

- Core Values*
- 1. Fostering a growing relationship with God*
  - 2. Mentoring Christ-like relationships and Adventist values.*
  - 3. Enabling students to achieve their academic potential.*



*We are a Seventh-day Adventist school established to educate, equip, and inspire students to be critical thinkers who serve others and reflect Christ's character.*

## ***Weekly Update: April 14, 2022***

### **COURSE SELECTIONS FOR 2022-2023**

Course selections have taken place this year. This is an online function via the PowerSchool portal for returning students. Access to the course selection is through PowerSchool via the student or parent accounts. Students and/or parents will have until May 31 to make repeated changes. Many students decided to wait and did not actually select courses during the designated times. Please discuss selections with your student and get his/her choices entered. These selections are what the coming year's class schedule is built on each summer. [Click Here](#)

### **RISING FRESHMAN COURSE SELECTION:**

On April 20, 2022, from 3:30pm - 5:15pm, CA will host an afternoon for all 8<sup>th</sup> graders to plan their Freshman schedule in the high school library. **For students at CA - middle school we are piloting a new process** that is now an option since all our students have a Powerschool account. A team from the high school will join the 8th graders in class on April 19. A freshman schedule will be explained. The 8th grade students will be able to log on to their Powerschool accounts and sign up for their required and elective classes for next year. Parents will be sent communication on the freshman schedule and can log on to see or modify the elective classes. All are welcome to still attend the Freshman Course Selection event if they'd like, but the urgency for the rising freshmen from CA - middle is less.

If you are entering CA as sophomore or higher please contact our registrar to work through the transferring credits and CA course schedule process – Carmen Alvarez, [registrar@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:registrar@collegedaleacademy.com).

If you have any questions, would like a family tour, or set up a student shadow day at our school, or if you would simply like to meet some of our staff, please contact us, 423.396.2124.

### **SUMMER SCHOOL @CA 2022**

Algebra I will be taught this summer by Mr. Sinigaglio. May 25-July 1, 8 am to 12:10pm each weekday excluding Memorial Day. Cost is \$615.00. A non-refundable deposit of \$200 is due by May 11, 2022. Each student interested in taking this class must have a teacher recommendation sent to Mr. Sinigaglio. Recommendations should come from the current eighth grade math teacher and can be emailed or phoned in - [bsinigaglio@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:bsinigaglio@collegedaleacademy.com) or 303.915.1515. Please note this is an accelerated class primarily intended for rising freshmen.

### **MATH PATHWAYS—ACCELERATING IN MATH**

Do you foresee your student needing AP Calculus for his/her desired college degree/career? If so, these are the Pathways to take AP Calculus at Collegedale Academy:

- 1) Take Algebra I in middle school (8th grade).
- 2) With teacher recommendations, take Algebra II after Algebra I and Geometry during summer school at CA. See "Summer School @CA" item above.

3) Take an online math during the summer via Edgenuity/CA's Alliance program. Students must have proof of completion (transcripts) of online courses taken before beginning the next level course. Teacher recommendations required along with CA Leadership Team approval.

**PREREQUISITES:** Pre-Calculus and AP Statistics require a math score of 19 on the ACT, B grades the previous two semesters in Algebra II and teacher recommendation. AP Calculus requires B grades the previous two semesters in Pre-Calculus. Sophomores ready for Pre-Calculus must meet all requirements except the ACT score.

Since Tennessee State Board of Education requires students to take a math course every year during their four years in high school, this pathway to Calculus will mandate the student to take Pre-calculus, even if plans to take Calculus are replaced with Statistics. *The Math Department generally does not encourage students to accelerate more than once.*

#### **EARLY CHILDHOOD & RISING KINDERGARTENERS:**

We are excited to announce we are now offering a summer program for **EARLY CHILDHOOD & RISING KINDERGARTENERS!** Please see the attached flyer for more information.

#### **RE-ENROLLMENT/NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT:**

**Note: The regular application (\$100) fee began April 1.**

It's that time of year to begin planning for next school year – the 2022-23 school year!

