

College Planning Resource Guide

College Planning Resources

College View

www.collegeview.com

Education Planner

www.educationplanner.org

Peterson's Guide

www.petersons.com

Educational Credit Management Corporation

www.ecmc.org

National Association for College Admission Counselors

www.nacac.com

College Board

www.collegeboard.com

Campus Tours

www.campustours.com

My College Calendar

www.mycollegecalendar.org

The College Portrait

www.collegeportraits.org

Council for Christian Colleges and Universities

www.cccu.org

Oregon Student Assistance Commission

www.osac.state.or.us

College Visits & Tours

College Video Tours

www.youniversitytv.com/colleges

Virtual Campus Tours

www.ecampustours.com

Virtual College Tours

www.campustours.com

Scholarship & Financial Aid Resources

Oregon Student Assistance:

www.oregonstudentaid.gov

Federal Student Aid

www.studentaid.ed.gov

Scholarship Search

www.scholarships.com

Scholarship Search Engine

www.fastweb.com

School & Scholarship Search

www.college-scholarships.com

College Board Scholarship Search

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search>

Smart Student Guide to Financial Aid

www.finaid.org

National Database of Scholarships

www.free-4u.com

Directory of Scholarships for Latinos

www.chci.org

College Scholarships

www.collegescholarships.org

Financial Aid Finder

www.financialaidfinder.com

Testing Resources

ACT

www.act.org

SAT & PSAT

www.collegeboard.com

Test Prep

www.majortests.com

Educational Testing Service

www.ets.org

Vocabulary Help

www.vocabulary.com

Free Practice Tests

www.princetonreview.com

PSAT

The Preliminary SAT®/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test is a co-sponsored program by the College Board and National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC). PSAT/NMSQT stands for Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. It's a standardized test that provides firsthand practice for the SAT Reasoning Test™. It also gives you a chance to enter National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) scholarship programs.

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The PSAT/NMSQT measures:

- critical reading skills
- math problem-solving skills
- writing skills

The most common reasons for taking the PSAT/NMSQT are:

- to receive feedback on strengths and weaknesses on skills necessary for college. You can then focus your preparation on those areas that could most benefit from additional study or practice.

- to see how your performance on an admissions test might compare with that of others applying to college.
- to enter the competition for scholarships from the National Merit Scholarship Corporation (grade 11).
- to help prepare for the SAT. You can become familiar with the kinds of questions and the exact directions you will see on the SAT.

All TLHS 9th-11th graders take the PSAT

www.collegeboard.com

SAT®

The SAT® is the nation's most widely used college admissions test. More than two million students take the SAT every year. It's what most colleges use to get to know you better. It helps them understand how you think, solve problems and communicate.

Register at www.collegeboard.com

Registration Fee: \$54.50

Test Date	Normal Deadline	Late Registration
May 7, 2016	April 8, 2016	April 22, 2016
June 4, 2016	May 5, 2016	May 20, 2016
October 1, 2016	September 2, 2016	Sept 16, 2016
November 5, 2016	October 7, 2016	October 21, 2016
December 3, 2016	November 4, 2016	November 18, 2016
January 21, 2017	December 23, 2016	January 6, 2017
March 11, 2017	February 10, 2017	February 24, 2017
May 6, 2017	April 7, 2017	April 21, 2017
June 3, 2017	May 5, 2017	May 19, 2017

ACT®

The ACT® test assesses high school students' general educational development and their ability to complete college-level work. The multiple-choice tests cover four skill areas: English, mathematics, reading, and science. The Writing Test, which is optional, measures skill in planning and writing a short essay.

Register at www.actstudent.org

Registration Fee: No Writing - \$39.50

Plus Writing - \$56.50

Test Date	Registration Deadline	(Late Fee Required)
September 10, 2016	August 5, 2016	August 6-19, 2016
October 22, 2016	September 16, 2016	September 17-30, 2016
December 10, 2016	November 4, 2016	November 5-18, 2016
February 11, 2017*	January 13, 2017	January 14-20, 2017
April 8, 2017	March 3, 2017	March 4-17, 2017
June 10, 2017	May 5, 2017	May 6-19, 2017