

## Student Vision Profile January 2025

Your roadmap toward a thriving future begins here. This guide is designed to support you as you engage in meaningful conversations about life after high school. In PWCS, a student's trajectory is limitless. The information provided in this Student Vision Profile report will ensure that all students and their families have the tools necessary to navigate the road that lies ahead. After reviewing your Student Vision Profile, please complete the [Parent Feedback Survey](#) or the [Student Feedback Survey](#).

### John's Progress Toward a Thriving Future

Category	Your Data	What It Means
 Current Pathway Plan	Undecided	Talk to your family and counselor to help decide next steps.
 Career Personality Key Grade 7	Conventional	You like to work with numbers, records, or machines in a set, orderly way.
 Career Interest Grade 7	Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources	Your focus is on agricultural commodities and resources.
 Top Strength Grade 8	Future Thinker	You enjoy thinking about ideas and the future.

## How to Use This Guide

### Start the Conversation

When you see this prompt you will find helpful tips to guide your conversation.



### Think About It

When you see this prompt think about what is possible.



### Get Moving

When you see this prompt there is an action to take.



### Explore Resources

Resources are provided to support you along this journey. [Naviance](#), [StudentVUE](#), [ParentVUE](#), [PWCS Course Catalog](#), and [PWCS Career and Transition Services](#).



### Profile of a Graduate

The PWCS Vision is that every student will graduate on time with the knowledge, skills, and habits of mind necessary to create a thriving future for themselves and their community.



### John's Career Interest Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources

	High School Diploma		Associate Degree		Bachelor's Degree		Master's Degree or Higher	
Virginia Growth Industry Jobs	Floral Designers	Food Cooking Machine Operators & Tenders	Office Machine Operators, Except Computer	Agricultural Equipment Operators	Refuse & Recyclable Material Collectors	Conveyor Operators & Tenders	Economists	Farm & Home Management Advisors
Median Annual Income	\$33,775		\$38,905		\$41,090		\$73,275	
Colleges to Consider	<a href="#">NOVA</a> , <a href="#">Germanna Community College</a> , <a href="#">Prince George Community College</a>		<a href="#">NOVA</a> , <a href="#">Germanna Community College</a> , <a href="#">Prince George Community College</a>		<a href="#">Virginia State University</a> , <a href="#">Averett University</a> , <a href="#">Emory &amp; Henry College</a>		<a href="#">Virginia Tech</a> , <a href="#">Ferrum College</a> , <a href="#">Virginia State University</a>	
Degrees & Certificates to Consider	Environmental Studies, Turf and Turfgrass Management, Applied Horticulture		Environmental Studies, Turf and Turfgrass Management, Applied Horticulture		Parks, Recreation and Leisure Facilities Management, Environmental Science/Studies		Parks, Recreation and Leisure Facilities Management, Environmental Science/Studies	

### John's Career Interests

Interest #1	Interest #2	Interest #3
<a href="#">Agriculture, Food &amp; Natural Resources</a>	<a href="#">Arts, Audio/Video Technology &amp; Communications</a>	<a href="#">Human Services</a>