Applications are open for new and current students in Early Childhood (preschool aged) – grade 12. Class spaces are limited and typically fill quickly. With a completed application, a spot in the upcoming year's class will be held for returning students, upon their acceptance, until Jan 31. On Feb 1, **all applicants**, new and returning will acquire a class spot in the date order of their completed application, upon acceptance.

[Apply Here: collegedaleacademy.com/apply](https://collegedaleacademy.com/apply)

For general information about Collegedale Academy please contact our admission team based on the age/grade level of your student:

Elementary (preschool ages – grade 5): – 423-396-2122 or [k-5registrar@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:k-5registrar@collegedaleacademy.com)

Middle School (grades 6-8): Debbie Reed – 423-396-3020 or [dreed@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:dreed@collegedaleacademy.com)

High School (grades 9-12): Angi Howell – 423-369-2124 or [ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com)

#### **CA SOCCER CAMP:**

We are excited to offer the summer soccer camp again this year! The camp will be June 20-24 and is for boys and girls who will be in 6th-12 grade next year. Early registration is the month of April (\$175). Then May 1-June 10 the regular registration price is \$200 for the week. We are offering a sibling discount which is \$25 per child. Please see the attached poster for more information. There are limited spots so if you'd like to register, please [complete this form](#) as soon as possible to secure a spot. We will let you know if you are on the waiting list.

#### **CALENDAR FOR 2022-2023:**

Jul. 28	Registration 1-6pm HS, 3-6pm Elementary & Middle
Aug. 4	First Day of School
Sept. 5	No School - Labor Day
Oct. 10-14	Fall Break
Nov. 21-25	Thanksgiving Break
Dec. 22-Jan. 6	Christmas Break
Jan. 16	No School - MLK Jr. Day
Feb. 20	No School - President's Day
Mar. 13-17	Spring Break
Apr. 7-10	No School - Easter Break

May 19            Last Day of School  
May 19-21        High School Graduation

#### **INCLEMENT WEATHER**

If school will not convene because of inclement weather, an announcement will be made on local TV channels affiliates of NBC, ABC, CBS, and our website, [www.collegedaleacademy.com](http://www.collegedaleacademy.com). In addition to the PowerAnnouncement emails/robo-calls and texts. Collegedale Academy DOES NOT AUTOMATICALLY follow Hamilton County school closings or delays. If C.A. is involved in an emergency (such as a tornado warning), students will be held in assigned locations until the warning expires.

***Parents always have the discretion to keep students at home if they believe weather conditions are too hazardous. Please contact C.A. to excuse your student's absence that day.***

#### **LUNCH MENU:**

- Mondays/Freshmen: Chick Patty & Grillers
- Tuesdays/Juniors: Haystacks
- Wednesdays/Sophomores: Special K Loaf
- Thursdays/Seniors: Baked Ziti
- Fridays/CA Organizations: Pizza by the slice or box,  
Students wanting to reserve a lunch for the day. Please Mr. Baldwin to pick up a ticket.

#### **JOIN THE CA (HIGH) PRAYING PARENTS**

Our community believes in the power of prayer and specifically takes time out each week to collectively pray for the students at Collegedale Academy. All parents are encouraged to come and pray for the high school students each week on Thursdays starting at 8am. Currently the group is meeting in the Fifties Diner. For more information, please contact the group's volunteer leader Ingrid Moon - 719-480-2146.

**POWERSCHOOL**—see your student's grades/attendance any time!

<https://ca-net.powerschool.com> is the url for the PowerSchool log in.

Parents, please remember to use your PowerSchool login and password connecting your student(s) to your account with your parent access codes for each student. Parents may change their usernames/passwords. Under email notifications, you select how often you wish to receive email notifications and how detailed the grade and attendance reports will be.

**MOBILE APP:** if grades are not showing, try uninstalling and re-installing the app on your phone. The district code is WXBH. Don't yet have the mobile app? Go to your app store and look for PowerSchool Mobile with this logo. Make sure to get the dark background.



