Arkansas Governor's School 2018























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Area I embraced instruction in the artistic disciplines of Choral Music, Drama, Visual Arts, and Instrumental Music, and course work in the academic disciplines of English/Language Arts, Natural Science, Mathematics and Social Science.

Emphasis in Area I is placed on participatory learning experiences which expose students to the complex and critical systems that undergird the various fields of study. To this end, students examine new, challenging, and often controversial theories, techniques, and works — all designed to challenge them to develop a critical stance based on careful scrutiny of ideas and developments within their areas of interest.

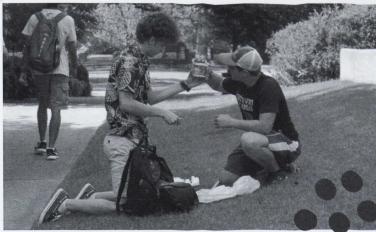
Stacy Key is the Area I
Academics Coordinator and
Fred Boosey is the Area I Arts
Coordinator.















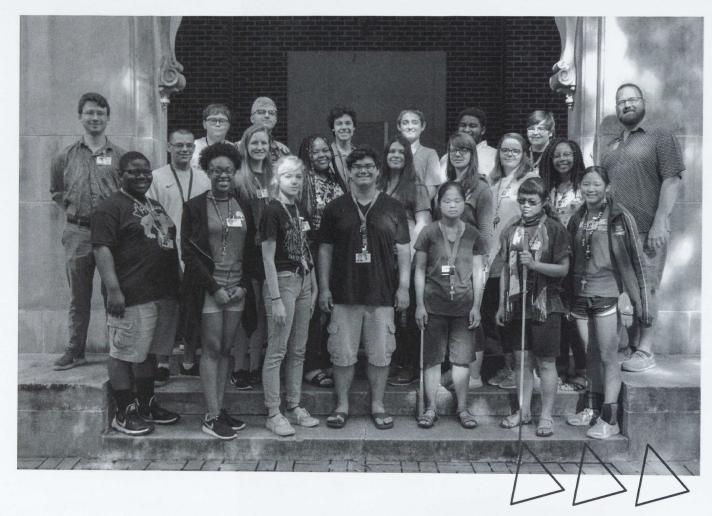






Choral Music

Adam Stanley and Daniel De Togni



Back row (left to right): Quinn Gitchel, Cooper Sikes, Sam Ellgass, Ian Thomas, Reilee Williams, Amanda Hammers

Middle row: Daniel De Togni (instructor), Nathaniel Ramos, Catherine Myers, Candace Johnson, Sydney Willcockson, Rachel Helms, Katelynn Gifford, Nell Henderson, Adam Stanley (instructor) Front row: Charles Moton Jr., Zion Fletcher, Tony Groulx, Danyal Renode, Rosanna Scott, Jenna Scott, Rosie Wade

Drama

April Gentry-Sutterfield and Lauren Lusk



Back row (left to right): Lauren Lusk (instructor), De de West, McKinzie Batson, Warren McCombs, Chase Sproles, Dakota Hall-Alvard, Tanvir Mondair, Gavin Leavell, Alex Horn, Justin Glauser, Eli Patterson, Andrew Fox

Middle row: Jalen Nickerson, Rudy Fajardo, Rebecca Burks, Margaret Murie, Evan Thompson, Leah Christenson, Sean Barrett, Janae Hartman

Front row: Payton Hooton, Emily Humphrey, Darion Simpson, Molly Del Rossi, Christian Tobler, Santana King, April Gentry-Sutterfield (instructor)





English/Language Arts

Trish Cowen



Back row (left to right): Owen Phillips, Isaac Smith, Gracie Durand, Jess Wood, Chase Abraham, Cameron Grant

Middle row: Jennifer Song, Courtney Jones, Baily Wilson, Rosemary Gregg, Yasmine Bowie-Thomas, Olivia Larson, Mack Polk

Front row: Francesca Nance, Anna Winstead, Becca Dixon, Jhorden Shambley, Theresa Markwardt, Ayla Handy, Trish Cowen (instructor)

