

## SUN VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

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# Dr. Michael Harvey

**Principal** 

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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— 27%

Class of 2019-365

## **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				
Grade	СР	Honors	AP	
А	4	4.5	5	
В	3	3.5	4	
С	2	2.5	3	
D	1	1.5	2	
F	0	0	0	

10 Point Grading Scale		
90-100		
80-89		
70-79		
60-69		
0-59		

#### 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**

#### **Sports**

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

\*Men & Women's Teams

#### Clubs

- **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	<b>Computer Programming</b>	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	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*	English Literature*	Psychology
Calculus AB*	Environmental Science*	Statistics*
Calculus BC	Human Geography	United States History*
Computer Science Principles	Physics I*	World History
English Language*	Physics II*	

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

#### **Special Programs**

Online Courses—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
Belmont Abbey	Johnson C. Smith	<b>UNC Pembroke</b>
Campbell University	Meredith College	<b>UNC Wilmington</b>
<b>Duke University</b>	NC A&T	UNC School of the Arts
East Carolina	NC State	University of SC
Elon University	Niagara University	University of TN
Embry Riddle	Oklahoma State	University of AL
Aeronautical	Ohio University	University of KY
Georgetown University	Pepperdine	Vanderbilt
<b>Grambling State</b>	Queens University	Virginia Tech
Hampton University	Tusculum	Western Carolina
Lenoir-Rhyne	<b>US Military Academy</b>	Wingate
Limestone	UNC Chapel Hill	Winston Salem State