



WHATS BRUIN IN THE CAREER CENTER

April 5, 2024

IMPORTANT DATES

April 8	8:30AM	NOVA Enrollment Preparation (see below for details)
April 10	6:30PM	George Mason's N. VA Regional College Fair
April 29	8:30AM	NOVA Enrollment Preparation (see below for details)

FAFSA & FINANCIAL AID RESOURCES

Social Media

1. <https://studentaid.gov/notices/social>
2. [Twitter](#)
3. [Facebook](#)
4. [Instagram](#)
5. [YouTube – How to videos](#)
6. [YouTube – Webinars](#)

Helpful Links

7. [Pro Tips for the 2024–25 FAFSA® Form](#)
8. [6 Things Students Need Before They Fill Out the 2024–25 FAFSA® Form](#)
9. [How To Submit the 2024–25 FAFSA® Form if Your Contributor Doesn't Have an SSN](#)
10. [Federal Student Aid Estimator](#)

STUDENT NEWS

Holder RISE High School Internship Program (Flyer)

The [Holder RISE High School Internship Program](#) is for students ages 16-17 years old and focuses on learning our culture and opportunities in construction.

11th Grade Postsecondary Planning

Hopefully the 11th Grade Postsecondary Planning Lesson with your school counselor last month was helpful.

- We provided you with paper consent forms for student and parent to sign. This will allow us to send the transcripts and recommendations to any college, scholarship, or job opportunity that the student applies to next year. Please email a scanned copy to lbsstranscripts@fcps.edu or drop it off in person to the LBSS High School Student Services Office.
- If you were unable to attend the virtual junior college night panel, here is the link to the recording. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SeCQRZM0X8M>

Mark R Warner Academy Day

Senator Mark Warner invites high school and middle school students, their parents or guardians, and school counselors to Academy Day 2024. Attendees will be provided a comprehensive overview of the United States service academies and their admission processes. To receive the registration link for the event, please email academy_noms@warner.senate.gov . For more information on the Academy Nomination Process, please visit www.warner.senate.gov .

NOVA Enrollment Preparation Workshops: 8:45a -9:30a

Location: Career Center

Session 2: April 8th - Monday

Session 2: April 29th – Monday

During Session 2, applicants will review their program of study, first semester's recommended courses, learn how to access the registration system via SIS and how to select and register for classes.

Students should attend one of each session.

JumpStart2NOVA - Summer 2024 Opportunity for Graduating Seniors

JumpStart2NOVA is available this summer for qualified seniors graduating this spring and considering NOVA for the Fall. Students may select one 3- or 4-credit approved course plus SDV 100: College Success Skills, at **no tuition!**

- The application for JumpStart2NOVA is now open and closes at 5pm on Friday, May 10, 2024.
- Courses begin on Monday, June 3, and end on Monday, August 12.
- All classes will be offered asynchronously through NOVA Online.
- Courses are tuition free.
- Students are responsible for purchasing textbooks or other course materials, if required.
- Courses have been selected based on their usability in NOVA degrees and their status as part of the Uniform Certificate of General Studies.

First time NOVA students will need to apply to NOVA and create an account to request the course in nvcc.dualenroll.com. Current DE students can skip the NOVA application and go straight to nvcc.dualenroll.com, selecting term "JumpStart2NOVA 2024." All students will be required to upload their current high school transcript and qualifying test scores.

Please Note: This opportunity is for current 12th grade students only.

Union Jobs & Career Fair on May 4 at Dulles Expo Center

Union Jobs & Career Fair at the Dulles Expo Center on May 4, 10 am – 5 pm. For more info, please visit:

<https://dullesexpo.com/event/union-jobs-career-fair/>

Fairfax County [TalentUp](#) - Job Seekers

Are you looking for a job with better opportunities?

Do you want to break into the high-demand fields but lack the industry experience or education credentials typically required? Talent Up is the Solution!

Talent Up Fairfax is a **paid internship** that can help job seekers find employment in high-demand industries such as IT, Healthcare, Finance, Sales, and more.

Talent Up Fairfax offers coaching and career guidance to help job seekers succeed. Talent Up Fairfax can lead to full-time job offers for successful interns. For more information see the website or email talentupfairfax@vcwnorthern.com , or call Suzanne Boudreaux at 703-397-6577 or Anna Briceno at 703-397-7799.

Apprenticeship 101

This rigorous program prepares you for ACE apprenticeship classes in Electrical, HVAC, and Plumbing as well as entry level positions on project sites. Learn the basics in safety, hand and power tools, construction math, material handling, construction drawings, and employability skills. For more information, contact educationalcounseling@fcps.edu or visit website <http://aceclasses.fcps.edu/>

FCPS Trades for Tomorrow Application Open

The FCPS Trades 4 Tomorrow (T4T) Youth Registered Apprenticeships Application is Now Open!