English/Language Arts

Kathy Manus



Back row (left to right): Cole Griffeth, [Student Dismissed], Adi Rallapalli, Logan Dillon, Kayla English, Neisha Harston, Madeline Kittler

Middle row: Bergen Rackley, Maria Cervantes, Chloe McGehee, Elena Wiltgen, Hanna Moyster, Caitlyn Byrd, Stephanie Sung

Front row: Leah Stewart, Lily Pendley, Madison Cole, Destiny Williams, Sam Ward, Kathy Manus (instructor)





English/Language Arts

Andrew Nolley



Back row (left to right): Alex Espinda, Ian Hollis, Tucker Williams, Gail Oudekerk, Tamara Lea, Jasmine Morrow, Victoria Ortega

Middle row: Aislinn Camden, JaZmyn Shambley, Tatumn Luedders, Kassity Pace, Sara Hulse, Ty Collins, Megan Alexander, Andrew Nolley (instructor)

Front row: Lizette Perez, Taylor Harris, Elizah Funke, Chelsea Delgado, Lindsey Yarbrough

English/Language Arts

Gabby Vidal-Torreira



Back row (left to right): AJ Mireles, Kierra Alexander, Bilha Valdez, Grace Faulkenberry, Alanah Hubbard, Madison Tschirhart, Angel Castillo

Middle row: Karina Escobar, [Student Dismissed], Hope Burmeister, Sawyer Hendrix, Michala McPhink, Jaden Woody, Junior Pacheco, Gabby Vidal-Torreira (instructor)

Front row: Ainsley Lester, Mary Phillips, Arin Winstead, Carré Sadler, Mack Avant

Instrumental Music

Rick Dimond and Larry Jones



Back row (left to right): Arshaan Dokadia, Devin Barr, Terrell Page Jr., [Student Withdrawn], Harrison Downs

Middle row: Rick Dimond (instructor), Nick McDonald, Ashlie Dyanne Green, Ian Lawrence, Caleb Schreyer, Larry Jones (instructor)

Front row: Stacey Garner, Ashley Rose Hansen, [Student Dismissed], Emma Davis

Instrumental Music

Tom McDonald and Candis Sunday

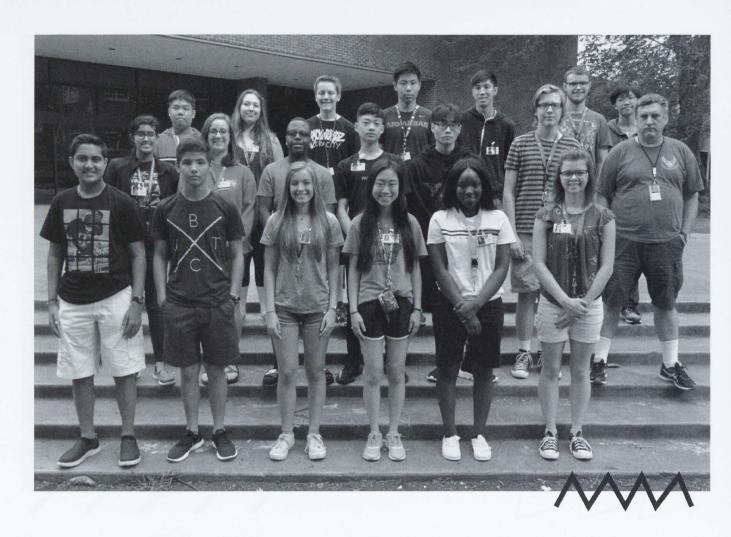


Back row (left to right): Tom McDonald (instructor), Jasmine Johnson, Aspen Huseman, Morgan Hibbard-Gregg, Hannah Malone, Witt Johnson, Jimmy Graves, Candis Sunday (instructor)
Front row: Stephanie Benitez, Emily Osorto, Kayla Hawks, Alyssa Fawbush, DeLainey Brown



Mathematics

John Anglin



Back row (left to right): Simon Chaisouang, Ava Gilmer, Grant Reader, Keith Zhang, Brian Huang, Blake Whitmer, Bryant Xie

