

# **SUN VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL**

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## SCHOOL PROFILE 2018-2019

#### School Counseling Staff:

Jenee' Johnson — Seniors, Last Names A-K Jessica Hill —Seniors, Last Names L-Z Donna Grexa– Juniors Brittanee Jaquish– Sophomores Roblynne McDuffie– Freshmen Madeline Schehl—College Adviser Nicole Clark—Guidance Secretary

# **School & Community**

Sun Valley High School is a four-year, public high school located between Monroe and Indian Trail, NC. Sun Valley was established in 1961 and is one of twelve high schools within the Union County Public School district.

Total Enrollment— 1540	Free & Reduced Lunch-
Class of 2019—365	27%

# **GPA & Grading Scale**

All courses are included in the cumulative GPA and class rank. GPA is computed at the end of each semester in January and June. Honors and AP courses receive additional weighting in GPA calculations. Please see the charts below for further clarification:

GPA Quality Points Scale for					
Students		10 Point Grading Scale			
Grade	СР	Honors	AP	А	90-100
А	4	4.5	5	В	80-89
В	3	3.5	4	С	70-79
С	2	2.5	3	D	60-69
D	1	1.5	2	F	0-59
F	0	0	0	<u>.</u>	

**Principal** Dr. Michael Harvey

#### **Assistant Principals**

Dr. Marvin Bradley Dr. Dru Thomas Mike Zezech

### Curriculum

Sun Valley High School offers a comprehensive curriculum that includes the following course levels and types:

- College Prep
- Honors
- Advanced Placement
- Career & Technical Education
- Dual Enrollment (Career & College Promise)

## **Class Schedule**

The curriculum is organized on a 4x4 block schedule. Each day during the eighteen week semester, a student will attend four, ninetyminute classes, earning a maximum of one credit per class. Students can earn a maximum of eight credits in a school year.

## **Extracurricular Activities**

#### <u>Sports</u>

Cross Country, Football, Volleyball, Wrestling, Indoor Track, Baseball, Softball, Swimming & Diving, Track & Field, Cheerleading, Golf\*, Soccer\*, Tennis\*, Basketball\*, Lacrosse\*

#### \*Men & Women's Teams

#### <u>Clubs</u>

- BETA Club
- DECA Club
- Diversity Club
- FCA and YCI
- Future Farmers of America (FFA)
- Green Team
- HOSA
- National Honor Society (NHS)
- Interact Club
- Science National Honor Society
- Student Council

#### **Advanced Courses at SVHS**

Advanced courses are offered in the areas of English, Math, Science, Social Studies, World Language, and Career and Technical Education, the Arts, and Physical Education.

#### Honors (H) Courses

Accounting I	Computer Programming	Marine Science	
Advanced Topics in Biology	Creative Writing	Marketing	
Advanced Topics in Calculus AB	Discrete Math Math II, III		
Advanced Topics in Statistics	Drafting I, II	g I, II Physics	
Aerospace Engineering I, II	Earth & Environmental Science	Pre-Calculus	
American History I, II	English I, II, III, IV	Psychology/Sociology	
Anatomy & Physiology	Film Production I, II	Remember the Holocaust	
Avionics I, II	Foods II	Spanish III, IV	
Band III, IV	Forensic Science	Speech & Debate	
Biology I	French III, IV	Sports & Entertainment Marketing I, II	
Chemistry	Global Awareness	Theatre III, IV	
Civics & Economics	Health Science I, II	Visual Arts III, IV	
Chorus III, IV	Journalism I, II, III, IV	World History	

#### Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

Biology\* Calculus AB\* Calculus BC Computer Science Principles English Language\* English Literature\* Environmental Science\* Human Geography Physics I\* Physics II\* Psychology Statistics\* United States History\* World History

\* AP courses that are connected with a mandatory fall honors course, making it a two course commitment.

#### **Special Programs**

<u>Online Courses</u>—Students in all grades have the opportunity to take online classes through Union County Virtual (UCV) and/or North Carolina Virtual Public School (NCVPS). Online courses are utilized when courses are not offered face-to-face at Sun Valley High School, when scheduling is an issue, or when a student wants to take additional courses (as 5th block or summer course.) UCV and NCVPS offer CP, Honors, and AP courses.

<u>Career & College Promise</u>—SVHS has partnered with South Piedmont Community College to offer college level courses through the Career and College (CCP) program. Juniors and seniors have the opportunity to take community college classes through this dual enrollment program.

Class of 2018 Post-Graduation Outcomes

# 410 Graduates

Scholarship Total—\$12,304,496

Attending College—85%

4-Year College—44%

2-Year, Technical, or Trade—41%

Military—5%

Employment/Other-10%

2018 graduates enrolled in over 70 different colleges & universities including: Appalachian State LSU UNC Charlotte

Appalachian State Belmont Abbey Campbell University Duke University East Carolina Elon University Embry Riddle Aeronautical Georgetown University Grambling State Hampton University Lenoir-Rhyne Limestone

Johnson C. Smith Meredith College NC A&T NC State Niagara University Oklahoma State Ohio University Pepperdine Queens University Tusculum US Military Academy UNC Chapel Hill UNC Charlotte UNC Pembroke UNC Wilmington UNC School of the Arts University of SC University of TN University of AL University of KY Vanderbilt Virginia Tech Western Carolina Wingate Winston Salem State