Summer Residential Governor's School Programs 2024

What are Summer Residential Governor's Schools (SRGS)?

The Summer Residential Governor's Schools are month-long residential programs for <u>current</u> <u>year tenth- and eleventh-grade</u> gifted students in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Governor's Schools are designed for highly motivated students who are looking for a challenging summer experience. The selection process is extremely competitive. Most students selected rank in the top 10% of their class and have scored in the 90th percentile on standardized measures of ability or achievement tests. These residential programs run from late June to late July. Only students who are available during that time frame and whose records match these criteria should apply.

All applications are available online

2024 SR Governor's School Opportunities

- Academic
 - Humanities
 - Mathematics, Science & Technology
 - Agriculture
- Mentorships
 - Engineering
 - Marine Science
- Partial Immersion World Language
 Academies
 - Latin
 - Japanese

- Full Immersion World Language
 Academies
 - Spanish
 - French
 - German
- Visual & Performing Arts
 - Dance
 - Instrumental Music
 - Vocal Music
 - Theatre
 - Visual Arts

Academic Residential Governor's School Programs

- Humanities Radford University campus June 23- July 20, 2024
- Math, Science & Technology University of Lynchburg campus June 30- July 27, 2024
- Agriculture Virginia Tech campus June 23- July 20, 2024

Mentorship Residential Governor's School Programs

on the campus of

Christopher Newport University

Engineering

June 23- July 20, 2024

Marine Science

June 23- July 20, 2024

Academic SRGS: Important Dates

- October/November 2022: Alert counselor's office of interest
- January 26, 2024: Online applications open
- January-February 2024: Your school will conduct screening and collect data to determine who will advance from the school level to the state level.
- February 15, 2024: Letters of recommendation, essays and supporting documents are due to the JHHS Counselor's Office.
- February 20, 2024: Candidates will receive an email from the Counselor's Office regarding application status. IF you advance to the state level, you are not guaranteed automatic qualification for the summer program.
- April 2024: For those of you who moved to the state level, you will receive a
 letter from the state noting your status with the Governor's school. From that
 point forward, all communication about the logistics of the experience will come
 from the state.

Visual & Performing Arts Governor's School Opportunities

Visual & Performing Arts – Radford University campus June 23- July 20, 2024

November 13, 2023- Deadline for alerting the JHHS Counselor's Office of interest

<u>November 22, 2023-</u> Nomination of Visual and Performing Arts adjudication by school division coordinator to Radford University using the Excel form.

<u>January 5&6, 2024-</u> Adjudication of applicants at Blair Woods High School in Ashburn

Foreign Language Academies Residential Governor's School Programs

Full Immersion

French, German, and Spanish - Washington and Lee campus
 June 22 - July 13, 2024

Partial Immersion

Japanese and Latin - Randolph-Macon College campus
 June 23 - July 14, 2024

Students must contact their counselor and begin the online application by January 8, 2024 and submit completed applications by January 31, 2024. WPS must complete online testing of candidate and related data entry no later than January 25, 2024.

VDOE Governor's School Program Information and Applications

VDOE Summer Residential Governor's Schools Website (Academic and Visual/Performing Arts): VDOE :: Summer Residential Governor's Schools

VDOE World Language Academies Website: <u>VDOE :: World Language Academies</u>