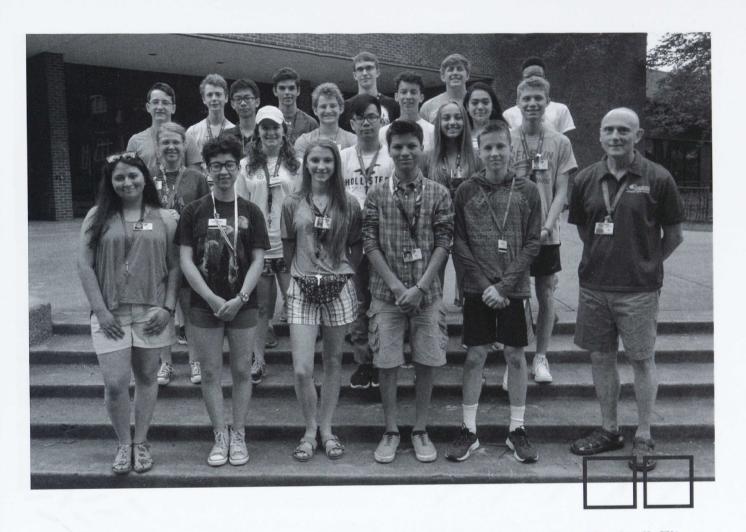
Middle row: Anusha Bhattacharyya, Emily Brackeen, Junius Mugambi, [Student Dismissed], [Student Dismissed], Carter McKenzie, John Anglin (instructor)

Front row: Pranav Vasan, Luke Overton, Lauren Skartvedt, Ashlyn Ham, Tionna Martin, Aria Switzer.

Not pictured: Malia Camacho

Mathematics

Stacy Key

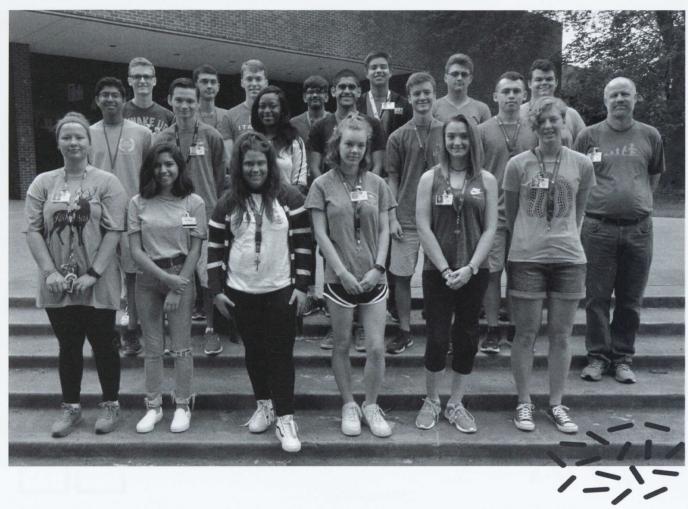


Back row (left to right): Noah Morris, Sam Lefforge, [Student Withdrawn], Ross Kimbrell, Eli Jones

Third row: Nikolas Morgan, Austin Liu, Cole Langham, Adam Siwiec, Liz Martinez Second row: Max West, Mary Mosley, James Nguyen, Kamilla Sarvestani, Brooks Carter Front row: Ally Hayes, Alida Kaufmann, Catherine Cox, Mario Ruano, Eli Mertz, Stacy Key (instructor)

