



# COLLEGE READINESS



SPRING VALLEY SCHOOL



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College Readiness



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Dual Enrollment  
Career Prep

MEET THE TEAM





“Congratulations!  
Today is your day.  
You're off to Great Places!  
You're off and away!”

— Dr. Seuss,  
Oh, the Places You'll Go!

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# 95%

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Spring Valley School Graduates  
Attend the College of their Choice  
Upon Graduating High School

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# 25

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Average ACT Score

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# 21

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Students Earning College  
Credit Prior to Graduating  
High School  
via Dual Enrollment



## College Acceptances



Birmingham Southern College

University of Montevallo

University of Georgia

University of Alabama

Auburn University

University of North Alabama

Mississippi State University

New England College

Lesley College

Sewanee: The University of the South

University of South Alabama

Young Harris College

Hanover College

Dillard University

US Naval Academy

Hawaii Pacific University

Samford University,

University of Michigan



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## Freshman Year Checklist and Important Dates



CAREER  
PREP

ELECTIVE AT SVS



STRENGTH &  
OCCUPATION  
DISCOVERY

VOLUNTEERING



INDEPENDENCE-  
READY

SELF-CARE &  
ADVOCACY  
(i.e. Household  
Chores)



RESUME  
BUILDING

ORGANIZATIONS &  
CLUBS INVOLVEMENT





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DECEMBER

COLLEGE &  
CAREER FAIR





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## Sophomore Year Checklist and Important Dates



## CAMPUS VISITS

OFFERED THROUGH SVS,  
BUT ENCOURAGED ON  
STUDENT'S OWN TIME



## RESUME BUILDING

SUMMER JOBS  
VOC REHAB  
DRIVER'S ED PERMIT



## CAREER PREP

CAREER EXPLORATIONS  
WITH UNITED ABILITY



## SELF ADVOCACY

DISCUSSIONS ABOUT  
LD DIAGNOSIS



DECEMBER

COLLEGE & CAREER  
FAIR



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## Junior Year

### Checklist and Important Dates





DUAL  
ENROLLMENT

ELECTIVE AT SVS



CAMPUS  
VISITS

SUMMER COLLEGE CAMP  
PROGRAMS - Stay on  
campus



ACT

ACT PREP (Class,  
Tutoring, Summer  
Courses) & SCHEDULING



ADVOCACY  
PRACTICE

ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY  
(I.E. Speech-to-Text)

ADVANCEMENT OF  
INDEPENDENT LIFE SKILLS

APPLICATION  
PREP

COLLEGE ESSAY TOPICS  
RESUME COMPLETED



FALL

COLLEGE & CAREER  
FAIR

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INFO MEETING FOR  
PARENTS OF RISING  
SENIORS

SUMMER

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS  
(Become available in the  
summer between 11th-12  
grade)



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## Senior Year

Checklist and Important Dates

**GRADUATION**

GOWNS & INVITATION  
ORDERS  
SENIOR PICTURES  
SENIOR SPEECH

**DUAL  
ENROLLMENT**

ELECTIVE AT SVS

**ACT**

ACT PREP (Class,  
Tutoring) & SCHEDULING

**COLLEGE  
APPLICATIONS**

CAMPUS VISITS  
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS





FALL

EARLY ACTION/ DECISION  
(August - November):  
COMMONAPP

FASFA (Oct1 - Dec 31)

DECEMBER

COLLEGE & CAREER  
FAIR

SPRING

MOCK INTERVIEW  
DAY



# Thank You!

QUESTIONS?

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