

DENMARK

A blue paw print logo is positioned between the letters 'M' and 'A' in the word 'DENMARK'.

HIGH SCHOOL

Senior Seminar
Fall 2023

Agenda

- Introduction
- Graduation Information & Medallions
- What's Next? College Search and Application Process
- Financial Aid
- Gap Year Programs
- Military Opportunities
- Apprenticeships
- Closing

Who is my counselor?



**Mrs. Carlson
A-C**



**Mrs. Spurlock
D-Harley**



**Mr. Brooks
Harper-Mal**



**Mrs. Shariett
Mam-Q**



**Mrs. Moore
R-Shaik &
ESOL**



**Ms. Locke
Shaikh-Z**

Senior Remind

- Text the following to 81010
 - Carlson, A-C, dhscar24
 - Spurlock, C-Harley, @dhsspur24
 - Brooks, Harper-Mal, @dhsbro24
 - Shariett, Mam-Q, @dhssha24
 - Moore,R-Shaik & ESOL, @dhsmoo24
 - Locke, Shaikh-Z, @dhsloc24

Graduation




Date: May 21st, 2024

Time: 7:00 pm


Where: Gas South Arena

- The senior fee payment is coming up soon! The fees are **\$150** to start the year and will increase periodically through the school year. This will not only cover the cap and gown but the diploma, diploma cover, graduation ceremony, and a host of other items pertaining to graduation.
- It benefits the senior to go ahead and pay early to avoid the fee increase. Seniors **CANNOT** do an a la carte on senior items.
- Payments should be made to the 3rd Ascent website.

Everything Yearbook



CADY STUDIOS



With a basic sitting fee, Cady will take cap and gown, formal and casual shot.



Senior Photos

Scan the QR code, and you will be taken to the Cady Studios senior photo page. Completely fill the information to have your picture in the yearbook!

Due December 1st!

Everything Yearbook (cont.)

SENIOR ADS



What is a Senior Ad? A Senior Ad is an optional opportunity for parents to express how proud they are of their kids, and a great way to celebrate achievements in school and congratulate them by using photos and messages of choice. **Due November 1st!**

YOUR YEARBOOK!



To order this year's yearbook, scan this QR code! Our order number is 17396.

Medallions



To earn a medallion, students must be a member of a specific honor society and have completed at least 3 courses within their area of completion, as well as additional requirements.

Medallions can be earned in the following areas: advanced academic, fine arts, foreign language, and career tech.

Students must complete a virtual “Pathway Verification Form” and turn it in by March 1st.

If a student qualifies for a medallion in multiple areas, they will receive a “pin” for each additional pathway. Students will only receive 1 medallion.

Requirements Continued...



To earn a medallion, students must be a member of a **specific honor society**.

- **Advanced Academic:** NHS or associated academic honor society (Ex. Mu Alpha Theta if getting a math medallion)
- **Career:** NTHS
- **Fine Arts:** NHS, ITS, Tri-M, NAHS, Quill & Scroll
- **World Language:** NHS, SNHS (Spanish), FNHS (French)

Community Service Minimum Hour Requirement:

- **Advanced Academic:** 10 hours
- **Career:** 40 hours
- **Fine Arts:** 20 hours
- **Advanced Academic:** 10 hours

*All requirements can be found on our website.

Honor Society Sponsors

National Technical Honor Society- Donna Stohr

National Honor Society- Victor Lane

French National Honor Society- Dustin Daniel

Spanish National Honor Society- Jonathan Kent

Science National Honor Society- Courtney Jewett

Mu Alpha Theta (Math Honor Society)- TBD

Tri-M- Kayla Poor

National Art Honor Society- Kimmy Wood

International Thespian Society- Kirk Grizzle

Quill & Scroll- Jen Lombard

Seals...

Career Ready Diploma Seals

- These are tracked by your CTAE teachers

Seal of Biliteracy (Sponsor: Dustin Daniel)

International Skills Diploma Seal (Sponsor: Agnieszka Ergun)

Fine Arts Diploma Seal

Social Studies: Civic Engagement Diploma Seal

College/Career Search



What skills and knowledge do I need for my career?

Login through Classlink

Features:

Aptitude Inventory

College/Career Search

Describing You (helps with resumes/interviewing)

College/Career Search



<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

Create login & password

Features:

College Search, Career Search, Financial Aid,
Navigating College Applications

Find Colleges → College Search



College/Career Search (BigFuture Scholarship)

SIX WAYS TO WIN

6 Ways to Win

How to Qualify

Earn entries in monthly drawings for \$500 and \$40,000 scholarships by completing steps on BigFuture. Log in to your account, complete steps on your dashboard, and earn entries to win. One step completed = one entry in each monthly scholarship drawing. There are scholarship drawings starting January of your sophomore year until February of your senior year.

[Get the Scholarship Details](#)

Next Steps

- [Start Your Career List](#) >
- [Build Your College List](#) >
- [Start Your Scholarship List](#) >
- [Strengthen Your College List](#) >
- [Complete the FAFSA](#) >
- [Apply to Colleges](#) >

College/Career Search



<https://www.gafutures.org/>

Create login & password (add SSN to profile)

Features:

Dual Enrollment Funding

College/Career Search

HOPE Scholarship Calculation

What's Next?

