



College & Career Corner

February 12, 2021

Translations in Spanish, Korean and Chinese now available on the CVHS [website](#)

IMPORTANT DATES

- Feb. 20 Alfred Street Baptist Church HBCU Festival, 8am -3:30pm – register at www.alfredstreet.org
- Feb. 22 NOVA Major Exploration Workshop by Counselor Jocelyn Hanly, 10am – pre-register [here](#)
- Feb. 22 NOVA Pathway Financial Planning Workshop by Counselor Monica Gomez, 10am – link TBD
- Feb. 22 HBCU College Fair, 9am-3:30pm – <https://sites.google.com/fcpschools.net/ehshbcu2021/home>
- Feb. 28 NACAC Virtual College Fair - <https://virtualcollegefairs.org/events>
- March 1 Paul Mitchell career information [session](#), 11:30am
- March 1 Navy info session, 2pm – email kastamper@fcps.edu to attend
- March 2 Junior Panel, 7pm – register [here](#)
- March 13 Teen Job Fair, 2pm to 5pm - <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/springfield/teenjobfairs>
- March 15 NOVA Pathway Workshop, 10am and 2pm – Understanding English & Math Placement – link TBD
- March 19 College Partnership Program application due – information and application [here](#)
- March 20 Teen Job Fair, 11am to 2pm - <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/springfield/teenjobfairs>
- March 22 ASVAB for seniors intending to enlist in the US Military, 9am at West Springfield HS – register by Feb. 26 using this [Google form](#)

NEWS & INFORMATION

Are you interested in applying to West Point? The Summer Leaders Experience (SLE) is an opportunity for high school juniors to experience the academic, military, and fitness components of West Point Cadet life firsthand — all while interacting with current Cadets and building friendships with future classmates. This one-week summer experience helps interested candidates decide if West Point is right for them. To apply click [here](#). Take the West Point virtual [tour](#).

Coalition for College is hosting webinars for students and parents on a variety of topics from starting the college search to building a smart college list to understanding financial aid. Click [here](#) to explore and register.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES – FCPS is encouraging students to participate in safe forms of service learning this school year. Virtual service learning examples, along with other support resources, can be accessed on the [FCPS Service Learning Google Site](#).

Seniors, note that FCPS recently shared the deadlines when all service hours need to be entered and approved in X2VOL. Remember that students need a minimum of 40 approved hours to earn the service cord and 50 approved hours to earn the civics seal. **The Class of 2021 needs to submit all service learning hours by April 21, 2021.** If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Armstrong at laarmstrong@fcps.edu.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

MITRE's Emerging Technologies Division has 2 summer employment opportunities for students to serve as investigators with senior staff in research projects on topics including AI-Machine Learning, Robotics, Cyber Security, Data Analytics, GPS & Space Systems, Health Sciences/Biotechnology, and Nanotechnology. Students must be available to work 40 hours per week from **June 21** through **August 13, 2021**. **Deadline to apply is February 15 at the links below.**

Technical Aide – Summer Early High School Job – [for current 9th and 10th graders](#)

Technical Aide – Summer Emerging Technologies Job – [for current 11th graders through juniors in college](#)

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

CVHS SCHOLARSHIPS:

- Michell Merhige Scholarship - due to kastamper@fcps.edu by Feb. 18, 2021
- VHSL Colonel Charles E. Savedge Award – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by February 18, 2021
- VHSL Vito E. Perriello Citizenship Award – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by March 3, 2021
- VHSL Allstate Achievement Award – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by March 3, 2021
- Granville P. Meade Scholarship – apply via <https://vastudentservices.smapply.org/> by March 5, 2021
- William J. Foreman Memorial Scholarship – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by March 9, 2021
- Donna Sweeney Memorial Scholarship – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by March 9, 2021
- Juwaan D. Espinal Memorial Scholarship – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by March 11, 2021
- Courtney Charneco Scholarship Award – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by March 15, 2021
- Susan Thorpe Cestare Memorial Scholarship – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by March 18, 2021
- JB Bierwirth Memorial Scholarship – due to Clifton Lions Club by March 19, 2021

