



COMMUNITY SCOOP

Birthdays

Kady Witt 11/7
Cooper Curtis 11/9

Trivia

What city on Earth receives the most snowfall annually?

Send answers to Amanda at
worleya@etsu.edu.

Last week's answer: Springwood Slasher
And Winner: Abby Bucknell

Monday Sessions:

November 10, 2025

January 26, 2026

February 23, 2026*

March 9, 2026

April 13, 2026

April 27, 2026

* February 23 is a make-up date in the event the January session is cancelled



Community Service Opportunity
November 22nd 10am-2pm
or/
December 6th 1pm-6pm
Location: Salvation Army
204 W. Walnut St. Johnson City

Activities include the packaging and distribution of gifts for Angels. Sign-up deadline November 14th by contacting Amanda via BAND, text, or email.

YOU CAN SIGN UP FOR 1 OR BOTH!

Seniors, this is a chance to work on Promise Hours!!

*Space is limited, and it's important that if you sign up, you can attend. They depend on us!

Be sure to sign up for our
Upward Bound Band!



College Spotlight: Vanderbilt University

Location: 1.5 miles from downtown Nashville, TN

Undergraduate Enrollment: 7,221

Student-faculty-ratio: 8:1

Classes with fewer than 50 students: 93%

Acceptance rate: 6%

ACT Range: 34-35

Tuition & Fees: \$71,226

****The Opportunity Vanderbilt Award provides a full-tuition scholarship for all students from households with income of \$150K or less.**

Career Spotlight: Social Worker

- **Degree Needed:** Bachelor's in Social Work (BSW)
- **Education Path:** Bachelor's degree program, typically 4 years (full-time) plus state licensure
- **Work Environment (examples):** Schools, hospitals, social service agencies
- **Some Things They Do:** Support people and families through challenges
- **Median Salary:** \$55,000

Why is Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) Important?

- 1 It improves academic performance
- 2 SEL skills are vital life skills
- 3 SEL skills make you good at making decisions
- 4 SEL skills improve the behavior of youth
- 5 SEL skills make for confident learners
- 6 SEL skills help people to build community
- 7 SEL skills make conflict resolution easier

Bus Schedule for November 10th Session

- **Bus #1** - Johnson County High School
 - Pickup @ 3:10 PM - Dropoff @ 8:15 PM
- **Bus #2** - Cloudland and Elizabethton High School
 - Pickup (Cloudland) @ 3:05 PM - Dropoff @ 7:55 PM
 - Pickup (Elizabethton) @ 3:40 PM - Dropoff @ 7:20 PM
- **Bus #3** - Unicoi and Happy Valley High School
 - Pickup (Unicoi) @ 3:20 PM - Dropoff @ 7:40 PM
 - Pickup (Happy Valley) @ 3:55 PM - Dropoff @ 7:15 PM
- **Bus #4** - Unaka and Hampton High School
 - Pickup (Unaka) @ 3:20 PM - Dropoff @ 7:45 PM
 - Pickup (Hampton) @ 3:30 PM - Dropoff @ 7:35 PM
- **Bus #5** - Doby's Bennett and West Ridge High School
 - Pickup (DB) @ 3:10 PM - Dropoff @ 8:00 PM
 - Pickup (West Ridge) @ 3:35 PM - Dropoff @ 7:35 PM
- **Bus #6** - TN, Sullivan East, and Science Hill High School
 - Pickup (TN High) @ 2:50 PM - Dropoff @ 8:05 PM
 - Pickup (Sullivan East) @ 3:10 PM - Dropoff @ 7:40 PM
 - Pickup (Science Hill) @ 3:50 PM - Dropoff @ 7:10 PM