4 Year College or
University



Technical College



Gap Year



Military



Career or Apprenticeship
Program



College Search

What am I looking for?

- Size, location, costs, majors, clubs/groups, etc.
- BigFuture, gaFutures, YouScience

How does the BIG 3 affect my admissions?

- GPA, SAT/ACT, Curriculum Difficulty

Have I narrowed my list down to 5-7 schools?

- 1-2 Reach, 2-3 Match, 2-3 Safety

4 excused college visits this year!



College Application Process

1. Determine what college(s) to apply to
2. Review deadlines & determine when you will apply (early, regular, rolling admissions)
3. Determine what application format you will use.
 - a. Common App, Coalition, gaFutures, or other
4. Submit application & application fees (usually range from \$50-\$90 per institution)
5. Submit supporting documentation.
 - a. Transcript
 - b. Test Scores
 - c. Letters of Recommendation (if required)
 - d. Essay (if required)
6. Follow up with admissions frequently.
 - a. Check portal
 - b. Rolling admissions
 - c. Scholarships/Housing information



Check out the college application toolkit!

UGA and GT Stats



Admitted Class of 2026: A Competitive Class

98%

took at least one course at an advanced level such as AP, IB or Dual Enrollment.

14,223

have a core high school GPA of 4.00 or higher.

1,001

graduated first or second in their class.

ENROLLMENT

Overall Enrollment: 40,118

Undergraduate Enrollment: 30,166

Graduate Enrollment: 9,952

FIRST-YEAR APPLICATIONS

Applications Received: 39,615

Applicants Admitted: 16,729

New First-Year Students Enrolled: 6,200+

**Numbers are estimates*

HIGH SCHOOL CORE GRADE POINT AVERAGE

Middle-50% of All Admitted First-Year Students: 4.00-4.30

Middle-50% of All Admitted Honors Students: 4.26-4.45

STANDARDIZED TESTS

SAT Middle-50% of Admitted First-Year Students: 1340-1480

SAT Middle-50% of Admitted Honors Students: 1510-1550

ACT Middle-50% of Admitted First-Year Students: 31-34

ACT Middle-50% of Admitted Honors Students: 34-35

AP, IB AND DUAL-ENROLLMENT

Middle-50% of AP, IB and Dual Enrollment Courses Taken: 7-12



2023 Snapshot

Denmark High School

FIRST YEAR CUMULATIVE GPA
3.6

DEGREES AWARDED TO STUDENTS

MOST POPULAR MAJORS
Biology
Business Administration
Computer Science
Industrial Engineering
Neuroscience

UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT
Total Students 101

FIRST-SECOND YEAR AVERAGE RETENTION RATE
100.0%

FIRST-YEAR ADMISSION STATISTICS: Summer 2017 - Fall 2022

	Applied	Admitted	Enrolled	SAT (avg.)*	HS GPA (avg.)*	ACT (avg.)*	Rigor (avg.)*
Institute	240,845	48,650	19,475	1430	4.1	31	10.5
Denmark Hig.	294	93	62	1501	4.2	33	16.1

*Averages for admitted (enrolled) student populations only

\$75,000
AVERAGE STARTING SALARY OF GEORGIA TECH UNDERGRADUATES

97%
FIRST-YEAR RETENTION RATE

#1
IN CAREER PLACEMENT
(THE PRINCETON REVIEW)

OFFICE OF UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSION
Georgia Institute of Technology
Atlanta, Georgia 30332-6320
phone: 404.894.4194
email: admission@gttech.edu
admission.gatech.edu



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Holistic Review



When to apply?



DEFINITIONS OF ADMISSION OPTIONS IN HIGHER EDUCATION

STUDENTS: WHICH COLLEGE ADMISSION PROCESS BEST *SUITS* YOU?

Regular Decision	Rolling Admission	Early Action (EA)	Early Decision (ED)	Restrictive Early Action (REA)
DEFINITION: Students submit an application by a specified date and receive a decision in a clearly stated period of time.	DEFINITION: Institutions review applications as they are submitted and render admission decisions throughout the admission cycle.	DEFINITION: Students apply early and receive a decision well in advance of the institution's regular response date.	DEFINITION: Students make a commitment to a first-choice institution where, if admitted they definitely will enroll and withdraw all other applications. The application deadline and decision deadline occur early.	DEFINITION: Students apply to an institution of preference and receive a decision early. They may be restricted from applying ED or EA or REA to other institutions. If offered enrollment, they have until May 1 to confirm.
COMMITMENT: NON-BINDING	COMMITMENT: NON-BINDING	COMMITMENT: NON-BINDING	COMMITMENT: BINDING	COMMITMENT: NON-BINDING
Students are not restricted from applying to other institutions and have until May 1 to consider their options and confirm enrollment.			Students are responsible for determining and following restrictions.	

