

Student Life Committee 2026.27



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Meeting date: Twice monthly roughly August-April

Monthly tuition: \$25/month (Aug-April)*

*payable to SG Student Life

Prerequisites: Student at SGA for at least one year, grades 9 - 12, application and selection process, servant leadership

Student Life Committee is made up of a group of upper-class student leaders who have a desire to grow in the area of leadership and also serve the SGA student body. They plan school-wide events with a desire to foster community and encourage friendships to develop amongst the students at SGA.

SLC is open to students in grades 9 - 12. Students are selected through an application process where the SLC Advisors and SGA administration review the applications and select the members, with the final decision made by the advisors.

The application is open to freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors who have been at SGA for at least one year, but preference will be given to junior and senior applicants if two equally qualified candidates apply. Additionally, full-time students will receive priority over part-time students.

Minimum requirements for SLC membership include:

1. Attendance at SGA for at least one year.
2. Minimum of 3.25 GPA.
3. Enrolled in 3 classes at SGA or Transcript student for the upcoming school year.
4. Time available to commit to SLC tasks and activities.
5. A strong servant leadership attitude, abilities, and work ethic.
6. Excellent communication skills.
7. Willingness to work as part of a team.
8. Past participation at and support of SLC events.
9. A heart to support, serve, and connect with the SGA community.
10. The recommendation of the Administration and Staff at SGA.

Expectations

Students will be expected to attend meetings twice monthly. These meetings are typically held for 2-hour sessions on Thursdays, but the final time slot will be decided according to the needs of the majority of the students and what is needed for upcoming events. Students also need to be able to commit time at home outside of meetings to work on their assigned tasks when

planning school events. Students should come with an attitude of teamwork and a creative mind, and with a willingness to serve the student body and promote community at SGA.

High School Credit

Students have the opportunity to earn a full elective credit (150 hours) or half elective credit (75 hours) through their participation in SLC. ****New for 2026.27, students will be logging their hours throughout the school year.** The exact procedures for adding an elective credit are explained in the Transcript Handbook or can be discussed with the transcript advisor. The final grade will be awarded by the SLC advisors.

Advisor Responsibility

The advisors oversee the student members and meetings, provide an adult presence at all meetings and events, and help to develop the qualities and characteristics of servant leadership in the SLC members. Ideally, the advisors will give more and more tasks away to the student members throughout the year as the students grow and take on more responsibilities as the year progresses.

Student Responsibility

Students should commit to attending all scheduled meetings in person. If a student must miss, please communicate in advance. Students should keep up with their assigned tasks and be team players with strong communication skills. Students should be willing to work with respect as part of a team. SLC is a commitment for the entire school year.

Parent Responsibility

Parents can encourage students to grow in their servant leadership, but there is no active involvement required on the part of parents other than transporting them to Thursday meetings if your student is not of driving age.