## WILLIAM A. SHINE GREAT NECK SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear South High Community,

For the first time, the PSAT/NMSQT (Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test) will be offered as a digital test, and students will take the exam on their school-issued iPads via the Bluebook app.

The PSAT/NMSQT will be administered at South High School on **Thursday, October 12th**. All **juniors** considering attending college upon graduation from high school are encouraged to take the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test, which serves as practice for the SAT and as a qualifier for National Merit Scholarship consideration. The test is also being offered to **sophomores** to provide the experience before junior year standardized testing.

It is important to note that October 12th will be a typical school day with classes in session for students not taking the exam. This means students in all grades (9-12) not taking the exam will report to their regular classes. Specific exam locations have yet to be determined. Once exam locations (within South High) have been determined, further communication will be provided.

## ONLINE REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN:

FEES WILL BE COLLECTED ON <u>INFINITE CAMPUS Parent Portal</u> for **10th and 11th graders**. Payment of the fee is your registration. Registration is only complete once payment of the \$25 fee is received. <u>Payment instructions</u>

Registration closes on October 2nd at 2 PM.

Students must download the Blue Book app from the App Manager Moysle catalog on their iPads.

To access practice exams, they must create a College Board Account. Students will get their PSAT Ticket on Test Day. Please review the <u>PSAT student guide</u>

See your counselor if you have any questions regarding fees or accommodations.

PSAT Registration	OPEN NOW
Monday, October 2, 2023	PSAT Registration Closes at 2:00 pm
	PSAT Test Administration
Thursday, October 12, 2023	<ul> <li>Arrive at South High School at 7:30 AM</li> <li>Have Your School ID ready</li> <li>Bring <ul> <li>Charged iPad</li> <li>personal charger</li> <li>Calculator Optional (NONE WILL BE PROVIDED)</li> <li>Desmos Calculator is built into the digital test</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

If you have any questions regarding the PSAT, please view the attached presentation provided by the College Board or contact the PSAT Coordinator by email: <a href="mailto:hperetz@greatneck.k12.ny.us">hperetz@greatneck.k12.ny.us</a>

Warm Regards,

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