

Welcome from Student Government

Juniors, welcome to Science and Math!

On behalf of the entire NCSSM Community, NCSSM's Student Government (SG) would like to extend yet another welcome as you become a part of the amazing group of people that makes NCSSM so special.

Like many things at Science and Math, our Student Government isn't the same as what you would find in your home high schools.

NCSSM's Student Government is able to enact meaningful change that

impacts the lives of students in a variety of ways, and collaborate with all of the NC public universities in an attempt to more effectively solve problems that present themselves at all 17 UNC system schools.

In addition to this, SG is in charge of chartering and providing funding to all of NCSSM's clubs, organizing SG events (such as block parties and lock-ins), administering privilege (priv) cards, and meeting with various school administrators.

With NCSSM SGA, you truly have the power to enact

positive change!

Hopefully you're interested in becoming involved; if you are, there are lots of ways you can. Some are listed below.

Your first opportunity will be to run for Junior Senator, someone who represents the junior class - Details will be sent at the end of August and primary elections will take place on September 11th.

After the Junior Senator race, you will have the option to run for Dorm Senator, someone who represents their residence (done by building). Details will be sent in mid-September and elections will

take place on September 23rd.

All students, juniors and seniors, are invited to attend the first ever NCSSM SG Town Hall meeting on August 23rd.

All are also welcome to attend an SG Senate Meeting - typically held every Sunday at 7:15 PM in the Woolworth Room (beginning 8/23/15).

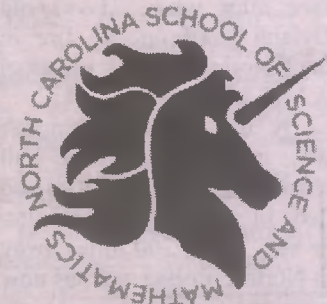
Finally, you are also encouraged to attend an SG Executive Board Meeting - typically held Thursdays during lunch in the Woolworth Room

We look forward to your involvement and hope that you

enjoy your exciting two years at the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics!

Sincerely,

NCSSM Student
Government



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A Message from the Editors-in-Chief

Dear Reader,

The Stentorian is NCSSM's primary student-run news source on campus, and is proud to publish the works of any students interested in journalism and media.

This year marks the 35th edition of what has become an important outlet for the NCSSM student body.

In past years, Unicorns have been unafraid to write about what is important to them and to share the voices they feel need to be heard.

Journalism today often

sways toward fulfilling political or financial goals, and away from true news. As this year's Editors-in-Chief, we plan to continue The Stentorian's reputation for excellence, and to provide important news to the student body.

NCSSM is often a place where students begin to step out of their comfort zones and search for meaning in the world around us. It is important that throughout our journeys into adulthood we develop a habit early on of avoiding biased learning and to attempt

to understand issues from all angles.

Navigating through the massive amount of media available to us can be difficult, and we hope to help students find their own news sources and strategies that they can rely on for real information.

This year, The Stentorian Editors-in-Chief will be teaching a Journalism seminar for any student wanting to learn more about the newspaper process and about how journalism and mainstream media affects our perception of local, national, and world

events.

While signing up for this seminar is certainly encouraged, it is not a requirement to be a contributor to the paper. Students are invited to write for The Stentorian regardless of experience level.

Simply join the Stentorian 2015-16 Facebook group to receive information about submission deadlines and to propose an article.

For more information about how to become involved as an editor, writer, or both, please feel free to email any of the

current editors or Editors-in-Chief listed in the bottom right corner.

Finally, thank you to all who have made their way through our first edition, and we hope you continue to be an excited and devoted reader in the months to come.

Sincerely,

The Editors-in-Chief:

AJ Goren
Max Schlenker
Cheryl Wang



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