

College and Career Readiness

September 6, 2024

Happy Friday! All new information has been highlighted in yellow. In addition, a column has been added that includes a link to each college's application and if they are test optional or not. Several of these schools will have free applications in November, however, some schools have released their Fall 2025 application and you are more than welcome to go ahead and apply. Students will only fill out FREE applications at school. If you do choose to complete an application online, please let me know so I can send off your son's transcript.

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Important Dates & College Fairs	
Free Application November (November 1- 30, 2024)	https://www.gafutures.org/college-planning/apply-to-college-initiative/application-fee-waivers/
Free Application March (March 1- 31, 2025)	https://www.gafutures.org/college-planning/apply-to-college-initiative/application-fee-waivers/
Peach State Tour September 12, 2024 6-8pm	Peach State Tour Registration
Savannah Arts Academy 2nd Annual College Admissions Fair September 15, 2024 from 2-5pm.	All area students are welcome. Fair will be held in the cafeteria.

On Campus College Visits **All Juniors and Seniors are required to attend**	
LaGrange College	September 23, 2024 @2:15pm

Middle Georgia State University	September 26, 2024 @2:15pm
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Out of State College Information	
East Tennessee State University	*Application Open *October Out-of- State Free Application Month- OOSFreeApp25 (Oct. 1- 31st) * Open House- October 19 & November 2. etsu.edu/openhouse

Important College Application Tools	
The Common App	https://www.commonapp.org/
Common Black College App	https://commonblackcollegeapp.com/
FASFA 2025- 2026 Opens October 2024	https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa

Scholarship Websites	
Going Merry	https://www.goingmerry.com/
Scholarships.com	https://www.scholarships.com/
FastWeb	https://www.fastweb.com/
Chegg	https://www.chegg.com/
GAFutures	https://www.gafutures.org/
SCHOLLY	https://www.myscholly.com/

<u>SAT and ACT Information</u>	
<u>SAT Dates</u>	<u>SAT Resources</u> Register Here

Test Date	Reg. Deadline	Late Reg.	SAT Practice and Preparation Kahn Academy SAT Fee Waiver Information SAT Accommodation Information
Oct. 5th	Sept. 20th	Sept. 24th	
Nov. 2nd	Oct. 18th	Oct. 22nd	
Dec. 7th	Nov. 22nd	Nov. 26th	
Mar. 8th	Feb. 21st	Feb. 25th	
May 3rd	Apr. 18th	Apr. 22nd	
June 7th	May 22nd	May 27th	
<u>ACT Dates</u>			<u>ACT Resources</u>
Test Date	Reg. Deadline	Late Reg.	Register Here
Sept. 14th	Aug. 9th	Aug. 25th	ACT Practice Information
Oct. 26th	Sept. 20th	Oct. 7th	ACT Fee Waiver Information
Dec. 14th	Nov. 8th	Nov. 22nd	ACT Accommodation Information
Feb. 8th	Jan. 3rd	Jan. 20th	
Apr. 5th	Feb. 28th	Mar. 16th	
June 11th	May 9th	May 26th	
July 12th	June 6th	June 20th	

Upcoming College Preview Days		Application
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College: Stallion Day	September 7th November 9th February 8th April 5th	Stallion Day Apply Cost: \$20 Submit Test Scores

*Juniors & Seniors			(Optional) GPA of 2.5 or higher
Albany State University Ram Open House	April 5, 2025	Ram Open House	Now Open Apply Cost: \$25 Test Optional
Augusta University	October 26, 2024 8:30 am- 1:30 pm	See Augusta	Apply Cost: \$60 Submit Test Scores (Optional) GPA of 3.4 or higher
Berry College: Preview Days	Sept 14th, October 26, November 23 Morning session 8:30- 1pm Afternoon Session 11 am- 3:30 pm	Preview Day	Apply Cost: \$25 Test Optional
Clayton State Open House	TBD	Preview Day	Apply Cost: \$40 Submit Test Scores (Optional) GPA of 3.0 or higher
Coastal College of Georgia Preview Day	October 26, 2024	Preview Day	Now Open Apply Cost: \$25
East Georgia State	All 3 campuses	Visit	Apply