**Start the Conversation**

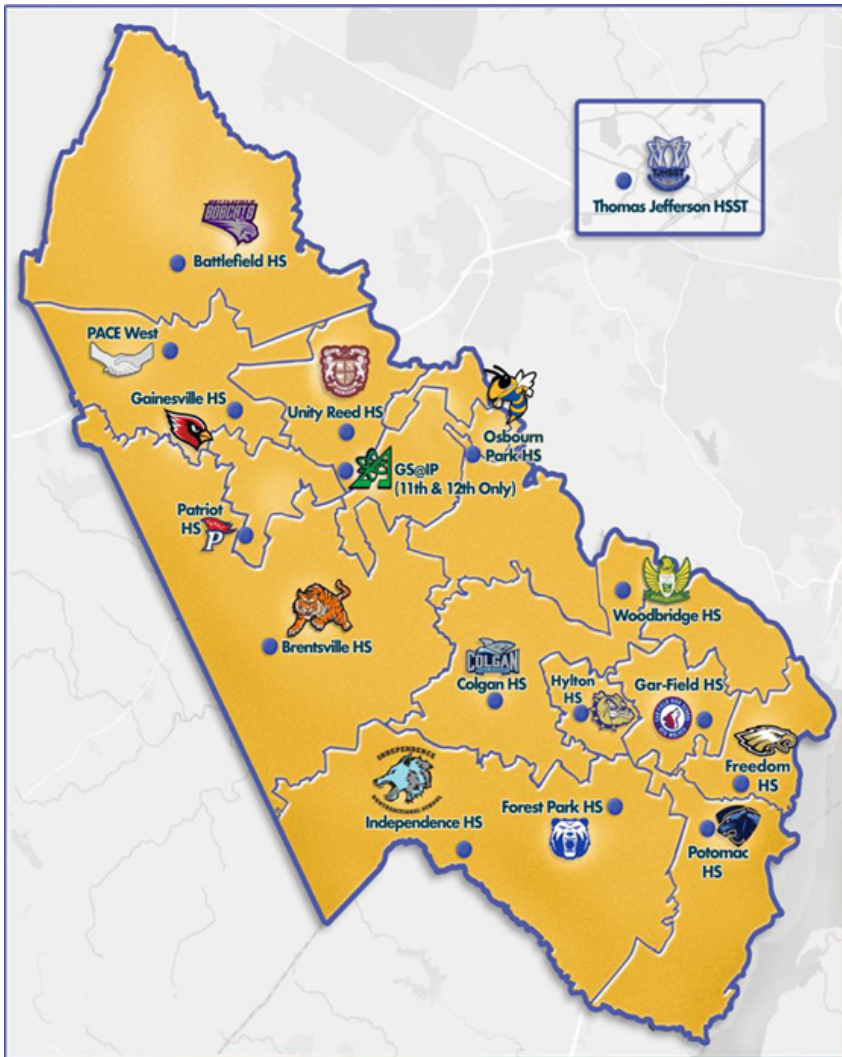
Which high school makes sense for you?

Consider your program opportunities and if you may be a good fit for a specific career pathway.

### Explore Career Pathways and Specialty Programs

[These pathways and programs](#) allow students the chance to prepare for postsecondary experiences.

### Map of PWCS High Schools



High School	Career Pathways and Specialty Program
Battlefield	Center for Applied Sciences, Interactive and Information Technology
Brentsville District	Agriculture, Cambridge Programme
Charles J. Colgan Sr.	Center for Fine and Performing Arts
Forest Park	Information Technology
Freedom	Center for Environmental and Natural Sciences, Medical Coding and Billing, Pharmacy Technician, Pre-Governor's School
Gainesville	Pathways to Global Citizenship
Gar-Field	Culinary Arts*, International Baccalaureate, Law and Public Safety, Plumbing
C.D. Hylton	Automotive Technology, Cabinetmaking, Center for International Studies and Languages, Television Production
Osborn Park	Automotive Technology, Biomedical Science, Biotechnology and Engineering, Practical Nursing*, Pre-Governor's School
Patriot	AP Scholars, Building Trades, Culinary Arts*, Television Production
Potomac	Cambridge Programme, Culinary Arts*, Cybersecurity, Welding
Unity Reed	Aviation Maintenance Technology, Cosmetology*, Electricity, Firefighting*, International Baccalaureate
Woodbridge	AP Scholars, Aviation Maintenance Technology, Cosmetology*

\* = Programs available for students in grades 11 and 12 only.

## Profile of a Graduate

To ensure students have the habits of mind to create a thriving future for themselves and their community, every PWCS student will develop the knowledge and skills throughout their pre-K-12 experience to graduate with the following qualities: Critical Thinker, Digital Citizen, Innovator and Visionary, Resilient and Global Collaborator.

### Think About It

What are some things that can help you succeed in school?



Carefully think about each of the suggestions below, and how you can implement them in your daily routine.

