

# PSAT at AHHS -Thursday, October 12, 2023

\*THE PSAT IS FULLY DIGITAL FOR ALL 9TH-11TH GRADERS THIS YEAR!

How is the PSAT 8/9 and/or the PSAT/NMSQT structured?

- The PSAT 8/9 and the PSAT/NMSQT are structured the exact same way and will take the exact same amount of time.
- The test will take 2 hours and 14 minutes and consists of 2 sections:
- SECTION ONE: Reading and Writing Section- 64 minutes - 54 questions
- SECTION TWO: Math Section - 70 minutes - 44 questions (calculator can be used on ALL questions)
- TOTAL - 134 minutes - 98 questions

How can I prepare for the PSAT ahead of time?

- Since the test is fully digital for all grade levels this year, digital practice is going to be the best way to prepare! And good news, College Board has several resources for digital practice!!
- Details on resources from College Board can be found at <https://satsuite.collegeboard.org/psat-nmsqt/preparing>

Practice with KHAN ACADEMY
Official Digital SAT Prep on Khan Academy is comprehensive, and available to all students!
You will find targeted lessons with practice questions/quizzes on Khan Academy. It will give you immediate feedback/answer explanations for every question! This is a great place to brush up on skills before taking the Bluebook Full Practice Test.
To access Khan Academy, go to this link: <a href="https://www.khanacademy.org/sat">https://www.khanacademy.org/sat</a> (Be sure to click the 2024 administration to practice the digital exam versions!)

Practice with BLUEBOOK
Take a free, full length practice test on Bluebook, or try a few sample questions in the test preview.
This is the EXACT TESTING APPLICATION that our students will use on testing day. Bluebook will let you practice the new exam, in the new format, in the new testing application. It will also score your practice test for you, so you can see how you are doing!
To access Bluebook, you will find that this app is already loaded into your student laptop! Students will open the app (update app if needed) and then sign in with their College Board account to access prep resources.



2. You can take a Full-Length Practice Test (exactly as it will be on PSAT testing day) and see your score!

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through the Manager application.

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the steps listed above to log into Bluebook.

Accessing the Khan Academy Resources?

1. Go to this link: <https://www.khanacademy.org/sat>