



Important Fall 2021 College Admission Practice Test Information

With College and Career Readiness Grant funding, Irvine Unified School District will be covering all costs related to the following college admission practice exams (See below). These exams will be free of charge to all families. Parents/students do not need to pre-register. All testing will occur on Wednesday, October 13, 2021 **in-person**. More information on the specific testing times will be disseminated prior to the examinations.

All **9th graders** will be taking the **PSAT 8/9** exam on October 13, 2021. The PSAT 8/9 is the first test in the SAT Suite of Assessments. Tightly aligned with SAT and PSAT/NMSQT, it establishes a baseline for college and career readiness. The PSAT 8/9 supports all students with early feedback on the skills and knowledge that matter most for college and career success. Additionally, the PSAT 8/9 gives each student personalized feedback about his/her academic strengths and weaknesses, helping each student to prepare for success in college and careers. **This exam will occur during the school day and in-person.**

All **10th graders** will be taking the **Pre ACT** exam on October 13, 2021. This practice exam simulates the ACT testing experience within a shorter test window on all four ACT test subjects: English, math, reading and science. Results predict future success on the ACT test, and provide both current achievement and projected future ACT test scores on the familiar 1-36 ACT score scale. **This exam will occur during the school day and in-person.**

All **11th graders** will be taking the **PSAT/NMSQT** exam on October 13, 2021. The PSAT/NMSQT measures readiness for college, offers access to scholarships, and provides practice for the SAT. **This exam will occur during the school day and in-person.**

If your student plans to take the “real” SAT, ACT or AP exams (not the practice versions), students will be responsible for registering for these exams independently.

SAT: www.collegeboard.org ACT: ACT.org