College	<p>Junior Day- Sept. 6, 2024</p> <p>Statesboro</p> <p>FallFest- Oct. 11, 2024</p>		<p>Cost: Free for Swainsboro Campus</p> <p>\$30 Fee for Statesboro Campus at Georgia Southern as a transient student.</p> <p>Test Optional</p>
Georgia College and State University: FALLFEST	September 21, 2024	FallFest	<p>Apply</p> <p>Cost: \$50</p> <p>Test Required</p> <p>SAT</p> <p>Reading: 480</p> <p>Math: 440</p> <p>ACT</p> <p>Math: 17</p> <p>English 17</p>
Georgia Gwinnett College Preview Day	<p>Sept. 28th</p> <p>Nov. 9th</p>	<p>Sept. 28th</p> <p>Nov. 9th</p>	<p>Apply</p> <p>Cost: \$30</p> <p>Test Optional</p>
Georgia Highlands College	<p>Sept. 21st</p> <p>Oct. 19th</p>	Visit	<p>Apply</p> <p>Cost: \$30</p> <p>Submit Test Scores (Optional) GPA of 2.0 or higher</p>

<p>Georgia Southern Eagle Preview</p>	<p>Statesboro October 5, 2024, Armstrong October 26, 2024, Statesboro November 9, 2024</p>	<p>Eagle Preview</p>	<p>Apply Cost: \$30 Submit Test Scores (Optional) GPA of 3.2 or higher</p>
<p>Georgia State University: Preview Day</p>	<p>September 20, October 4th, October 18th, November 1st, November 22nd, December 6 from 9am- 3pm</p>	<p>Panther Preview</p>	<p>Apply Cost: \$60 Submit Test Scores (Optional) GPA of 3.4 or higher</p>
<p>Kennesaw State University Open House</p>	<p>Kennesaw Campus September 14th- 10:30 am October 19th- 10:30 am Marietta Campus October 19th- 10:30 am November 19th 10:30 am</p>	<p>Open House</p>	<p>Apply Cost: \$40 Submit Test Scores (Optional) GPA of 3.2 or higher</p>
<p>Piedmont University: Preview Piedmont</p>	<p>February 20, 2025 9:30am- 1pm</p>	<p>Preview Day</p>	<p>Apply Cost: Free through Undergraduate Admissions Application Fee if using the Common App</p>

			Test Optional
Savannah State University	Open Campus Day: October 12, 2024 @10am March 8, 2024 @ 10am	Open Campus Day	Apply Cost: \$20 Submit Test Scores (Optional) GPA of 3.0 or higher
SCAD: SCAD DAY	SCAD Day in Savannah- Saturday, October 12, 2024 9am- 2pm	SCAD Day	Apply Cost: \$100 Test Optional
Shorter University	Open House in the Fall and Spring but welcome anytime	Open House	Apply Cost: \$25 GPA: 2.5 SAT: 990 ACT: 19
University of North Georgia Nighthawk Preview	Dahlonega Campus October 12, 2024	Nighthawk Preview	Apply Cost: \$40 Associate: GPA 2.0 Bachelor: 3.0 Test Optional; 2.4 with SAT 480 Reading & Writing 440 Math; ACT 17
Valdosta State	Open House	November 9, 2024	Apply

University		February 1, 2025 April 12, 2025	Cost: \$40 Submit Test Scores (Optional) GPA of 3.2 or higher
Young Harris College: See YHC Day-	October 14, 2024 and February 12, 2025	Visit	Apply Cost: Test Optional

Schedule a Personal Tour	
Central Georgia Technical College	https://www.yhc.edu/visit
Clark Atlanta University	https://www.cau.edu/school-of-business/visit-us.html
Coastal Pines Tech	https://coastalpines.edu/admissions/apply-now
College of Coastal Georgia	https://www.ccgga.edu/admissions/visit/
Dalton State	https://www.daltonstate.edu/admissions/campus-tour/
Emory University	https://apply.emory.edu/discover/visitengagement.html
Fort Valley State University	https://www.fvsu.edu/admissions/visit-fvsu

Georgia Military College	https://www.gmc.edu/schedule-a-visit/
Georgia Technical College	https://admission.gatech.edu/visit/
Georgia Southern	https://admissions.georgiasouthern.edu/eaglepreview/
Georgia State University	https://undergradapply.gsu.edu/portal/p-c-open-house-nights
Middle Georgia State University	https://www.mga.edu/admissions/campus-tour.php
Morehouse College	https://morehouse.edu/admissions/visit-morehouse/schedule-a-tour/
Savannah Tech	https://www.savannahtech.edu/
Shorter University	https://www.shorter.edu/future-students/
South Georgia State College	https://www.sgsc.edu/admissions/schedule-a-visit
University of Georgia	https://visit.uga.edu/tours/
University of West Georgia	https://apply.westga.edu/portal/Dailyvisit_medium