*Early Action/ED:
Priority Scholarship/
Honors College
Deadline

Common App vs. Coalition



- 1 platform
- 1000+ colleges
- Counselor will upload
 - 1 letter of recommendation
 - 1 transcript request
- <https://www.commonapp.org/>



- 1 platform
- 150+ member schools
- Counselor will upload
 - 1 letter of recommendation
 - 1 transcript request
- <http://www.coalitionforcollegeaccess.org/>

Common Application

[What is the Common App? - YouTube](#)



Common App Recommendations and FERPA

Dashboard

My Colleges

Common App

College Search

Financial Aid

My Colleges

Georgia Institute of Technology

The Citadel, The Military College of South Carolina

College Information

Application

Questions

Recommendations and FERPA

Review and Submit - Common App

University of Georgia

University of South Carolina Columbia

Recommendations and FERPA

Recommendations are people who will submit forms to colleges on your behalf. This page shows which recommender types this college needs. Each college will have different requirements.

✓ FERPA Release Authorization

[View Details](#)

Invite recommenders

Use this section to invite and then [assign recommenders](#) to this college. You'll need to assign recommenders for each college on your list.

Invite Recommenders

Counselor

You must invite a school Counselor who will complete the School Report and other forms for you.

Invite Counselor

Teacher

Please select and assign the Teacher(s) below whose recommendation will be submitted to this college on your behalf. You must invite a teacher with the Invite Teacher button before you can assign them to this college.

Required: 0 Optional: 2

Invite Teacher

×

Release authorization

FERPA Form

✓ I acknowledge that every school that I have attended may release all requested records and recommendations to colleges to which I am applying for admission. I also understand that employees at these colleges may confidentially contact my current and former schools should they have questions about the information submitted on my behalf.*

Please select one: *

☒ I waive my right to review all recommendations and supporting documents.

☐ I DO NOT waive my right to review all recommendations and supporting documents.

✓ I understand that my waiver or no waiver selection above pertains to all colleges to which I apply and that my **selections on this page cannot be changed after any recommendation or application submission.***

Signature *

Ryan Brooks

Date *

August 7, 2023

Date uses "month day, year" format (e.g. August 1, 2002)

Back

Save and Close

What is a school report?

The screenshot shows the Parchment 'School report' form. On the left is a sidebar with navigation links: 'Student info' (FERPA waived), 'School report' (In progress), 'Optional report' (Not yet available), 'Optional report 2' (Not yet available), 'Mid-year report' (Not yet available), and 'Final report' (Not yet available). The main form area is titled 'School report' with a status of 'In progress' and buttons for 'Preview' and 'Review and submit'. The 'Class Rank' section includes a dropdown for 'How do you report class rank?' (set to 'Exact'), a text field for 'Applicant's class rank*', and another text field for 'How many additional students share this rank?*. Below this is the 'Rank weighting*' section with radio buttons for 'Weighted' (selected) and 'Unweighted', and a 'Clear answer' button. The 'From (start date)*' field is set to 'August 2019' and the 'Ending (final date)*' field is set to 'May 2023'. Both date fields include a calendar icon and a note: 'Date uses "month year" format (e.g. August 2002)'. A 'Continue' button is at the bottom right of the form. At the very bottom, there are three expandable sections: 'GPA', 'Curriculum', and 'Ratings', each with an upward arrow icon.

Student info
FERPA waived

School report
In progress

Optional report
Not yet available

Optional report 2
Not yet available

Mid-year report
Not yet available

Final report
Not yet available

School report ⓘ
In progress

Preview Review and submit

Class Rank ▾

How do you report class rank?*

Exact × ▾

Applicant's class rank*

How many additional students share this rank?*

Rank weighting*

☒ Weighted
☐ Unweighted

Clear answer

From (start date)*

August 2019 📅

Date uses "month year" format (e.g. August 2002)

Ending (final date)*

May 2023 📅

Date uses "month year" format (e.g. August 2002)

Continue

GPA ▴

Curriculum ▴

Ratings ▴

A school report contains:

- GPA
- Class Rank
- Transcript
- Brief likert scale academic and extracurricular assessment

A school report CANNOT be submitted until a Common App transcript is requested from Parchment.

A counselor recommendation will only be completed if it is required by the college.

Transcript Request/Self Reporting



Calendar	>
Schedule	>
Responsive Schedule	>
Attendance	>
Grades	>
Health	>
Assessment	>
Transportation	>
Fees	>
Reports	>
Demographics	>
Parking Permit	>
Family	>
Messages	>
Household Information	>
Family Members	>

- Student Schedule
- Student Daily Schedule Sem 1
- Student Daily Schedule Sem 2
- Transcript by Term

Reports on this page require the Adobe Acrobat Reader (free).



ORDER YOUR TRANSCRIPT

IN THREE EASY STEPS

1 Register For Your Free Account

If you received a registration code handbook, go to parchment.com/register.
If you received an email, just click the link.

1. Visit Parchment.com
2. Click Sign Up Now
3. Build your profile



2 Request Your Transcript

1. In your account, go to Transcripts
2. Click Send Transcripts
3. Select a destination
4. Submit payment, if necessary
5. Request is confirmed!



3 Track Your Transcript

1. Log into your Parchment.com account
2. In the top navigation bar, click Transcripts
3. Click Order History to see the status

Need Help?

Visit parchment.com/studentkit today!

- Request and Track Transcripts
- Explore Colleges
- Analyze Admissions Data

COLLEGE, HERE I COME!



