



# Career Center Corner

May 8, 2020

## IMPORTANT DATES

- May 12 NOVA dedicated zoom session for FCPS parents & guardians at 5pm. Register at [https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_Ne2lgKfLS2mSx8u7drEiUw](https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Ne2lgKfLS2mSx8u7drEiUw)
- May 15 Senior Survey is due – check your email for instructions or reach out to your counselor. This is a mandatory survey for all graduates in the Class of 2020!

## NEWS & INFORMATION

Helpful websites: [Class of 2020 Next Steps](#), [Class of 2021 Rising Seniors' Next Steps](#), [SwiftStudent](#)

Students who have limited financial resources may use the **NACAC Request for Admission Application Fee Waiver** form when applying for college. The purpose of this form is to ensure equitable postsecondary access and thus is intended for first-time undergraduate applicants who meet one or more of the economic need criteria identified on the form. For more information visit <https://www.nacacfairs.org/learn/fee-waiver/>

**NOVA's upcoming live webinars "Financial Aid Essentials For Parents"** will be held all next week. Parents and guardians of students in all grade levels are welcome to attend. Choose a day and time that works best for you:

- Monday, May 11, 2020 at 4pm - [https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_wcDuXzqMRVi0lIvSbj1JQ](https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_wcDuXzqMRVi0lIvSbj1JQ)
- Tuesday, May 12 at 7pm - [https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_9mRjXXfmQc6gBdUNB9-K3A](https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_9mRjXXfmQc6gBdUNB9-K3A)
- Wednesday, May 13 at 10am - [https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_HrtIC0Z0SpWJcRnAe7GT\\_g](https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_HrtIC0Z0SpWJcRnAe7GT_g)
- Thursday, May 14 at 12pm - [https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_YNCBffX6TZGDxURIYKmW0g](https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_YNCBffX6TZGDxURIYKmW0g)
- Friday, May 15 at 4pm - [https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_3y7F9vL1RQ6ArnPhCMJPlw](https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_3y7F9vL1RQ6ArnPhCMJPlw)

## JOB OPPORTUNITIES

**High Sierra Pools** is hosting virtual job fairs and online interviews for Summer 2020! Attend a quick 20-minute fair to find out about lifeguarding jobs, certification, referral bonuses and more! Q&A offered after the presentation. Register here: [https://zoom.us/webinar/register/1015882614501/WN\\_waHhUJ0eSNqmsSh7A4uWgQ](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/1015882614501/WN_waHhUJ0eSNqmsSh7A4uWgQ). Find High Sierra on social media or email Hunter Carey at [hunter@highsierrapools.com](mailto:hunter@highsierrapools.com).

**CURRENT SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES – Check Naviance Student** for scholarship opportunities vetted by FCPS. From the home page, go to Colleges < Scholarships & Money < Scholarship List. Recent additions include:

### NEW

- Fair Lakes Scholarship – deadline extended to May 29, 2020
- Ophelia Foundation Class of 2020 Scholarship – deadline extended to May 31, 2020
- AGC Workforce Development Scholarship – deadline June 1, 2020
- American Ground Water Trust Scholarships – deadline June 1, 2020
- Korean American Scholarship – deadline June 30, 2020
- Korean American Scholarship for Descendants of Korean War Veterans – deadline June 30, 2020
- Korean American Scholarship for High School Students – deadline June 30, 2020
- Omicron Kappa Kappa Scholars Scholarship – deadline July 3, 2020
- Aspiring Fashion Professional Scholarship Program – deadline July 31, 2020
- American Culinary Federation Education Foundation – deadline Oct. 31, 2020
- Rowlen Scholarship – deadline Dec. 15, 2020
- Benjamin Gordon Cambridge Capital Grant – deadline March 1, 2021

**OTHER OPPORTUNITIES TO NOTE** – **Check Naviance Student** for enrichment opportunities vetted by FCPS. From the home page, go to Colleges< Research Colleges< Enrichment Programs. Search by category, date, and location. Recent additions include:

**\*\* Please know that these events are subject to change/cancellation due to current conditions \*\***

Research Internships – deadline extended May 10, 2020 – event date summer 2020 - <https://www.questsri.org/internships.html>

College Credit Courses – deadline May 15, 2020 – event date June 1 – July 3, July 6 – Aug. 1 or June 1 – July 24, 2020 - <https://summer.georgetown.edu/programs/SHS04/college-credit-courses>

College Prep Program – deadline May 15, 2020 - event date July 5 – Aug. 7, 2020 - <https://summer.georgetown.edu/programs/SHS05/college-preparatory-program>

Summer High School Programs – deadline May 15, 2020 – event date 1 and 3 week sessions - <https://summer.georgetown.edu/academies>

Environmental Quality Advisory Council – deadline extended May 21, 2020 – event date July 2020 – June 2021 - <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/environment-energy-coordination/environmental-quality-advisory-council>

Terp Young Scholars – deadline June 15, 2020 – event date July 12 – 31, 2020 - <https://oes.umd.edu/middle-high-school-students/terp-young-scholars>

Youth Leadership Academy – deadline extended July 1, 2020 – event date July 20 – 23, 2020 - <https://www.planusa.org/yla>

High School Honors – deadline May 29, 2020 – event date May 20 – July 2020 - <http://www.bu.edu/summer/high-school-programs/high-school-honors/>

Academic Connections – deadline extended June 29, 2020 – event date July 6 – 31, 2020 - <https://academicconnections.ucsd.edu/>

College Edge Summer Sessions – event date May 26 – July 2 or July 6 – Aug. 4, 2020 - <http://precollege.sps.columbia.edu/highschool/college-edge/summer>

Actuarial Science Camp – event date June 21 – 26 or July 5 – 10, 2020 - <https://www.lvc.edu/life-at-lvc/summer-community-programming/actuarial-science-camp/>

Catapult Incubator – event date June 23 – July 22 or July 6 – 15, 2020 - <https://www.quarterzero.com/summer-experiences/>

Boston University Summer Journalism Institute – event date July 6 – 17 or July 20 -31, 2020 - <https://combeyond.bu.edu/workshop/bu-summer-journalism-institute/>

Health and Biomedical Sciences Summer Camp – event date July 26 – 31, 2020 - <https://www.lvc.edu/life-at-lvc/summer-community-programming/health-biomedical-sciences-camp/>

DMVHacks & NOVACSPREP Present: Free Programming Classes on Wednesdays & Fridays from 3-4pm via Zoom. Classes are geared toward middle and high school students and include Scratch (Basic), Java (Basic) , Java (Advanced) , Python (Basic), Python (Advanced), Web Development (Advanced). Sign up at <https://dmvhacks.weebly.com/free-classes.html>.

*Advertisement of opportunities does not constitute sponsorship or endorsement of the sponsoring organization or the enrichment opportunity by the Fairfax County School Board, the Superintendent, or a specific FCPS school. Opportunities may utilize a technology tool (ie. Zoom) that has not been assessed nor approved by the Fairfax County Public Schools Department of Information Technology. Students should gain permission from their parent or guardian before engaging in any non-FCPS enrichment opportunity and families should review and agree to the Terms of Service and User Agreements for any technology platform that enrichment opportunity may use before participating.*