



Career Center Corner

March 29, 2019

IMPORTANT DATES

April 2-3	NOVA Placement Tests for non-Pathways students. Sign up here: https://goo.gl/forms/sKpGJRk0WbcYjdkV2
April 3	Northern VA Regional College Fair, 6:30-8:30pm at GMU's Eagle Bank Arena. For a list of colleges attending, visit https://admissions.gmu.edu/documents/NVRFCF_Registered_Colleges_2018.pdf
April 4	End of 3 rd quarter
April 9	ASVAB, 8:30am in the Library Lab. Sign up here: https://goo.gl/forms/Udfq3ikMr2jPkddw1
April 9-10	Senior AP pre-administration during plus
April 10	Purple Up Day for Month of the Military Child
April 11	Junior AP pre-administration during plus
April 13	ACT
April 15-19	FCPS Spring Break
April 23	Junior AP pre-administration

NEWS & INFORMATION

April is Month of the Military Child and **PURPLE UP Day is April 10, 2019** which is a national day of recognition to show support for military youth and families by wearing purple. Why purple? Purple is the color of all the service colors blended together.

Information on Opportunities Available for First Generation Students Planning to Attend Mason

- **STEP 2019 free summer program: Open to Virginia residents who have been accepted to Mason for Fall 2019 and are first year, first generation.** The program's mission is to empower students through academic skills, access to resources, community building, self-discovery, and the global citizenship needed to compete in today's college environment and beyond. The PRIORITY deadline is **Monday April 15th**. Applicants who submit by this deadline will receive priority consideration and will have their applications read FIRST! The regular application deadline is **Monday April 29th**. Application materials can be found at step.gmu.edu. Questions? Please email step@gmu.edu.

- **The First LLC (Living Learning Community) - Open to ALL students who have been accepted to Mason for Fall 2019 and are first generation.** The First LLC is a partnership between the Office of Diversity, Inclusion, and Multicultural Education + LGBTQ Resources and the Housing and Residence Life Office at George Mason. Participants in the LLC live **on campus, on the same floor** with other first generation students (freshmen AND upperclassmen) during the academic year, forming a community of students who share similar experiences and academic goals. Participants engage in monthly community service opportunities, interact with Mason faculty and staff, develop leadership skills, and learn about leadership opportunities on campus. The cost of living on the LLC floor is the same as living in any double on Mason's campus. Students interested in living in The First LLC can go to the new Housing Portal and indicate their interest in The First LLC. For more information, please click [here](#). The deadline to apply is **May 1**. Questions? Please email llc@gmu.edu.

CURRENT SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES – Check Naviance Student for new scholarship opportunities vetted by FCPS. From the home page, go to Colleges< Scholarships & Money< Scholarship List. Current listings include (but are not limited to):

CVHS SCHOLARSHIPS:

- CVHS Athletic Booster Scholarship – due by 3pm on April 1, 2019
- CVHS Choral Boosters Scholarship – due to Mrs. Babcock by 3pm on April 1, 2019
- CVHS nom Vulcan Materials Company Foundation Scholarship – due by 3pm on April 3, 2019

- CVHS only Clifton Community Woman’s Club Scholarship – due by 3pm on April 8, 2019
- CVHS Drama Boosters Scholarship – due by 3pm on April 9, 2019
- CVHS Wildcat Band Boosters Scholarship – due by 3pm on April 24, 2019

NEW:

- Lt. Col. Thomas Bull Budrejko Scholarship – deadline April 1, 2019
- CVHS only Clifton Community Woman’s Club Scholarship – due by 3pm on April 8, 2019

UPDATED:

- Iota Upsilon Sigma Book Scholarship – deadline April 5, 2019
- Colonel Charles Young Memorial Scholarship -- deadline April 22, 2019
- Alfred Street Baptist Church Foundation Scholarship -- deadline April 7, 2019
- Fairfax County Council of PTA's Scholarship -- deadline March 30, 2019
- High Bridge Scholarship -- deadline April 30, 2019
- Washington Korean Women's Society Scholarship -- deadline May 15, 2019
- Women in Technology Scholarship -- deadline April 15th, 2019

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

Conflict Resolution Youth Summit – event dates July 15-19, 2019 – <https://scar.gmu.edu/impact/programs-and-projects/conflict-resolution-youth-summit>

Congressional High School Leadership Program – contact Erica Constance at Erica.Constance@mail.house.gov or 703-234-3800. Application available here: [High School Leadership Program Application.pdf](#)

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