- No nicknames
- Accurate year of graduation (2024)
- If parents are completing for students, please use student's DOB and graduation year

Letters of Recommendation

1. Check to see if this is a necessary part of your college application. We will not write letters if they will not be read.
2. Provide your counselor or teacher with your resume and Letter of Recommendation Info Sheet.
3. Provide recommender with application due date, making sure to give them at least 7-10 business days to complete your request.
4. Remember, we do not work during school breaks.

****Guidelines-** Ask a teacher that knows you very well to write you a letter. This could be a club sponsor or a teacher that you have had that can speak to your struggle or investment in a course. Teachers reserve the right to decline your request for a letter of recommendation.

[Click here](#) for an article on high school resume templates.

Essays



What are the 2023-24 Common App essay prompts?

Below is the full set of Common App essay prompts for 2023-24.

1. Some students have a background, identity, interest, or talent that is so meaningful they believe their application would be incomplete without it. If this sounds like you, then please share your story.
2. The lessons we take from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you, and what did you learn from the experience?
3. Reflect on a time when you questioned or challenged a belief or idea. What prompted your thinking? What was the outcome?
4. Reflect on something that someone has done for you that has made you happy or thankful in a surprising way. How has this gratitude affected or motivated you?
5. Discuss an accomplishment, event, or realization that sparked a period of personal growth and a new understanding of yourself or others.
6. Describe a topic, idea, or concept you find so engaging that it makes you lose all track of time. Why does it captivate you? What or who do you turn to when you want to learn more?
7. Share an essay on any topic of your choice. It can be one you've already written, one that responds to a different prompt, or one of your own design.

Resources:

[Crafting an Unforgettable College Essay](#)

[How to Write a College Essay](#)

We will also retain the optional COVID-19 question within the Additional Information section.

Testing



Test scores must be submitted directly from the testing agency.

SAT- 4 free score reports each time you take the test (up to 9 days past the exam); \$14 each

ACT- 4 free score reports each time you take the test; \$18 each after

Accuplacer- Take at technical college

ASVAB- Take with a military recruiter, or at DHS. Check with Mr. Brooks about test dates.

*Please note that some colleges will allow for super scoring and others will only accept a single test score

Fee Waivers

ACT Fee Waiver covers ACT & ACT w/ Writing

- Score report to 6 colleges at time of registration
- Unlimited score reports to send to colleges
- Free Kaplan Online Prep Live
- Request for Waiver or Deferrals of College Admission Application Fee (for admissions)

SAT Fee Waiver covers...

- 2 free SATs, with or without the essay
- 6 free SAT Subject Tests
- 2 free Question-and-Answer Service (QAS) or Student Answer Service (SAS) reports
- Unlimited score reports to send to colleges
- Waived application fees at participating colleges
- Free CSS Profile applications to apply for financial aid from participating schools

Common Deadlines

School	Early Action	Regular Decision	App Method
UGA	Oct 15th	Jan 1st	Common App
Ga Tech	Oct 16th	Jan 4th	Common App
Kennesaw	Rolling	Rolling	Common App
Ga State	Nov 15th	April 1st	Common App
UNG	Nov 15th	Feb 15th	Common App or gaFutures
The Citadel	Rolling	Rolling	Common App



*Any students who are applying to a school with a January 1st deadline need to have submitted their applications by December 8th. If applications are submitted over winter break, they will be processed when we return starting January 8th.

10 College Application Mistakes to Avoid

1. Failing to read directions
2. Not taking ownership of applications
3. Submitting a lengthy resume
4. Not proofreading applications
5. Waiting until the last minute
6. Repeating yourself
7. Asking the obvious questions
8. Writing a generic essay
9. Overemphasizing extracurriculars
10. Not checking class requirements



<https://www.usnews.com/education/best-colleges/slideshows/10-college-application-mistakes-to-avoid?onpage>

Privacy in Admissions

Applying to college can be a very anxious time in a student's life. We want to encourage our students to keep the college(s) that they apply to private as well as admissions' decisions. Due to the delicate nature of the process, we want to encourage students to keep these decisions private and to share them with family and friends as they feel is appropriate.



Transfer Students

Remember: It's okay to transfer!

Your diploma will have the name of the last institution you attended.



Financial Aid- HOPE/Zell Miller

- Access your HOPE GPA at any time on the gaFutures website.
- **HOPE Scholarship:** Minimum 3.0 HOPE GPA & 4 rigor requirements
 - Typically covers 75-85% of tuition costs (based on lottery funding)
- **Zell Miller Scholarship:** Minimum 3.7 Zell Miller GPA; Minimum combined score of 1200 on the math and reading portions of the SAT or a minimum composite score of 26 on the ACT (single national administration of either test) and meet 4 rigor requirements
 - Covers 100% of tuition at public institutions in GA
 - Lowers to 3.3 GPA requirement in college
- **How is it computed?** Core classes only including foreign language, .5 quality point for AP/DE courses, never goes above a 4.0
- **How do I apply?** <https://fafsa.ed.gov/>
- Students are re-evaluated every 30 credit hours to earn or lose HOPE/Zell Miller in college.

Financial Aid- HOPE/Zell Miller

*ga*futures.org

Trending

◆ New Features for Student/General Users

◆ New Features for Administrative Users

2021-2022 Award Amounts

Your HOPE GPA



GSFC Financial Aid Events

Outreach Webinars

Dual Enrollment Funding Application

If you do not have a social security card on file with the school, you are not eligible for HOPE/Zell Miller.

