

SAT Day – Wednesday, March 4, 2020

On Wednesday, we will be administering the SAT exam to **all of our Juniors**. We will have an early-release “B-Day” schedule on Wednesday. Students not testing (9th, 10th, & 12th Grades) will follow the following bell schedule for the day:

Period 5: 8:15-9:17

Period 6: 9:22-10:24

Period 7: 10:20-11:31

Lunch: 11:31-12:08

Period 8: 12:13-1:15

Freshmen and Sophomores will report to all of their B-day classes as normal.

Seniors will report to all of their B-day classes as normal, although some students who are needing to complete graduation requirements (Essential Skills Work Samples & My Plan Essays) have been scheduled for special workshops that will happen during each period on that day (Participating students will be notified separately).

Juniors will be taking the SAT, and will not be reporting to any of their classes. The **standard administration** of the exam will take place in the Wilson high School Gym, and the **administration for students with accommodations** will take place at the Greater Portland Bible Church (2374 SW Vermont St.). Testing will begin at both sites at 8:15, so students need to arrive by 8:00. (Some students who are testing with accommodations will also be testing at the church on Thursday, March 5th - a separate communication is going out to these students).

Juniors who are testing in the WHS gym will be following a special testing schedule, and will be breaking for lunch **after** the test is finished. We will be making a snack available during one of the breaks. We will make arrangements with the cafeteria to ensure that lunch is available after the test for those students who need it. We anticipate finishing the test between 12:30 and 1:00. The standard administration schedule is as follows:

Reading: 65 minutes

Break: 10 minutes

Writing and Language: 35 minutes

Math (no calculator): 25 minutes

Break: 5 minutes

Math Test (w/ calculator): 55 minutes

Break: 2 minutes

Essay: 50 minutes

Dismissal / Lunch

NOTE: *(Students who did not participate in a Pre-Administration session prior to March 4th will need to stay to fill in the non-testing information on their answer sheet)*

A Note Concerning Cell Phones:

The College Board advises students not to bring their cell phones and/or electronic devices into the testing room. However, if students do bring their cell phones and/or devices with them, we will:

- ask students to confirm that their phone and other electronic devices are powered off before we allow them to enter the testing room.
- ask students to place their phone/device in their backpacks/bags and direct them to place their backpack/bags at the front of the room. *Students will not be able to access their backpacks until after testing is finished.*
- tell students to remove their No. 2 pencils, calculator, drinks, and snacks from their backpack/bags and take them to their seat.

The expectations around cell-phones will be clearly articulated to students on the day of the test. *Students who are found in violation of the College Board's policy, may be removed from the testing room and may have their test results voided.*

Students need to bring with them the following:

Student or picture ID

Two No 2 pencils

Calculator (Listed in the Student Guide they received or go to:

<https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/taking-the-test/calculator-policy>