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Hayfield Secondary School



Hayfield Student Services Newsletter - May 28, 2020



Hayfield Earns National Recognition as a No Place For Hate school!

We are proud to announce Hayfield has been designated No Place For Hate by the Anti-Defamation League! In November, staff and students signed the pledge to combat bias and bullying and make Hayfield no place for hate. Then, in February, the No Place For Hate Committee asked students to share what it means to be a good

friend. We created a banner made up of the thoughts of students to show our Hawk Pride. Although we were unable to complete the remainder of our planned events in 2019-2020 due to COVID-19, the committee is busy planning events for school year 2020-2021. If you or a student you know would be interested in joining us, please let Jaime Alvis know, Coordinator of No Place For Hate and School Counselor at Hayfield, at jsalvis@fcps.edu!

Class of 2020 Decision Day- June 1

Hayfield counselors, faculty and staff are excited to celebrate our senior class' postsecondary plans on June 1. Seniors are encouraged to wear their college/ military t-shirt, or their work uniform, and tweet a photo using the hashtags #HayfieldDecisionDay and #CelebrateYourPlan. Students may also print out a sign to hold in their photo- the fliers are [here](#). Please tag @HawkCounseling so that we see your big announcement!

Flex Lesson- Interviewing Skills

This week's flex video from Student Services highlights interviewing skills. Student Services, in conjunction with a member of the GMU Career Services department, provides an overview of tips and tricks to effective interviewing: <https://youtu.be/qVmBCDQPjsY>. Follow the "Hayfield CareerCenter" YouTube channel (www.youtube.com/hayfieldcareercenter) for upcoming flex lessons and college/career information. After watching this short video, we challenge you to set up a mock interview with a friend or family member to put those skills into practice. Happy practicing!

Northern Va Community College Parent Chat on Transfer Options

NOVA is hosting two online workshops via Zoom to discuss NOVA transfer options in more detail. Registration information for the two sessions are listed below:

NOVA Transfer Programs - Parent Chat, June 8th from 5:00- 6:00pm. Register in advance for this webinar:

https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_FLGoxXuxSVu39njdXMbOMA. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

NOVA Transfer Programs - Parent Chat, June 10th from 5:00- 6:00pm. Register in advance for this webinar:

https://vccs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_nXo7Zra0QWG1AxRO7YDimQ. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

May 29-30: Online College Fair with 200+ Colleges

Because so many fairs were cancelled this year, Cialfo is offering a free online college fair with 200+ colleges and sessions with NACAC, Common App, College Board, and more.

- 200+ colleges - talk and connect with College Reps!
- Keynote and Forum Sessions with Common App, College Board, NACAC, and more!
- Sign up here: <https://bit.ly/onlinecollegefair>
- Watch the video: <https://wi.st/2WF6FEI>

I'm Determined Summit

The I'm Determined project, a state-directed project funded by the [Virginia Department of Education](#), focuses on providing direct instruction, models, and opportunities to practice skills associated with self-determined behavior. This project facilitates youth, especially those with disabilities to undertake a measure of control in their lives, helping to set and steer the course rather than remaining the silent passenger. Virginia youth with disabilities are encouraged to attend their virtual summit during the week of June 8-12. Sessions will focus on Virginia resources for students with disabilities and their parents. For more information and to register, go to: <https://www.imdetermined.org/>.

Free Summer Coding Classes

DMVHacks is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing free interactive online programming classes and workshops to students of all ages. Their group of over 60 mentors has taught over 250 students in our coding classes. Their classes feature small group teaching, and some classes even feature one-on-one and one-on-two mentoring! Many of their mentors go to top STEM schools and have received USACO awards. If you are interested in learning Python, Java, web development, Scratch, or Machine Learning, please visit their website at dmvhacks.org for more information on how to sign up for the coding classes. If you have any questions, contact: dmvhacksteam@gmail.com.

Additional Enrichment Programs (all are virtual opportunities)

To see ALL enrichment opportunities, log into Naviance Student (through Blackboard). On the top right, click on “Colleges”, then “Research Colleges”, then “Enrichment Opportunities”. The database is searchable by category, keyword, and more.

- Summer Immersion Program 2020 – deadline extended May 30, 2020 – event date June 22 – 26 and July 6 – 10, 2020 - <https://smhs.gwu.edu/medical-laboratory-sciences/programs/summer-immersion-program>
- Summer STEM Institute – deadline May 30, 2020 – event date June 21 – Aug. 1, 2020 - <https://www.summersteminstitute.org/>
- Great Books Summer Seminar Series – deadline June 1, 2020 – event date June and July 2020 (1 week seminars) - <https://www.sjc.edu/summer-seminars>
- Summer Writing Program – deadline June 15, 2020 – event date July 6 – 23, 2020 - <http://cooper.edu/academics/outreach-and-pre-college/summer-writing>
- Summer@Brown Online – event date June 15 – Aug 12, 2020 (2 – 6 week sessions) - <https://precollege.brown.edu/online/>

- Pharmacy Innovation Experience and Research (PIER) – deadline extended June 19, 2020 – event date July 10 – Aug. 7, 2020 - <http://www.bit.ly/pier2020application>
- Summer Institute for the Gifted (SIG) – deadline July 2, 2020 – event date June 22 – July 10 or July 13 – 31, 2020 - <https://www.giftedstudy.org/beyond/online/>
- Summer Studios – deadline July 8, 2020 – event date July 20 – Aug. 15, 2020 - <https://massart.edu/summer-studios>
- Summer Journalism Institute – event date July 6 – 17 or July 20 – 31, 2020 - <https://combeyond.bu.edu/workshop/bu-summer-journalism-institute/>
- Introduction to Architecture Online: Summer 2020 – event date July 6 – Aug. 7, 2020 - <http://cooper.edu/architecture/summer-programs/hs-introduction-architecture>
- Summer Art Intensive Courses – event date July and August 2020 - <http://cooper.edu/academics/outreach-and-pre-college/summer-art-intensive/courses>
- Summer STEM – event date July 6 – 23 or July 27 – Aug. 13, 2020 - <http://cooper.edu/engineering/summer-stem>

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