The easiest way to check is to see if you are eligible is to access "YOUR HOPE GPA" on gaFutures.

Financial Aid- HOPE Grant

- HOPE Grant at Technical Schools
 - No GPA requirement upon entrance
- HOPE Career Grant- 100% tuition in certain areas
 - Automotive
 - Aviation
 - Certified Engineer Assistant
 - Commercial Truck Driving
 - Computer Programming/Computer Technology
 - Construction
 - Diesel Equipment Technology
 - Early Childhood Care & Education
 - Electrical Line Worker
 - Health Science- ex. medical coding, nurse aid
 - Industrial Maintenance
 - Logistics
 - Movie Production/Set Design
 - Precision Manufacturing
 - Welding



Financial Aid- Academic Common Market

- Students can enroll in out-of-state institutions that offer their degree program and pay in-state tuition rates if that program is not available at an institution in their home state.
- <https://www.sreb.org/academic-common-market>



Financial Aid



- **Institutional:** check college financial aid websites for criteria and categories; apply early for merit scholarships
- **State/Federal:** HOPE, Work-Study Programs, Pell Grant
- **Community:** church, civic groups, local organizations.
- **Private:** parents place of work, FREE scholarship search through websites.
- Visit the [DHS Counseling Website.](#)
- www.scholarships.com
- www.fastweb.com
- www.gafutures.org
- www.gsfc.com

Financial Aid Night (VIRTUAL) will be on 9/20 at 6 pm

Gap Year

... “taking a gap year refers to taking time off between high school and college (or college and the “real world”) to travel, volunteer, or pick up a part-time or full-time job. Some young people use it as a time to “find themselves” and figure out what they want to do with their future.”

Text & Quotes from:

<https://counseling.steinhardt.nyu.edu/blog/gap-year-after-high-school/>

Additional Reading:

[The Gap Year Experience: A Life-Changing Opportunity](#)
[Making the Most of a Gap Year Before College](#)
[Why Your High School Senior Should Take a Gap Year](#)

Links:

Gap Year Association: <https://gapyearassociation.org/>
USA Gap Year Fairs: <https://usagapyearfairs.org/>

“Allowed me time for personal reflection”

“Helped me develop as a person”

“Increased my maturity”

“Increased my self-confidence”

Fun Facts from additional reading...

- A handful of colleges offer scholarships & fellowships, including UNC and Princeton
- Harvard encourages the practice
- One survey found that students who participated in a gap year had a .15-.2 higher GPA than those that didn't.
- One survey found that gap-year students have higher career satisfaction than non-gappers
- Best programs feature some combination of cross-cultural experience, language learning, real life work, and volunteer experience

Military



1. Talk w/ your School Counselor and/or Military Recruiter
2. Take the ASVAB (will offer at DHS)
3. Complete Physical Exam (MEPS)
4. Find the Job that you qualify for
5. Sign the contract and prepare for Basic Training

Military Pay

Calculate Military Compensation

Select Your Service Details

Service:

Coast Guard

Paygrade:

E-4

Years of Service:

over 4

Payscale Year:

2023 Military Pay Tables

Basic Allowance for Housing (BAH)

Enter duty zip code and not residence zip code. BAH rates are based on duty zip code.

Duty Station ZIP Code

29401

Do you financially support anyone?

☐ I have dependents

☒ I do not have dependents

Military Compensation

Yearly ☐ Monthly ☒

Basic Pay \$34,977.60

Basic Allowance for Housing \$19,368.00

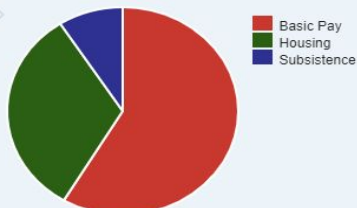
Basic Allowance for Subsistence \$5,430.72

Total Income \$59,776.32

Taxable Portion \$34,977.60

Non-taxable Portion \$24,798.72

Compensation Components



Taxable / Non-taxable



Calculate Military Compensation

Select Your Service Details

Service:

Coast Guard

Paygrade:

E-6

Years of Service:

over 10

Payscale Year:

2023 Military Pay Tables

Basic Allowance for Housing (BAH)

Enter duty zip code and not residence zip code. BAH rates are based on duty zip code.

Duty Station ZIP Code

29401

Do you financially support anyone?

☒ I have dependents

☐ I do not have dependents

Military Compensation

Yearly ☐ Monthly ☒

Basic Pay \$50,050.80

Basic Allowance for Housing \$27,072.00

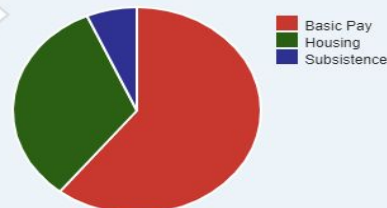
Basic Allowance for Subsistence \$5,430.72

Total Income \$82,553.52

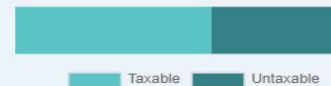
Taxable Portion \$50,050.80

Non-taxable Portion \$32,502.72

Compensation Components



Taxable / Non-taxable



Military



United States Air Force

Recruiter: Technical Sergeant James D. Long II
Office: 770-532-8516
Cell: 770-685-8050
james.long.28@us.af.mil
airforce.com



