

PSAT

What is the PSAT?

The PSAT is a “practice” SAT test, which is offered to high school sophomores and juniors. It is not a required test. The next test will take place at East Hollywood on October 12, 2011.

Who should take the PSAT?

Sophomores and juniors who plan to attend college would benefit from taking the PSAT. In addition, juniors who score very well on the test will qualify for the National Merit Scholarship Program. This is a very prestigious national scholarship worth a lot of money.

All students who take the test will gain understanding of what it is like to take a college admissions test, and may benefit from the experience of taking a standardized test that is a “practice” before attempting the ACT or SAT for college.

How much does it cost?

The cost of the PSAT is \$13.00. There are fee waivers available for qualified JUNIORS only. Talk to Jennifer if you have any questions.

What is on the test?

The PSAT measured critical reading, math problem-solving and writing skills. It will not measure what you “know” (facts) but how well you can read, write and solve math problems. A practice test and more information are available when students sign up.

How do I sign up?

Students wanting to take the test should pay \$13 to Renae and get a practice booklet.