Paid positions include:

- HVAC, Plumbing, & Electrical
- Structural - Carpentry & Flooring
- Cabinetry
- Welding & Sheet Metal
- Outdoor Equipment Repair

[Apply](#) By 5 pm on April 12, 2024.

E Summer Program at NOVA

The [E-Summer Program at NOVA](#) is sponsored by the Hispanic Association of Colleges & Universities (HACU) and Dominion Energy. This program is designed to introduce students to STEM and the energy industry and is targeted to Hispanic and underrepresented minority students! Rising juniors and seniors that meet qualifying GPA or test score requirements may apply. Students will be offered two courses at no cost: CSC 221: Introduction to Problem Solving and Programming (3cr) and SDV 100: College Success Skills (1cr), earning four college credits over the six-week program. Students must take both courses. For more information about the E-Summer Program @ NOVA, please email Katie Aimone at dualenrollment@nvcc.edu.

George Mason's N. VA Regional College Fair is Wednesday April 10th

<https://events.admissions.gmu.edu/nvrcfstudents/>

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

FCPS Service-Learning information can be accessed by joining the Schoology Group (access code: QGQR-N77P-Z2ZFX)
Be sure to check out [Volunteer Fairfax](#) for some great opportunities.

Cherry Run Elementary - Month of the Military Child

Cherry Run ES is celebrating the Month of the Military Child April 17th with a Purple Up festival. We are seeking volunteers to join in the fun and support our Military Kids.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0948A9AA22AB9-48847756-month>

Please arrive at 3:45PM for assignment setup and instructions.

POC...Mrs. Angela Lock amlock@fcps.edu

Annual Kings Glen Earth Day Celebration

KP/KG PTA is looking for volunteers for their Earth Day celebration on April 27 between 4 and 6 p.m. You will be supervising kids' activities during the event. The sign up is in x2Vol. If you have any questions, please email Ms.

Hannagan President@KPKGPTA.org

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Summer FTC Job Opportunities for High Schoolers

The Federal Trade Commission is looking for student trainees. The advertisement does close within about a week from today.

High School Age (none-minimal work experience) = [USAJOBS - Job Announcement](#)

High School with work experience or College age = [USAJOBS - Job Announcement](#)

Moonlit Wings Productions, is currently seeking summer camp counselors for our performing arts camps in Fairfax County. This could be a perfect opportunity for your high school seniors. As a proud FCPS alumni, I'm thrilled to extend this exciting opportunity to your graduating seniors. These positions are paid and provide an excellent opportunity for students to gain valuable experience while having fun.

Link for a flyer bit.ly/hiring-hs-seniors

Parliament Pool Hiring

Want some fun in the sun this summer while making money? Join the lifeguard team at Parliament Pool and get both! We're looking for hard working, attention detailed, motivated individuals to join our team.

Lifeguard Requirements:

- -15 years of age or older
- -Completion of lifeguard training
- -First Aid and CPR certification
- -Proficient communication skills, both verbal and written
- -Proficient in interacting with people of various ages from diverse backgrounds
- -Available to work shifts
- Please ensure certifications are current through Labor Day. Fairfax County Parks & Rec. has lifeguarding classes going on now. Check their schedules for the next available class (<http://parktakes.fairfaxcounty.gov/>). Other training providers are American Red Cross, American Lifeguard Association (ALA), and George Mason. If you require cert/recert, please get registered for a course early and schedule to be done before May so you're ready to go for the season.

Please reach out to the Parliament Pool Board at board@parliament-pool.com if you're interested.

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

Scholarships for College Students with Disabilities - <https://www.onlinecolleges.me/financial-aid/scholarships/students-with-disabilities/>

Limburg Scholarship Offered by Optimist Club of Central Fairfax

The Optimist Club of Central Fairfax will be awarding one \$2000 scholarship to a deserving graduating senior from one of the following high schools: Woodson, Robinson, Fairfax and Lake Braddock. The Club is sponsoring this scholarship to assist in the further education of a student who has demonstrated an interest in serving his/her community and/or exhibits the potential for leadership roles in his/her selected career path. You can find details and the application in Naviance.

The DDA Love Foundation Resilience Scholarship 2024

The annual DDA Love Resilience scholarship is open for high school seniors*! If you or a student you know in the community is a great representative of our core values of Dedication, Diligence, and Attentiveness, please direct them to teamdda.com/scholarship to apply.

