



College & Career Corner

Sept 23, 2022

Translations in Spanish now available on the CVHS [website](#)

IMPORTANT DATES

- Sept. 27 FAFSA Updates & Demo Workshop, 4pm – register [here](#)
- Sept. 29 Scholarship Workshop by Marianne Ragins, 6:30-8:30pm – [register](#) by Sept. 20
- Oct. 7-8 HBCU Festival, virtual and in person – info and registration [here](#)
- Oct. 11 Army Recruiter table in the cafeteria during all lunches
- Oct. 16 FCPS College Fair, 4-7pm at GMU's Eagle Bank Arena – students encouraged to [register](#)
- Oct. 17-20 FCPS Post-Secondary Week, 5-8pm virtual presentations – info and registration [here](#)
- Oct. 18 Marines Recruiter table in the cafeteria during all lunches
- Oct. 19 Alcanza field trip, 9:30am-1:30pm at GMU
- Oct. 25 Supporting Scholarship Searches Workshop, 4pm – register [here](#)
- Nov. 4 Mary Washington on-site admissions, 9-11am in the College & Career Center – application due 11/1
- Nov. 8 Supporting a Career-Going Culture Workshop, 4pm – register [here](#)

NEWS & INFORMATION

The **University of Mary Washington** is offering an exciting **on-site admissions** opportunity in the CVHS College & Career Center on Friday, Nov. 4 from 9-11am. Seniors who are interested in this expedited review should apply to UMW (including sending an official [transcript](#)) by **5pm on November 1, 2022**. The Common App waiver code is UMW54. [Register](#) for an appointment using a personal email address. Come to the College & Career Center on Nov. 4th anytime between 9am-11am to meet with Ms. Hart in person. **The decision you receive that day is not binding.** Email Ms. Hart at ahart3@umw.edu with questions.

College Board's [Real Talk](#) is a virtual college exploration initiative designed to connect Black students and families with tools to start planning for the future. Workshops connect attendees with Black college reps across the country, financial aid experts, college students providing a realistic view of campus life, and Black professionals in tech, sports, and entertainment. Click [here](#) to view workshops on HBCUs, NY Careers, and Paying for College.

[Army Opportunities and Candidate Fitness Assessment Event](#) at Fort Belvoir October Fest on October 1, 2022 from 8:00-10:30am - designed for students who might be interested in applying to the United States Military Academy at West Point. Meet senior leadership, Fort Belvoir personnel, soldiers, West Point Parents, Grads, and Field Force. Visitors will be able to watch practice for the Candidate Fitness Assessment Test for Service Academies and the Physical Fitness Assessment Test for ROTC College Scholarships. Light refreshments will be provided.

Juniors and seniors are invited on a field trip to attend the 22nd Annual **ALCANZA College Fair at GMU on Wednesday, Oct. 19 from 9:30am-1:30pm**. Pick up permission forms from the College & Career Center, SubschooL 2 or SubschooL 3. Forms must be returned to Mrs. Stamper or Mrs. Villeda and 50 spots will be filled on a first come, first serve basis. This program is for **Latinx and underrepresented high school students** to learn about opportunities in higher education.

COLLEGE REP INFO SESSIONS – Over 75 universities will visit CVHS in person this fall! Juniors and seniors must [register](#) and get teacher permission (verbally or through email) to be excused from class at least 24 hours before the session. All presentations are in the College & Career Center and last about 30 minutes unless otherwise noted in Naviance. Upcoming sessions include:

- Sept. 27 – Columbia University, Harvey Mudd College
- Sept. 28 – Vanderbilt University
- Sept. 29 – Towson University
- Sept. 30 – Boston University, St. Mary's College of Maryland, Johnson & Wales University

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Autobell car wash is looking to hire high school students for part-time positions. They offer flexible scheduling, scholarship opportunities, customer service training, and above average earnings. Must be 16 or older. Apply [online](#) (use Sterling, VA as location) or contact Steven Divilio at sdivilio@autobell.com for information.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES – FCPS encourages students to make connections between the classroom and community through authentic, intentional, and impactful [Service Learning](#). X2VOL is used to find, track, and verify service hours electronically through [Naviance](#). Opportunities include:

Tattersall Park Habitat Restoration – Oakton – event date Sept. 24, 2022, from 9am to 11am - https://volunteer.fairfaxcounty.gov/custom/1380/opp_details/187485

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

- UVA Jefferson and Walentas – full tuition scholarship – Walentas is specific to first generation students – self-nomination due to kastamper@fcps.edu by Oct. 10, 2022
- Harris Goodall Squires Memorial Scholarship – \$5,000 for FCPS students currently or previously enrolled in ESOL programs for at least 1 year during high school and seeking to attend college - due April 1, 2023
- CVHS PTSA – application will be available in Feb. 2023 for 5 scholarships, one of which is for a student with an IEP – student membership required by Dec. 1, 2022 in order to apply – see details and membership form [here](#)
- National Alliance of Black School Educators Foundation Scholarship – deadline Nov. 7, 2022 - \$1,000
- [Hispanic Heritage Youth Awards](#) - deadline Nov. 13, 2022 - \$4,000
- Anthony Richard Tilghman Memorial Scholarship – deadline March 1, 2023 - \$5,000

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. Recent additions include:

[UVA Virtual Fall Event Series](#) – event date Sept. 28 at 6pm and 7pm, Sept. 29 at 6pm, Oct. 5 at 6pm, and Oct. 19 at 6pm

[My Journey](#) – event date Sept. 24, 2022, from 10am to 12:30pm Central Time

[Society of Women Engineers of UVA High School Visitation](#) – deadline Sept. 26, 2022 – event date Oct. 15, 2022

[Veterinary Medicine Careers Exploration](#) – event date Oct. 15, 2022 from 10am to 12pm

[Physical Therapy Internships & Shadowing](#) – deadline July 1, Sept 1, Nov. 1, and March 1 – school year and summer

[Startalk](#) – priority deadline Oct. 15, 2022 – event date Spring 2023 to Spring 2024

[Youth Employment Focus Group](#) – event date September 26, 2022

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