NEW:

- SMAC's Cancer Fighter Scholarship – deadline Feb. 15, 2021
- VHSL Colonel Charles E. Savedge Award – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by February 18, 2021
- Women's Cyber Security Scholarship – deadline Feb. 22, 2021
- American Chemical Society Scholars Program – deadline March 1, 2021
- Microsoft Disability Scholarship – deadline March 1, 2021
- National Press Club Scholarship for Journalism Diversity – deadline March 1, 2021
- SEG Foundation Scholarship – deadline March 1, 2021
- VHSL Vito E. Perriello Citizenship Award – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by March 3, 2021
- VHSL Allstate Achievement Award – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by March 3, 2021
- Amazon Black Employee Network Scholarship – deadline March 4, 2021
- Information Security Undergraduate Scholarship – deadline March 8, 2021
- Lockheed Martin Vocational Scholarship – deadline March 11, 2021
- Fairfax Alliance of Black School Educators (FABSE) Scholarship – deadline March 12, 2021
- Beyond the Burroughs National Scholarship Fund – deadline March 15, 2021
- Virginia Smiles Scholarship – Katie Higgins Memorial Scholarship – deadline March 29, 2021
- Asian American Government Executives Network (AAGEN) Scholarship – deadline April 1, 2021
- Esperanza Education Fund Scholarship – deadline April 1, 2021
- Lockheed Martin STEM Scholarship – deadline April 1, 2021
- [Ashworth Grogram Scholarship Fund](#) - \$5,000 per year, renewable for up to 2 years, for full-time students at Northern VA Community College – deadline April 2, 2021
- Phi Beta Kappa High School Awards – deadline April 10, 2021
- The Rotary Club of Alexandria CTE Scholarship – deadline April 23, 2021
- USGIF Scholarship Program – deadline May 16, 2021
- Washington Korean Women's Society Scholarship – deadline May 25, 2021
- Tribeca Capital Group Scholarship – deadline June 15, 2021

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES TO NOTE – [Check Naviance](#) for new opportunities vetted by FCPS. From the home page, go to Colleges< Research Colleges< Enrichment Programs. Search by category, date, and keyword.

Virginia Girls State Program – event date June 20 – 26, 2021 - <https://www.vagirlsstate.org/> - interested juniors should email jno@fcps.edu for information and application

George Washington University Biomedical Laboratory Sciences Department Summer Immersion Program – deadline May 31, 2021 – event date July 12-16 and July 26-30, 2021 9am to 3pm - <https://smhs.gwu.edu/biomedical-laboratory-sciences/programs/summer-immersion-program>

SciTech 2021 Summer Program – deadline Feb. 7, 2021 – event date July 12 – Aug. 5, 2021 <https://scitech.technion.ac.il/>

Precollege Summer Immersion Program Webinar – event date Feb. 17, 2021 from 5:30pm to 6:30pm - <https://www.pace.edu/pre-college-immersion-program/webinars>

Youth Registered Apprenticeship – event date Feb. 22, 201 from 12pm to 1pm - <https://bit.ly/3rcIRnZ>

E.L.I.T.E (Exemplifying Leadership in a Team Environment) Leadership Academy – deadline March 1, 2021 – event date March 13, 20, 27 April 10, 17 & 24, 2021 from 10am to 12pm - <https://www.latinasleadingtomorrow.org/>

Reynolds Young Writers Workshop – deadline March 8, 2021 – event date June 20 – 27, 2021 - <https://reynolds.denison.edu/>

Precollege Summer Immersion Program – event date July 11 – 23, 2021 - <https://www.pace.edu/pre-college-immersion-program>

TERP Young Scholars – deadline June 1, 2021 – event date July 11 – 30, 2021 from 11am to 3pm - <https://oes.umd.edu/pre-college-programs/terp-young-scholars-online>

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