Scholarships

The William J. Foremen Memorial Scholarship ** Accepting applications up to the original 4/12 deadline**

[2024 AMVETS Scholarships](#) Amount: Up to \$12,000 Deadline: 4/30/2024

[Students Affected by Cancer Scholarship](#) Amount: \$1,000 Deadline: 6/15/2024

[AWS AI & ML Scholarship Program](#) Amount: Up to \$4,000 Deadline : 5/31/2024

[Ashoori Law Good Deeds Scholarship](#) Amount: \$1,000 Deadline: 5/1/2024

[Automotive Hall of Fame Scholarship](#) Amount: Unknown Deadline: 6/30/2024
[Ayn Rand Institute "Fountainhead" Essay Scholarship](#) Amount: Varies Deadline: 6/7/2024
[Ayn Rand "Atlas Shrugged" Essay Contest](#) Amount: Up to \$25,000 Deadline: 6/14/2024
[Slumber Search Scholarship](#) Amount: \$1,000 Deadline: 6/30/2024
[Buster Bynum Education Scholarship](#) Amount: \$2,000 Deadline: 6/1/2024
[Bridging the Dream Scholarship](#) Amount: Up to \$10,000 Deadline: 5/17/2024
[Shelton Hall Memorial/Reston Community Players](#) Amount: \$3,000 Deadline: 5/1/2024
[Bruce Marston Memorial Scholarship](#) Amount: \$3,000 Deadline: 5/1/2024
[Army Emergency Relief MG James Ursano Scholarship](#) Amount: Varies Deadline: 5/1/2024
[Conner Gweedo Memorial Scholarship](#) Amount: Unknown Deadline: 5/1/2024
[Conner Gweedo Giving Scholarship](#) Amount: \$1,000 Deadline: 5/1/2024
[Nurse Corps Scholarship Program](#) Amount: \$10,000 Deadline: 5/2/2024
[SEE Education Foundation Scholarship](#) Amount: \$5,000 Deadline: 5/6/2024
[#ScienceSaves Video Scholarship](#) Amount: \$10,000 Deadline: 5/6/2024
[There's Space for Everyone Scholarship](#) Amount: \$3,000 Deadline: 5/31/2024
[Curt Greene Memorial Scholarship](#) Amount: \$2,500 Deadline : 6/1/2024
[Ted & Holly Rollins Scholarship](#) Amount: \$5,000 Deadline: 6/1/2024
[How I make my Community Great Scholarship](#) Amount: \$2,500 Deadline: 6/15/2024
[Doctors Network Hero's Scholarship](#) Amount: Up to \$2,000 Deadline : 6/15/2024
[Avnet Law National Scholarship](#) Amount: \$1,000 Deadline: 7/15/2024
[State Troopers Scholarship Programs \(AAST Scholarship\)](#) Amount: \$1,500 Deadline: 7/31/2024

Enrichment Programs

[Minds Underground Summer Program](#) Event date: Varies by program
[Inspirit AI: Artificial Intelligence Program for High School Students](#) Deadline: 4/15/2024 Event date: Various dates to choose from
[Art Instructor at Great Falls Senior Center Without Walls](#) Event date: Ongoing need
[Lake Accotink Park Habitat Restoration ! - Springfield](#) Event dates: 5/4, 5/18, 5/25
[Westbriar Elementary Annual 5K and 1 mile fun walk volunteer](#) Event date: 4/13/2024
[Civic Engagement Camp](#) Deadline: 6/7/2024 Event date: 7/7-7/12
[The Cooper Union Summer Art Intensive](#) Event date: 7/8-8/1
[Fairfax County DIT Internship Program](#) Deadline: 4/19/2024 Event date: Summer 2024
[WashU Preview](#) Deadline: 5/31/2024 Event dates: 7/7-7/9 or 7/28-7/30
[Villanova NROTC Summer Program](#) Deadline: 5/15 Event dates: 6/23-6/27
[Rising Leaders Fellowship \(RLF\)](#) Deadline: 4/28 Event dates: Monthly meetings on Mondays starting July 2024
[Qualia Global Scholars](#) Event date: Monthly cohorts from June to August
[2024 Young Ambassadors Program](#) Deadline: 4/15/2024 Event dates: 6/23-8/2
[William & Mary's Summer/ Saturday Enrichment Program](#) Event dates: Ongoing
[Interior Design Workshop](#) Event dates: Virtual: 6/10-7/5 On- Campus 6/2-6/11 or 6/16-6/25
[Summer Enrichment Academy at UMBC](#) Deadline: First come Event date: Varies, 5 different sessions
[The Clarkson University Horizons Program](#) Event dates: 7/7-7/12
[Naval Academy Admissions Forum](#) Event date: 4/12/2024
[Splash! @ John Hopkins University](#) Event date: 4/20/2024
[Internships with Fairfax Water](#) Ongoing, hiring dates are flexible
[SUHAS for Virginia Internship Program](#) Rolling Admissions
[Observatory Park at Turner Farms Public Viewing](#) Public Observing on clear Friday Nights
[NVTC Student Membership](#) (Free Student membership)
[Working at BARDA: Dynamic STEM Careers Career Panel](#) Event date: 4/10/2024