

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THE PSAT

A wealth of information about the test and practice opportunities can be found at www.collegeboard.com (click on the PSAT/NMSQT tab at the top of the page) or the sunglasses icon on the WHS web page (Understanding the PSAT scores under College Admission Testing).

AT THE SITES YOU CAN FIND INFORMATION ABOUT:

- Interpretation of scores
- Highlights of your strengths
- Use of your answer booklet to review your responses
- Explanation of correct answers to test questions
- Suggestions for improving your skills
- Translation of your PSAT scores to SAT scores
- Specific information about your educational plan

REMEMBER

- **All** students should take the test in grades 10 **and** 11 (Grade 10 is the practice and grade 11 qualifies students for the National Merit Scholarship Program).
- Understanding your scores can be found on the WHS website under the sunglasses icon or on the College Board website.
- Students take tests on critical reading, math, and writing.
- Students should practice and prepare for the test in advance.
- Parents and students should read the score report carefully and find out how to improve scores for the SAT assessment from the suggested plan.
- All college bound juniors should take the SAT and the ACT test **at least once** before June of the junior year.
- Please make an appointment with your counselor if you have further questions about your test.