Student Government Association (SGA) was established to be an avenue through which student interests and needs may be expressed. It provides students the opportunity to work with College administration officers in matters affecting the welfare of the student body. The SGA works with all student organizations to maintain and improve the quality of student life both on and off campus. The student body elects the SGA.

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CAB (Campus Activity Board) develops and executes a variety of social, cultural, & educational programs for all members of the college community. Any currently enrolled students interested in planning, producing and promoting activities should contact the Office of Student Life.

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The Settler, the campus newspaper, is published and distributed throughout the academic year. THE SETTLER is run exclusively by and for students. Many staff positions are filled by students enrolled in COM 292P. The advisor and the Coordinator of Student Activities select the Editor-in-Chief.

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Music Club was established to give students an opportunity to perform, discuss, and promote music both on and off campus.

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National Society of Leadership & Success (NSLS) is an honor society that allows students to create and implement academic and life goals. Students join by invitation only with the following requirements: 6 collegiate hours & a minimum GPA of 2.5.

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Phi Theta Kappa (PTK), the international honor society for two-year schools, was chartered on this campus in March 1998. The organization offers opportunities for community service and personal development. An invitation only organization, students must have earned 12 collegiate hours, have a GPA of 3.5 and be working towards a certificate or degree.

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Sigma Kappa Delta (SKD) English Honors Society is the action arm of the honors program: a student organization that seeks to represent those students in the honors program, by providing a means for students to meet, share ideas, and engage in collaborative learning.

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Vol State Student Veterans of America (VSVA) provides military veterans with resources support, and advocacy needed to succeed in higher education and post-graduation. The VSVA also provides camaraderie and networking resources among Vol State student veterans and their dependents. The VSVA is a charter member of the national SVA.

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Returning Students’ Organization (RSO) provides support and information, to student who have returned to school after several years of absence.

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Makerspace is the convergence of people who are artists, which includes all of the humanities, from music and painting, to DJs and digital graphics, and engineers who know how to construct physical and digital works through chemistry, physics, programming, and sculpting using the latest tools. We teach each other the skills that we have already harnessed in our own time, through workshops.

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Delta Psi Omega is an independent theatrical organization engaged in the study, production, and performance of theatrical pursuits.

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Volunteer State International Student Association (VISA) promotes the exchange of culture, traditions, and viewpoints of all students, faculty, and staff both Domestic and International.

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SPECTRUM proposes to create a more comfortable & open environment for all students regardless of sexual orientation around the Vol State campus. They shall unite students in a safe and fun atmosphere and promote acceptance in the community.

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College Democrats promote and foster the philosophy of the Democratic Party. Activities include voter registration and guest speakers.

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College Republicans serve to educate the Vol State Community on current political issues and help in the voter registration process. The goal is to aid in the election of Republican candidates at all levels of government.

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African-American Student Union (AASU) provides an exceptional opportunity for leadership development, camaraderie and friendship to members interested in African-American issues during weekly meetings along with a variety of programs.

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The National Association of Veterinary Technician’s in America (NAVTA) chapter promotes the Vet Tech Club, and exposes the students to more educational opportunities as well as the humane medical care and treatment of animals.

You must be in the Vet Tech Program to be a member.

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Dental Assistants serve as a public relations group for the Dental Assistants in the Middle Tennessee area. The club participates in social activities and educational seminars with the First District Dental Assistants Association. Students must be in the Dental Assistants Program to be a member.

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Team Change implements eco-friendly sustainable projects on the Volunteer State Community College campus and promotes awareness of environmentally friendly projects at the personal and community level.

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Vol State Cheerleaders create Vol State spirit and promote PIONEER PRIDE for all Vol State athletic events.

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AXIS, affiliated with First Baptist Church, provides an environment where all Vol State students are both encouraged and challenged to grow in their faith, as well as, reach Vol State’s campus and the community with the message of Jesus Christ.

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LHCollege is the college ministry of Long Hollow Baptist Church and has a mission to know God, find community, make disciples, and change the world, starting with the Vol State campus.

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E-Sports aims to organize students who enjoy watching and competing in the eSports arena.

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