

Old Boys

Camden Military Academy "Old Boys" are seniors who have been here since the 9th grade or earlier. This year seven of these cadets will be graduating with the Class of 2018. They all began their journey here at CMA as Privates and now are some of the highest leaders in the Corps of Cadets. We asked each cadet their favorite memory while being here at Camden.



Kurosh Badii-Flores (8th-12th)



Camden Military Academy has been a life changing experience. Since my arrival in 2013, I have noticed a significant improvement within myself academically and mentally. Although my first year was quite rough, I carried myself with a positive attitude in hopes of improvement, and this came to be true. For the next several years, it became more enjoyable to attend the school for several reasons, since I made multiple friends and gained several leadership positions. I was also involved in wrestling, cross country and track and I would have to say that I enjoyed running cross country the most. Overall, Camden was the best alternative I could've ever chosen. If I were in a public school, I would not have achieved such great accomplishments because of the environment.



James Seaborn Blair (9th-12th)



My favorite memory of CMA was all the great people I have met and all that I have experienced, like the time I went to DC and saw the Pentagon, Smithsonian Museum. We even went to see the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, and walked around Arlington Cemetery with LTC Brad Lawing who had guarded the Tomb, he knew Arlington like the back of his hand, that is something I won't forget.



Amadou Avners Diabate (9th-12th)



My experience at Camden Military Academy has changed me a lot. I have become more mature over these past 4 years, and I am very proud of how I have grown up. I would like to thank SGM Green and 1SG Irvin for supporting me over the course of my time here. Without them I would not be the Commander I am today. My best moment at CMA was every year during Thanksgiving break when the other International Cadets and I would go on a cruise with COL Boland, Coach Thomley, and his wife. Lastly I want to thank COL Boland and his wife for supporting me throughout these 4 years. I couldn't have done it without them.