Mathematics

Lars Seme



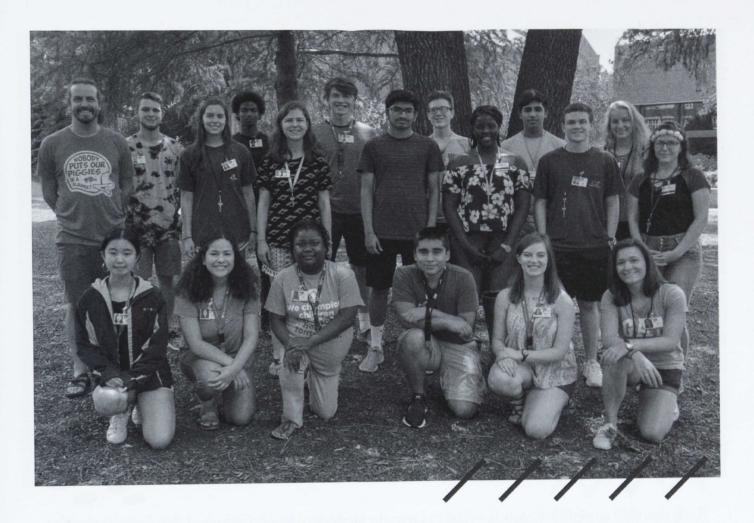
Back row (left to right): Gabe Lovatt-Sutton, Nathan Fredricks, Daniel Haller, Ruchik Gabhawala, Albert Bolivar, Nathan Peters, Adam Meadows

Middle row: Neel Patel, Taylor Compton, Sasha McCoy, Shirshak Gautam, Grayson Young, Logan Youngblood, Lars Seme (instructor)

Front row: Annaleise Gates, Makayla Barrientos, Misty Clark, Claudia Smith, Chloe Whitworth, Mollie Nichols.

Natural Sciences

Matt Bradsher



Back row (left to right): Will Stearns, Kouadio Kondo, Carson Haller, Jack Parker, Luis Gallegos, Kylee Tollefson

Middle row: Matt Bradsher (instructor), Lauren Grace, Lily Agnacian, Yusuf Khan, [Student Withdrawn], Logan Dawson, Kayla Grabinski

Front row: Grace Xiang, Rachel Beza-Juarez, Kay Smith, Alexis Diaz, Myranda New, Jules Rose

Natural Sciences

Katie Parson



Back row (left to right): Caleb Westlake, Jackson Brandt, Allison Campbell, Ian Caig, Jackson Black, Alex Kaye, Trey Hoopchuk

Middle row: Alessandro Rocchi, Kobe Heagerty, Lauren Gwaltney, Elizabeth Ablondi, Haley Roberts, Annika Beaverson, Katie Parson (instructor)

Front row: Cecile Barnes, Sharay Castanon-Franco, Madison Betz, Lauren Loften, Karson Covington



Matt Hibbs Natural Sciences Faculty

Natural Sciences

Warren Sconiers



Back row (left to right): Connor Whitlow, Haley Stanton, Jaclyn Reifeiss, Christine Muoghalu, Madeline Wood, Yannick Dwyer

Middle row: Kayleigh Yeager, Grayson Schoeller, Tyler Angtuaco, Aaron Wright, Joey Beard,

Ramy Yousef, Warren Sconiers (instructor)

Front row: Rheanna Fleming, Autumn Meaux, Kelly Hua, Kyleigh Tucker, Gabi Gies

Not pictured: Sai Panabakam



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Natural Sciences

Tim Trawick



Back row (left to right): Albert Ko, Dhruv Modi, Annie Simon, Rafe Hall, Zharia Harris, Cass Wiederkehr, Wyatt Arnold, Caleb Tapley, Tim Trawick (instructor)

Middle row: Siddhi Bhat, Jenny Zhang, Emily Hillyard, Isabel Powers, Olivia Woody, Macky Ann Hurst, Jada Booth

Front row: Spencer Fellenz, Helen Hua, Nithya Sundar, [Student Withdrawn]

Social Sciences

Brad Aaron



Back row (left to right): Faith Carnie, Grant Rosenthal, Jeremiah Brown, Leo Herzfeld, Jonah Houston, Berghan Taylor

Middle row: Brad Aaron (instructor), Kilah Wolcott, Joseph Winningham, [Student Dismissed], Iman Blackwell, [Student Withdrawn], Libbie Ghio

Front row: Ro'Kevia Cooper, Sahana Bettdapura, BreAnna Weeks, Maria Ledesma, Zoe Gasaway

Social Sciences

Hans Hacker



Back row (left to right): Zia Tollette, Piper Hamm, Garrett Grisso, Avery Brown, Devin Amplo, Trevor Sims, Jack Ratcliff, Hans Hacker (instructor)