United States Naval Academy

Recruiter: Chad-Anthony Kenton
Office: (410) 320-6333
Kenton@usna.edu
USNA.edu/Admissions



United States National Guard

Recruiter: Sergeant James McNair
Office: 404-290-9385
james.m.mcnair2.mil@mail.mil
nationalguard.com



United States Army

Recruiter: Sergeant Richard E. Sims
Office: 770-532-1126
Cell: 678-520-7615
richard.e.sims29.mil@mail.mil
Goarmy.com



United States Marine Corps

Recruiter: Sergeant Tyler Lindsey
Office: 770-993-6362
Cell: 678-229-7313
Ryan.payne2@marines.usmc.mil
www.marines.mil



United States Navy

Recruiter: David Shelton, MM2 (SW)
Office: 770-297-8872
Cell: 678-888-6026
david.j.shelton@navy.mil
www.facebook.com/navyrecruiting



United States Coast Guard

Recruiter: OS1 Michelle Downing
Office: 770-671-9688
Cell: 678-951-6962
michelle.d.downing@uscg.mil

Each branch of military will be doing visits during lunch and Dane Time throughout the school year

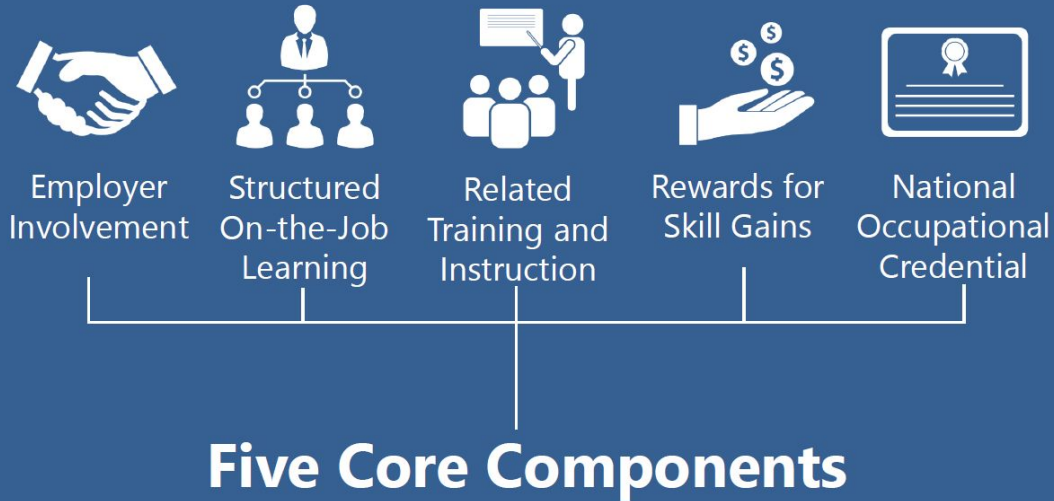
All of our recruiters' information can also be found on our website

Apprenticeships



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What is registered apprenticeship?



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Wage Information

Position	Pay Check	H & W	Pension	Annuity	JATT	ITF	PIPE Fund	MICETF	True Value
General Foreman	\$34.68	\$7.90	\$3.90	\$3.00	\$0.81	\$0.10	\$0.50	\$0.20	\$51.09
Foreman	\$33.43	\$7.90	\$3.90	\$3.00	\$0.81	\$0.10	\$0.50	\$0.20	\$49.84
Crew Foreman	\$32.68	\$7.90	\$3.90	\$3.00	\$0.81	\$0.10	\$0.50	\$0.20	\$49.09
Journeyman	\$31.18	\$7.90	\$3.90	\$3.00	\$0.81	\$0.10	\$0.50	\$0.20	\$47.59
5th Year	\$24.95	\$7.90	\$2.44	n/a	\$0.81	\$0.10	n/a	\$0.20	\$36.40
4th Year	\$21.85	\$7.90	\$2.44	n/a	\$0.81	\$0.10	n/a	\$0.20	\$33.30
3rd Year	\$18.70	\$7.90	\$2.44	n/a	\$0.81	\$0.10	n/a	\$0.20	\$30.15
2nd Year	\$15.60	\$7.90	\$2.44	n/a	\$0.81	\$0.10	n/a	\$0.20	\$27.05
1st Year	\$13.10	\$7.90	n/a	n/a	\$0.81	\$0.10	n/a	\$0.20	\$22.11
Helper	\$10.00	\$2.40	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$0.10	n/a	\$0.20	\$12.70

Effective 2/1/2019



Registered Construction Apprenticeships

	During Apprenticeship	Journeyman Wage
Boilermakers	18.83-27.52	36.00
Brick & Cement	11.00-20.90	22.00
Electricians	12.65-20.10	31.40
Glaziers	13.41-21.23	22.35
Insulators	14.69-23.50	27.12
Ironworkers	14.35-20.87	26.09
Laborers	13.02-15.46	16.27
Millwright	16.60-26.29	27.67
Operating Engineers	14.24-18.03	29.83
Painters	14.25-21.38	23.75
Plasterers & Cement Masons	16.87-22.90	24.10
Plumbers & Pipefitters	13.10 – 24.95	31.18
Roofers	13.23-17.64	22.05
Sheet Metal	13.67-26.21	30.83
Sprinkler Fitters	12.84-25.69	28.54

