



WHATS BRUIN IN THE CAREER CENTER

November 5, 2021

IMPORTANT DATES

November 8 University of Mary Washington On-Site Admissions

COLLEGE REP INFO SESSIONS – Come meet with a College Representative. Sign up in Naviance and print/screen shot the confirmation page. You will show the print screen/screen shot to your teacher to be released from class. To sign up click colleges at the top of Naviance homepage than click 'college visits' from the dropdown menu. Upcoming sessions include:

In-Person	11/16/2021	2:00 PM	Career Center	Michigan State University
In-Person	11/23/2021	10:00 AM	Career Center	United States Military Academy – West Point
In-Person	01/05/2021	10:00AM	Career Center	VT Core of Cadet Student Representative

STUDENT SERVICES NEWS

Virtual College Week Recordings

The Virtual College Week recordings are posted on YouTube. Students and families can access the recordings on the [Virtual College Week Google Site](#) or via the direct links below.

Paying for College

- <https://youtu.be/OcW2OpGwYvE>

Dual Enrollment

- <https://youtu.be/fkn4xnPFL-w>

Standardized Testing in the College Process

- <https://youtu.be/gW6PvusVwPU>

Study in Spain

- <https://youtu.be/mXpfRhrEbU4>

What 9th Grade Students Need to Know About College

- https://youtu.be/1v_UM90Slac

Considerations for Students with Disabilities in the College Search & Beyond

- https://youtu.be/vm7tMcOy_bQ

Are You Common App Ready?

- <https://youtu.be/h6uAaVrtKTs>

Exploring Naviance

- <https://youtu.be/U5IbXzvQnpA>

Applying to a Military Academy

- <https://youtu.be/94nVli5chx8>

AP/IB in FCPS

- <https://youtu.be/YyMkFM3b4fQ>

Scholarship 101

- <https://youtu.be/CYLSFA-C3dw>

Write Your Truth: A Guide to College Essays

- <https://youtu.be/J4y-IUNFbiM>

Upcoming College Access Fairfax Events

- **FAFSA Line-by-Line:** Learn what is being asked on the FAFSA by reviewing the form in a line-by-line fashion:
 - November 9, 2021 at 7:00 PM via Zoom: <https://myfcpsk12.zoom.us/j/97661177987>
 - A copy of the slides used for this presentation are available at: https://collegeaccessfairfax.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/Fall-2021-FAFSA-L-b-L_v1.pdf.
- **Scholarship 101:** Get information on what kind of scholarships are available, where to find them, and how best to complete scholarship applications:
 - November 17, 2021 at 7:00 PM via Zoom: <https://myfcpsk12.zoom.us/j/99796214655>
 - December 11, 2021 at 10:00 AM via Zoom: <https://myfcpsk12.zoom.us/j/93263391710>
 - Slides for this presentation are available at: https://collegeaccessfairfax.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/Scholarship-101_v2.pdf

No registration is required. Simply click on the links above to participate in the session. Questions? Contact College Access Fairfax at either: info@collegeaccessfairfax.org or questions@collegeaccessfairfax.org **Northern Virginia**

Supply Chain Management Careers Webinar

FCPS is hosting a virtual career webinar about Supply Chain Management Careers specifically for FCPS middle and high school students. Students in attendance will hear from Mr. Irvin Varkonyi, Supply Chain Management professional, and Dale Chrystie, FedEx Services Representative. The webinar will highlight opportunities in supply chain management careers and include time for questions.

The after-school event will be held virtually on **Monday, November 15, from 7-8 pm**. Students need to register using the [google form](#) linked in the [program flyer](#), and the **deadline to register is Friday, November 13**.

Recordings for this webinar series are accessible by visiting the [Virtual Career Webinars page](#) on the **WBL Student Google Site**. If you have any questions about this student opportunity, please contact [Matt Bechtel](#).

Virginia Private College Fair

Sunday, November 7, 2021 6pm-8pm, Fair Oaks Marriott, Fairfax, VA

Participating Colleges: Randolph College, Hollins University, Eastern Mennonite University, Randolph-Macon College, Averett University, Roanoke College, Ferrum College, Shenandoah University, Marymount University, Bridgewater College, University of Lynchburg, Sweet Briar College, Virginia Wesleyan University, Mary Baldwin University
See attached flyer for more information.