Middle row: Morgan Heflin, Sally Kashala, Grier McClard, Matthew Apuya, Drew Roughley, Sana Amin, Jordyn Threet

Front row: Nihal Anwar, Alexis Hare, Anna Rumpz, Peyton Holder, Caroline Massey

Social Sciences

Melissa Juneau



Back row (left to right): Bailey Schoening, Thomas Bailey, Edgar Canales, Tyler Thompson, Collin Marlin, Jon Hicks, Garrett Collier

Middle row: Annette Quinn, Heidi Neumann, Aiiryel McCoy, Kate Woziwodzki, Jakob Mueller, Melissa Juneau (instructor)

Front row: Keira Boop, Ayesha Yousaf, Olivia Malone, Gio Mannon, Grace Davis

Social Sciences

Mark Elrod



Back row (left to right): Alexandria Cade, Mitchelle Atungulu, Malik Barnes, Clay Farrar, Peter Unwer, Dane Arbuckle, Jordan Williams-Smith, Conner Smith

Middle row: Kaleb Manley, Deana Perera, Mackenzie Criner, Kassidy Webster, Amber Slash, Briana Graham, Mark Elrod (instructor)

Front row: Hunter Fleming, Kandice McClure, [Student Withdrawn], Eileen Alvarez, Jasmine Willis

Visual Art

Kim Kwee and Jason McCann



Back row (left to right): Adaja Cooper, Ian Bell, [Student Withdrawn], Gillian Henneberry, Verity Miller, Eloise Hale, Nan Farrar, Jeremia Lo, Clara Mitchell, Jason McCann (instructor) Middle row: MaKenna Whittington, Sophia Pegues, Sophie Francoeur, [Student Withdrawn], Andrew Harden, Karah Allred, Kate Harmon, Chisom Oguh, Ivy Westmoreland Front row: Kim Kwee (instructor), Sarah Harrod, Brooke Stone, Tara Doepke, Heidi Tandiono, Jasmine Sloan, Caroline McCreight, Ashley Massey, Lilly Reyes

























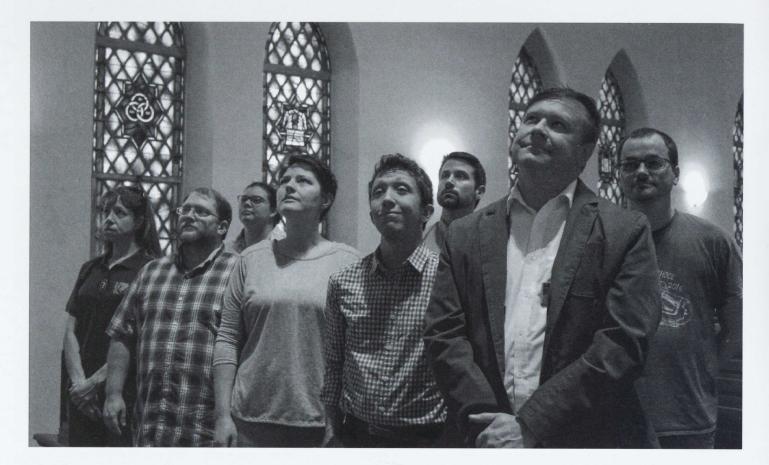




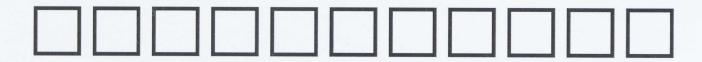




Area II



Back row (left to right): Whit Barringer, Chris Weaver, Ryan Parson. Front row: Andrea Lively, Scott Hairston, Lacey Thacker, Alan Elrod, Phillip Spivey.



The Area II curriculum is designed to enhance conceptual development. Students are encouraged to learn more about how knowledge is aquired (epistemology) and to understand the various ways of knowing in different disciplines. In striving to increase their ability to analyze diverse perspectives on current normative issues, students gain a new appreciation for their implications. Classroom discussions then lead students to progress toward deeper levels of intellectual reflection, which enhances their ability to become better thinkers. Lacey Thacker is the Area II Coordinator.