**HELPFUL LINKS: many are found under "Forms & Information" in the high school section.**

1. Bell Schedule [Click Here](#)
2. Faculty Contact List: names, numbers, emails, what they teach/do. [Click here](#)
3. 2021-2022 calendar, go to [collegedaleacademy.com](http://collegedaleacademy.com)
4. The Student Handbook is located at [collegedaleacademy.com](http://collegedaleacademy.com)
5. The *Echolier*: [caecholier.com](http://caecholier.com)
6. CA Library: [CA HS library site](#)
7. Academic Excellence Policy: [Click Here](#)
8. ACT test dates: Practice for the ACT via CA Library site. Test is offered Sept., Dec., and April each year. Link: [Click Here](#)
9. College Admissions and HOPE Scholarship requirements [click here](#)
10. Hope Scholarship (TSAC) Link: [Click here](#)

11. TNPromise (TSAC) Link: [Click Here](#)
12. Pre-Arranged Absence Form click [here](#)
13. Rescheduling Exams: please refer to page 30 of the Student Handbook
14. Community Service (suspended until further notice)
15. Leadership Team Petition Form: for organizational and individual requests [here](#)
16. Transcript Release: send a C.A. transcript to another location. Click [here](#)
17. Field Trip/Activity Permission Form. Click [here](#)
18. New Drivers: please see the Student Handbook for attendance paperwork required for Learners' Permits.
19. Student Accident Insurance Policy [click here.](#)

#### **UPCOMING ACTIVITIES**

Apr. 15, Good Friday – **NO SCHOOL**  
 Apr. 18, Easter Celebration – **NO SCHOOL**  
 Apr. 19, Soccer vs. Silverdale  
 Apr. 19, Tennis @Silverdale  
 Apr. 20, Freshmen Course Selection  
 Apr. 20-24, Concert & Wind Band Tour  
 Apr. 21, Track & Field Meet @Red Bank  
 Apr. 25-29, MAP Testing  
 Apr. 26, Soccer @Notre Dame  
 Apr. 26, Tennis @St. Andrews  
 Apr. 27, Percussion Ensemble Concert @7:00pm  
 Apr. 28, Soccer vs. Patriots  
 Apr. 28, SA Primary Election  
 Apr. 28, Tennis vs Boyd  
 Apr. 29, SA Skip Day  
 Apr. 29, Freshmen Vespers  
 Apr. 30, Class Flag Football  
 Apr. 30, Regional Soccer Boys  
 May 1, Concert & Wind Band Spring Concert  
 May 2, Data Day – **NO SCHOOL**  
 May 2-3, Tennis Individual District Tournament  
 May 3, Regional Soccer Boys  
 May 5, SA General Election  
 May 5-6, Individual Regional Tennis  
 May 5, Track & Field Meet @Howard  
 May 6, Soccer Banquet  
 May 6, YIELD Vespers  
 May 7, Opus @Su Casa Chattanooga  
 May 7, Regional Soccer Boys  
 May 7, Final Concert @CA Auditorium @8:00pm  
 May 8, Junior/Senior Banquet  
 May 8, Freshmen Party  
 May 9, Team Regionals Tennis Girls  
 May 10, Regional Soccer Boys  
 May 10, Regional Track & Field Events  
 May 10, Team Regionals Tennis Boys  
 May 12, Orchestra Spring Concert @6pm  
 May 12, Regional Track & Field Events  
 May 12-13, Regional Tennis Girls & Boys Final  
 May 16-19, Semester Exams  
 May 18, CA Scholars Colloquium @5:30pm

May 19, End of 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter  
May 20, Last day of School  
May 20, Consecration (Church)  
May 22, Commencement (Gym)  
May 22, CA Brass Players @Commencement

**\*If you have received this email in error, please let me know and I will be happy to correct the mailing list: [registrar@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:registrar@collegedaleacademy.com)**