Community College's STEM Outreach Program

NOVA SySTEMic, is offering three virtual Career & Technical Education Career Workshops next month. The sessions will utilize the Zoom platform and are open to high school students, NOVA students, and the community. In these sessions, NOVA faculty/staff will share information about educational programs and industry representatives will share information about careers and current issues in their field.

November 8th, 3:00-4:00pm - Nursing

November 9th, 3:00-4:00pm - Automotive Technologies

Some sessions will be recorded and uploaded to the NOVA SySTEMic YouTube Channel. Please register if you would like to receive this information, even if you are unable to attend the session in real time. Online registration available at career.novastem.us/Register

2021 Military Academies Fair

Fort Bragg is hosting in Annual Military Academies Fair in a virtual format again this year. Although this is hosted by Fort Bragg this event is open and can be shared with School Counselors who are aware of students and families interested in

their student attending a Military College or JROTC program while in college. This is not just for military-connected students, the audience is all high school students. Please let me know if you have any additional questions.

This event is intended for high school students and their families who are interested in attending US Service Academy, a Senior Military College, or ROTC while in college.

When: Monday, November 8, 2021

Time: 5PM-7:45PM EST

Pre-register online: <https://forms.gle/Zu8DqNetDcgenXby7>

You must pre-register to receive the login information.

Virginia Tech Open House (HS)

Prospective students are invited to attend [Virginia Tech's Open House](#). There are two remaining fall dates to choose from: **Saturday, November 6, Sunday, November 7**

Choose one day to visit campus, eat some of our award-winning food, learn more about majors that interest you, check out student life, and much more! [Students can sign up for an Open House here](#)

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Jersey Mikes

Jersey Mikes is offering a great part time job that is great for high school students. We offer very flexible schedules, competitive pay and career advancement opportunities.

Reach out to Travis Dudden tdudden2@gmail.com for more information.

Store phone: 703-992-7478

Personal phone: 571-368-7301

5250-G Port Royal Rd, Springfield, Virginia

Mathnasium of Burke

They currently have openings for highly skilled and motivated instructors who have strong math backgrounds and good communication skills. See attached flyer for further details.

MEGA-DC Gymnastics

Are you looking for a part time job? Are you fun loving, energetic and enjoy working with kids? If so, MEGA-DC Gymnastics wants you to join our team. Located in Lorton, Virginia. Call (346) – 714 5580 or email info@megadcgymnastics.com See attached flyer for more information.

Old Navy

Old Navy in Springfield is looking for seasonal and regular sales associates. The minimum age is 16 and no retail experience is required. We need students to have availability to include weekends, especially Sunday. Our shifts are 3-4.5 hours with a minimum of 3-4 shifts a week **And** they get 50% discount on regular priced items. If interested please use this [Link](#). It's a direct link to the Springfield store, 5919.

If someone would like to reach out directly, they can email Ingrid at ingrid_sanchez_seymour@stores.gap.com In Subject line, s/he should put First Last Name, Bruins Student (so I know). Or they can come into the store. Next week I'll be available on Saturday 1-7, Monday 9-5, Tuesday 1-7, Wednesday 1-7

Kumon Math and Reading Center at Huntsman Square.

Kumon is looking for high schoolers to work as graders. The pay is \$10 per hour.

The applicants are required to maintain As and Bs at school. Students with higher math skills get preference. The best way to apply is by emailing a resume to springfieldhuntsman_va@ikumon.com or by stopping in on Saturday morning/afternoon (we open at 10am).

Springfield Academy

Springfield Academy is looking for teacher's assistants. If you would like to work in a preschool/ daycare setting after school from 3-6:30 Monday through Friday, please call the school at 703-256-3773. The position pays \$11.00 an hour with the potential to work more hours during holiday breaks or teacher workdays if you would like. Please stop by the school or call Ms. Jen or Ms. Angela. Springfield Academy, 5236 Backlick Rd., Springfield VA 22151, 703-256-3773

Kids First Swim School

Kids First Swim School in Springfield is looking to hire more friendly faces. We have a need for Swim Instructors and Certified Lifeguards. Please see attached flyer for application instructions.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES – Check **X2VOL** in Naviance for new opportunities posted by non-profit organizations. [Volunteer Fairfax](#) - Students are invited to search the **Directory of Youth Service Opportunities to find service opportunities**. Families may also find opportunities to serve together through **VolunteerNow**.

