

WEST ORANGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents/Guardians of West Orange High School Sophomores and Juniors,

The Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) is a standardized test administered by the College Board and the National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC). The PSAT provides great practice for students planning to take the SAT as part of their college application process. The PSAT includes math, critical reading, and writing questions. The individual data received for each student provides valuable insight for improvement in preparation for the SAT. This exam also serves as the opportunity to qualify for the National Merit Scholarship Program for juniors who score within the eligible ranges.

West Orange High School will administer the PSAT on **Saturday, October 15, 2022** to all sophomore and junior students, free of charge. Please note: **This is the *only* date that WOHS will be offering the PSAT for the 2022-23 school year.**

Registration:

All students must pre-register to take the PSAT by **Thursday, September 15th at 6:00 PM**. No exceptions will be made after this deadline. In order to register, students should click [HERE](#).

Test Preparation:

It is essential for all test-takers to become familiar with the PSAT prior to testing. Click [HERE](#) to access the 2022 PSAT/NMSQT Student Guide. This guide includes exam information, test-taking tips, National Merit Scholarship information, and a full-length practice test. In addition, you may also visit the [College Board PSAT/NMSQT website](#).

All registered test-takers will receive additional communication one week prior to the test date with detailed information about room assignments, safety requirements, materials to bring on test day, and test security requirements as outlined by Collegeboard. If you have additional questions, please contact your child's school counselor.

Warm Regards,

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