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Cost vs. Benefit Comparison

Traditional 4 Year College vs. 5 Year Apprenticeship

Traditional 4 Year Degree		5 Year Apprenticeship		
			Hourly Wage	Annual Income
2018	\$39,400.00	1st	\$13.10	\$26,200.00
	Average Debt after	2nd	\$15.60	\$31,200.00
	a 4 year degree	3rd	\$18.70	\$37,400.00
		4th	\$21.85	\$43,700.00
		5th	\$24.95	\$49,900.00
	\$39,400.00			\$181,400.00

Over a lifetime, a person who attended an apprenticeship program will make about **\$390,000.00** more during career that a traditional college graduate.

- Please note that the average Federal Student Loan debt is **\$42,271** for Georgians. (2022)

*<https://educationdata.org/>

Apprenticeships

- Free Tuition & Free Books
- Free Health Insurance
- Annuity & Pension
- Job Placement
- Training & Support for Life
- Highly Skilled, High Demand, & High Paid
- Occupation

Example of Schedule:

- 1st & 2nd year- Blended online learning, craft related proficiency tasks, on-the-job training
- 3rd-5th year- night school 2x/week, classroom & shop instruction, on-the-job training
- *Based on Mechanical Trades Institute model*

Major Apprenticeship Programs in Georgia

Atlanta Carpenters Union (Local 225) - <http://www.atlantacarpenters.com/>

Atlanta Electrical Contractors Association - <http://atlantaelectrical.org/>

Electrical Training Center: <https://6601etc.wordpress.com/>

Finishing Trades Institute (Painters and Glaziers): <http://iupatdc77.org/training/>

Georgia Utility Contractors Association - <https://www.guca.com/>

Independent Electrical Contractors - <http://iecatlantaga.org/training/apprenticeship/>

Iron Workers: <https://ironworkerslocal387.com/apprenticeship/>

Laborers: <http://local515.org/application.html>

Masonry Association of Georgia - <https://www.masonrypros.org/apprenticeship-1/>

Mechanical Trades Institute - <http://www.mti-jatt.org/>

Operating Engineers: <https://iuoe926.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/apprenticeship-program-brocure.pdf>

Plumbing, Heating, Cooling Contractors Association - <https://phccga.org/>

Roofers: <http://www.unionroofers.com/Training-and-Education/Apprenticeship.aspx>

Sheet Metal JATC: <http://www.jatc85.org/>

Sprinkler Fitters: <http://www.sprinklerfitters669.org/jatc.aspx>

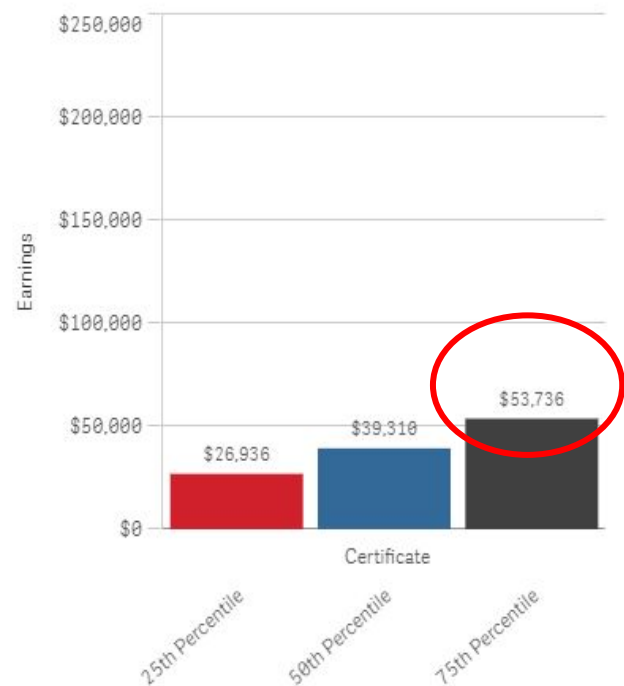
Southeastern Carpenters Union - <http://www.southeasterncarpenters.org/>

Southeastern Millwrights: <https://www.southernstatesmillwrights.org/TrainingPrograms.xml>

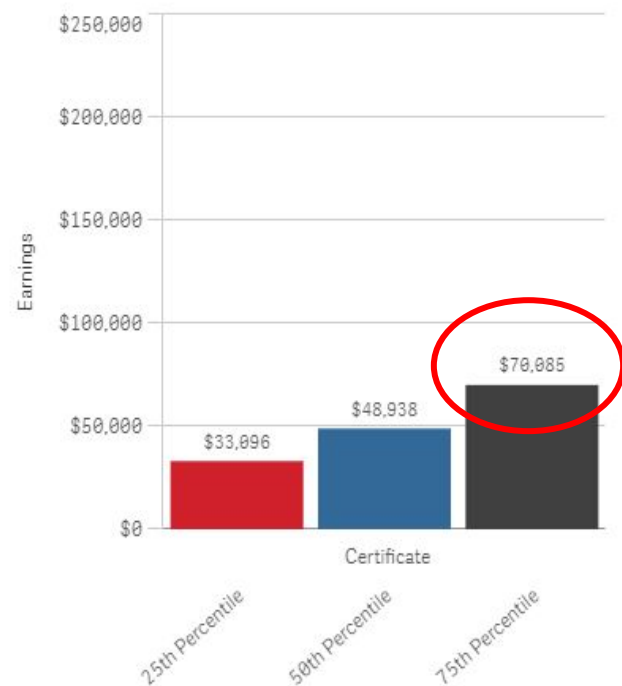
United Association (UA) of Plumbers, Pipefitters, & HVACR Technicians: <http://ua72.org/apprenticeship-school>