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

College Access Fairfax Scholarships are now open. College Access Fairfax offers several scholarships to Fairfax County Public School Students. See their [website](#) or the attached flyer for further details.

STUDENT PEACE AWARDS OF FAIRFAX COUNTY- Nominate Yourself or a Friend!

One student (or group of students) from each high school is eligible to receive a Student Peace Award of Fairfax County. The award consists of \$250 for the recipient personally plus \$100 to be donated to the student's choice of a nonprofit whose principles are consistent with the goals of the Student Peace Awards. A certificate will also be presented at the annual awards ceremony. The award can be given to either a **junior or a senior** (or to a club/organization that includes at least one junior or senior). Students are only eligible for the award once in their high school career. The selected students and their families and friends will be invited to a reception on Sunday, March 13, 2022.

Guidelines for the award: The recipient should have worked specifically for peace or to identify and resolve conflicts (as opposed to participating in charitable or social activities or simply believing in peace).

Examples of items to be considered in selecting a nominee:

- Demonstrates commitment to peace by engaging in activities that strive to end conflict, either locally or globally.
- Seeks to discuss or otherwise resolve controversial issues within the school or community to bring about positive resolutions to those issues.
- Promotes the understanding of divisive issues and situations to bridge language, ethnic, racial, religious, gender, sexual orientation, or class differences.
- Works to resolve conflicts among students or members of the community who feel isolated or alienated.
- Advocates for awareness of humanity's place in the ecosystem and responsibility for stewardship of the earth.

If you think you (or one of your friends) qualify, please email Mrs. Hunter (skhunter@fcps.edu) with the following information:

Subject Line: Student Peace Awards

Email Body: Name, Home Address, Email, Phone Number, Grade Level and a one paragraph description of your/ the nominee's work related specifically to peace or conflict resolution. Please include at least three sentences about your/their contributions to peace. **Deadline: Tuesday, November 16.**

Scholarships

- Elks National Foundation Most Valuable Student Scholarship – deadline Nov. 15, 2021
- Graduate Women in Science – deadline Nov. 15, 2021
- Darrigo, Diaz & Jimenez Annual Scholarship for Emergency Responder – deadline Nov. 30, 2021
- Dr. Juan Andrade Jr. Scholarship for Young Hispanic Leaders – deadline Nov. 30, 2021
- Barbara Lotze Scholarships for Future Teachers – deadline Dec. 1, 2021
- Dell Scholars Program – deadline Dec. 1, 2021
- National Space Club and Foundation Keynote Scholarship – deadline Dec. 3, 2021
- Allied.com Military Scholarship – deadline Dec. 15, 2021
- Burger King Scholars Program – deadline Dec. 15, 2021
- Chalik & Chalik Community Involvement Scholarship – deadline Dec. 15, 2021
- Nettles Morris Annual Scholarship – deadline Dec. 31, 2021
- GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program – deadline Jan. 6, 2022
- Exceptional Student Scholarship - deadline April 30, 2022
- Virginia Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association (VIAAA) Scholarships - <https://viaaa.org/about-us/scholarship>

Enrichment Programs

- NOVVA Virtual College Fair – event date Oct. 26-Nov. 11, 2021 - <https://student.novva.tech/>
- Agricultural Technology Fall 2021 Open House at Virginia Tech – event date Nov. 6, 2021 at 10am - <https://www.cals.vt.edu/academic-programs/agtech/Fall2021-open.html>
- Virtual Military Academies Fair – event date Nov. 8, 2021 from 5pm to 7:45pm - <https://bragg.armymwr.com/calendar/event/virtual-military-academies-fair/5328741/31224>
- Empowering Future Tech Careers – event date Nov. 13 or Dec. 4, 2021 from 9:30am to 3:30pm - <https://www.valhen.org/new-page-4>
- Interior Design Summer Workshop – event date In person June 5 -14 or June 19 – 28, Virtual June 13 – July 1 or July 11 – 29, 2021 - <https://www.bsu.edu/academics/collegesanddepartments/cap/workshops/ysdw>
- SEA Summer High School Programs – event date – summer 2022, 2, 3, or 4 week programs - https://www.sea.edu/high_school_programs

Leadership Enterprise for a Diverse America (LEDA) – deadline Dec. 14, 2021 - event date 7 weeks in summer 2022 - <https://ledascholars.org/our-program/leda-scholars-program/recruitment-admissions/apply/>