Top (clockwise): Fred Boosey, Richard Gobble, Phillip Melton, Debbie Hibbs, Madison Sewell, Emily Bradley, Spencer Sutterfield, Chad Terrell.

Area III is designed to foster the personal and social development necessary for the students to benefit fully from Area I and Area II classes and the cultural and social events of the AGS program. The Area III curriculum provides an opportunity for the students to see the importance of taking personal responsibility for one's own ideas and for one's participation in a democratic society. Within this framework, students explore curricular issues such as theories of intelligence, conflict and stress management, psychological and personal theory, goal setting, and community service. Debbie Hibbs is the Area III Coordinator.

Area IV

Couch Hall



Back row (left to right):
Ebony Ivory, Chloe
Voss, Mollie Elliott (Hall
Director)
Front row: Adrian Wiles,
Olivia Lynch, Lizzie
Sutherland

Martin Hall



Back: Victoria LaFave
(Hall Director). Middle
row (left to right): Morgan
Dillon, Anna Beth Haney,
Stevie Leigh, MiKayla Nash
Front: Toki Ghaffari

Whitney Hammons Area IV Coordinator

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Veasey Hall



Back row (left to right):
Luke Syverson, Joshua
Knight (Hall Director),
Jackson Renfroe
Front row: Colton Simpson,
Blake Moore

Raney Hall



Back row: Patrick Brown
(Hall Director), Nick
Langston. Middle row (left
to right): Frank Griffin,
Andy Lopez
Front: C.J. Spann

AreaV



Back row (left to right): Monica Sanders (Media Specialist), Michelle Benson (Activities Monitor), Destinee Boddie (WAC Manager), Jalin Parry (Store Manager), Jordan Mallard (WAC Manager), Breann Forbes (Recreation Director), Melissa Elliott (Public Liaison), Annalise Kellner (Store Manager), Danielle Rosson (Social Activities Director)

Middle row: Mary Elrod (Student Liaison), Greer Veon (Office Manager), Emily Bowie (Assistant Office Manager)

Front row: Sidney McGough (AV Specialist), Tim Purkiss (Area V Coordinator), Justin Pogue (AV Specialist)



Jada Carr (Climbing Wall Monitor)



Cort Honaker (Lifeguard)

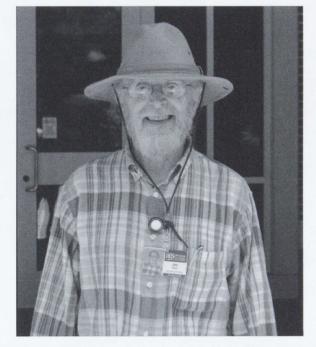


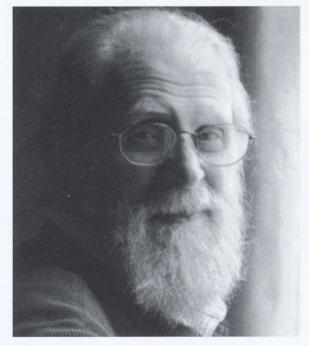
Morgan Sweere (Lifeguard)

In Memoriam

Dr. James Rush (January 2, 1941 - May 22, 2018)

Jim Rush was a dedicated teacher and colleague at AGS for more than 30 years. He was a part of the inaugural AGS session in 1980. During his tenure, he taught in several areas including Area I Social Science, Area II General Conceptual Development, and Area III Personal and Social Development. At times, he also served as a coordinator for Area II and Area III. Jim was highly regarded by students whom he met in class, at mindfulness meditation seminars, or around campus. He was also deeply respected by his colleagues for his wisdom and compassion. His memory and spirit will continue to be honored in the Area II Book or "Tree Book" given to all students each session and the Jim Rush Milestone Service Award presented annually to faculty and staff.