Certifications in the Trade Fields

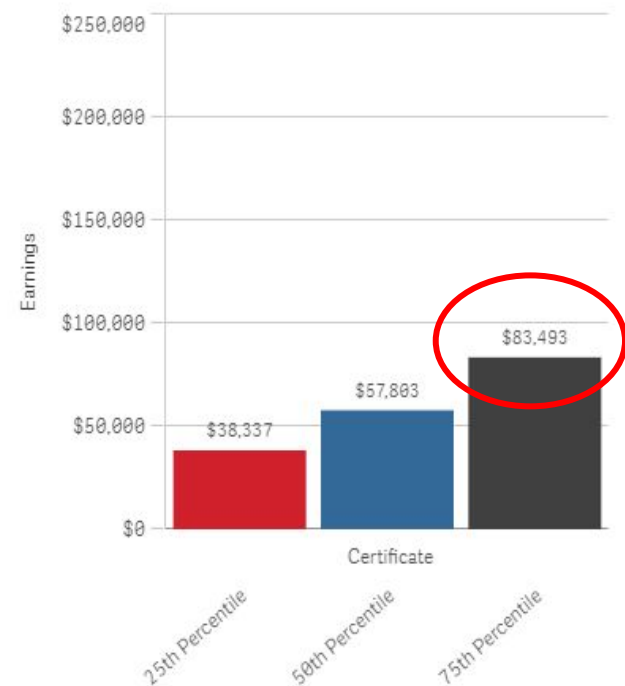
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Earnings Five Years After Graduation



Earnings Ten Years After Graduation



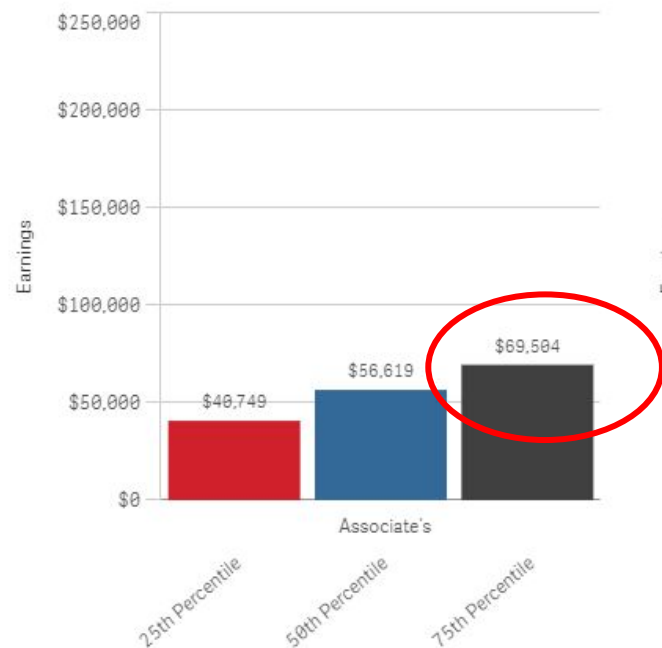
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2-yr Degree w/in Healthcare Professional Programs

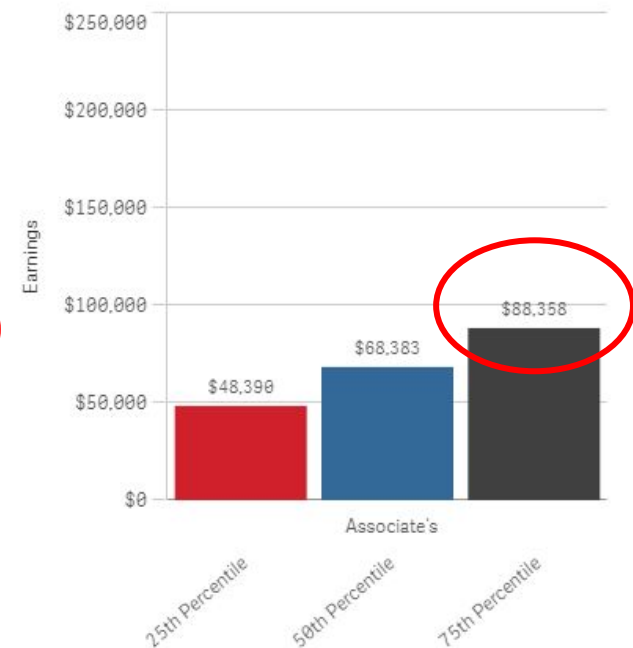
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