## Habits to Launch your Future

- Be engaged in class: This shows teachers and classmates that you're interested in learning. It's more than just showing up; it's about actively contributing, asking questions, and being open to new ideas.
- Strengthen your skills in math, reading, and writing: These are the basis for all other learning and are essential for your educational journey.
- Get your study materials in order: Staying organized can speed up your homework completion, reduce the risk of misplacing it, and guarantee that it's finished promptly, freeing up more time for activities you enjoy.
- Ask for help: It is okay to ask for assistance when you need support. You are not expected to have all the answers.
- Develop proactive testing habits: Study regularly, take mock tests, and manage time effectively during testing.
- Know yourself: Recognize your strengths and areas of growth. It's about being honest with yourself and continuously working on your social and emotional skills.
- Have a support system: Know who will cheer you on and who can help you process the successes and challenges.
- Challenge yourself: Challenges are opportunities to build your self-confidence and resilience. Every time you push your limits and succeed, you reaffirm your ability to overcome future obstacles. Trying is the first step toward achieving your goals.



## Mission Critical Launchpads

The launchpads below will help you develop the mindsets and behaviors for success.

Family Engagement	Attendance	High School Diploma	Tutoring
<p>PWCS is committed to building collaborative, trusting, and meaningful partnerships to foster the success of all students. <a href="#">PWCS Family Engagement</a>.</p>	<p>This is a crucial time to develop healthy habits with <a href="#">attendance</a> and timeliness. If you have barriers getting to school, please reach out to the school leadership team for support.</p>	<p>Diploma options available to students are based on the year the student enters 9th grade. Details can be found under <a href="#">Graduation Requirements and Diploma Options</a> in the Course Catalog.</p>	<p>Did you know that students in grades K-12 have access to free <a href="#">Varsity Online Tutoring</a> 24 hours per day, 7 days a week? Students can receive academic help in all subjects.</p>

## John's Action Steps

Below you'll find action steps for a variety of postsecondary plans designed to ensure success in high school and beyond. You can discuss these pathways with your counselor to help you decide which ones you might be best suited for.





**Get Moving**  
Post-High School Plans



Consider your postsecondary opportunities and which pathways might be a good fit and of interest right now.

## Prepare For Your Future

Take Action! Prepare for high school and beyond throughout the school year.

Transition to High School Action Steps	1. Learn about high school opportunities and get involved in clubs and extracurriculars.	2. Attend PWCS <a href="#">high school specialty programs</a> and <a href="#">GMU Early Identification Program (EIP)</a> information sessions.	3. Discuss postsecondary plans with your counselor and select classes that are aligned.	4. Attend transition events and get familiar with your high school.	5. If needed, <a href="#">expunge high school courses</a> that were taken during middle school.	
Career Connected Learning Action Steps	1. Reflect on your <a href="#">employability skills</a> and values. Take advantage of opportunities in CTE classes.	2. Attend <a href="#">career fairs</a> or workplace tours that can help you learn more.	3. Learn more about <a href="#">work-based learning</a> experiences.	4. Ask about <a href="#">credential and certificate</a> opportunities you can earn while in high school.	5. Consider pursuing an internship. These are offered for a variety of industries.	
College Action Steps	1. Every class counts. Challenge yourself in advanced courses where you feel strong.	2. Get involved in ways that are authentic to your interests, values, and passion.	3. Attend a <a href="#">PWCS College Fair</a> and research schools that offer your desired major.	4. Most <a href="#">scholarships</a> are available during a student's senior year.	5. End the year STRONG! Your final grades will impact your transcript and <a href="#">GPA</a> .	
Military Action Steps	1. All careers exist in the <a href="#">military</a> with opportunities through enlistment and beyond.	2. Scores from the <a href="#">ASVAB</a> exam can give you insight into careers.	3. Pass the physical! Your recruiter will discuss eligibility requirements with you.	4. Connect with a service enlistment counselor to identify the right job specialty.	5. Accept an offer through <a href="#">ROTC</a> , an academy appointment, or via the oath of enlistment.	
Apprenticeship Program Action Steps	1. Learn about different careers that offer <a href="#">apprenticeships</a> .	2. Find approved <a href="#">apprenticeship programs</a> as you build your career.	3. Review the application process and prepare for apprenticeship exams and interviews!	4. Complete the apprenticeship program applications by the deadline.	5. Maintain good work habits with a daily routine and organization.	