 - <https://cherubs.medill.northwestern.edu/2019/>
- Margaret C. Peck Youth Internship Program (11th grade students at Centreville, Chantilly, Herndon, South Lakes or Westfield High Schools) – deadline March 21, 2022 – event date Mid-May to Dec. 2022 - <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/park-news/2022/z-ir005>
- Research Internships – deadline April 15, 2022 – event date June 23 – July 27, 2022 - <https://www.questionsri.org/research-internships.html>
- Summer Academy – deadline May 7, 2022 – event date In-person – July 2022 Virtual June 2022 - <https://www.sjc.edu/summer-academy>
- Pre-College Programme – deadline Online May 19, 2022 Session 1: April 21, 2022
- Session 2: May 12, 2022 – event date Online June 28 – July 8, 2022, Session 1: June 25 – July 9, 2022, Session2: July 16 – 30, 2022 - <https://www.sciencespo.fr/summer/content/pre-college-programme-overview>