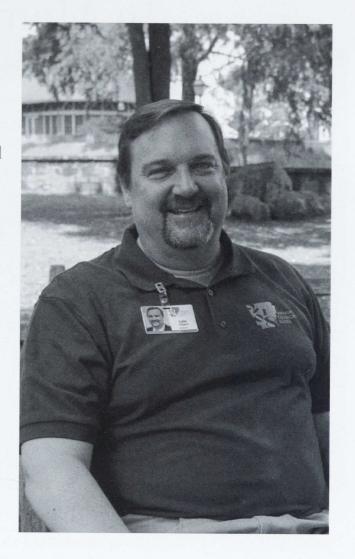


Letter from the Director

Dear AGS 2018:

This summer has flown by much too quickly. It seems as if we just arrived on campus. But, when we look back at the past six weeks, we'll realize a lot has happened. We've experienced many new ideas, speakers, films, and events. We've met new friends. We've shared ideas. We've worked hard and played hard. And, we've grown together as a community. I hope you'll take all you've learned and continue building upon the foundation. Let our memories sustain AGS in our minds for many years. Here's to a bright future for all of you!

God bless you, Lyle













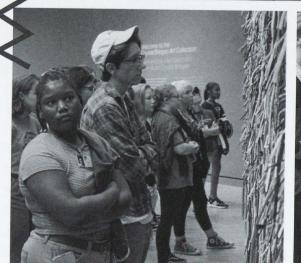












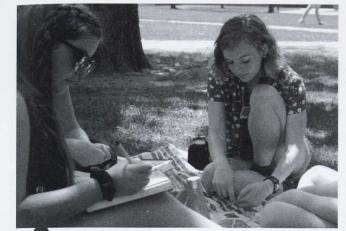




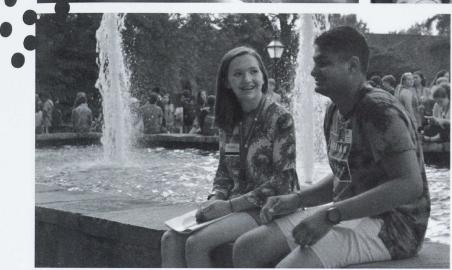


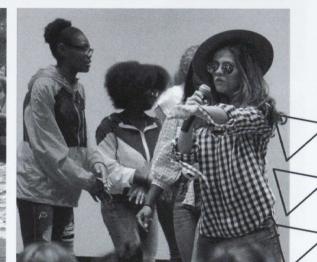




















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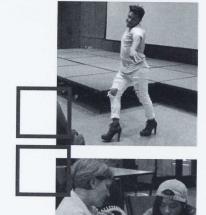




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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| June 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| Registration Convocation Orientation | Human Scavenger Hunt | Speaker: Jason Wiles Michael Fosberg: Incognito | | Speaker: Jenna Elser Koyaanisqatsi | Faculty/Staff Variety Show | Party Animal Mixer |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 Alumni Day | 22 | 23 |
| Blood Drive AST: The Winter's Tale | Natural State Brass Band | Clinton Library Field Trip Speaker: Epiphany Morrow | AST: Henry IV | Speaker: Nate Powell The Truman Show | | AST: Much Ado About Nothing |
| 24 | 25 AGS: The Happening | 26 Speaker: Phil Plait | 27 AST: My Fair Lady | 28 Speaker: Mark Camp | 29 Casino Night | 30 Riddle Elephant Sand Bioblitz |
| | | | | (Dis)Honesty: The Truth About Lies | | Homeless Night |
| July 1 Crystal Bridges Field Trip AST: My Fair Lady | 2 | 3 Parent's Day Speaker: Governor Asa Hutchinson Students dismissed for mid-session break | 4 | 5 | 6 | * |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 Educator's Day | 13 | 14 |
| Students return from mid-session break | College Fair Area III Cookout | Speaker: Haider Newmani | Hunger Awareness Day AETN: Arkansans Ask | Speaker: The Great Area II Debate Thirteenth | Student Talent Show | Heifer Int'l HQ Keep AR Beautiful Clean-Up 5K Fun Run/Walk |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| | Hotel Rwanda | Speaker: Joseph Sebarenzi | AGS: Art and Drama Presentations | Speaker: Maxine Maxwell | Final Mixer | Closing Convocation |
| | | AGS: Music Concert | | Fac/St v Stu Softball | 手取 声声 · | |

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