



You may read this letter to your scholars prior to the Pre-Administration

Dear 8th Grade Scholar:

You will take the PSAT™ 8/9 on Wednesday, October 12, 2022. This is a pressure-free way to start exploring your path to college and a future career. It helps you:

1. **Recognize strengths.** Your personalized online PSAT 8/9 score report will include detailed information on your strengths and areas for growth. It helps you lean into areas they are good at and identify places where you need to improve to be ready for college.
2. **Explore future careers.** Explore college majors and careers that align with your personal interests with Roadmap to Careers, a unique online tool created by Roadtrip Nation and the College Board. The tool connects you to potential careers based on the things they love, showing you where they can lead.
3. **Choose high school courses.** Knowing where you excel and what skills you should work on can help you choose other 9th- and 10th-grade classes. In addition, student score reports will suggest AP® courses that are a great match for you. AP can help you expand your thinking and even earn college credit while in high school, which could save you time and money in college.

You are encouraged to bring your own calculator on the day of the test; both scientific and graphing calculators are allowed. For more information, refer to the [2022 PSAT 8/9 Student Guide](#) (*Please remind scholars that this guide is placed on our school website, emailed to them and in Ms. Smith's Google Classroom for their review.*

Questions? To learn more about the PSAT 8/9, we invite parents and families to attend our [college planning, parent night, etc.] on [date, time, location]. For more details, visit our school website at [URL] or call xxx-xxx-xxxx.

Sincerely,



Principal