

Brookline High School **Guidance/Counseling Office**

The PSAT/NMSQT (Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test) will be administered at **Brookline High School on the morning of Saturday, October 16th from 7:45 am- 12:15 pm.**

The PSAT/NMSQT measures critical reading skills, math problem-solving skills and writing skills. Brookline High School recommends that juniors take the PSAT/NMSQT in order to receive feedback about strengths and weaknesses in verbal and mathematical abilities and be able to compare their performance with that of thousands of juniors across the country who also take the test. The PSAT helps prepare students for the SAT later on in their school experience. Lastly, juniors are also automatically entered into the National Merit Scholarship competition.

For the 2021 PSAT/NMSQT, students at Brookline High School will be registering online. This registration will take a few minutes and can be completed from any computer with internet access using the link: www.TotalRegistration.net/PSAT/220445

Brookline High School is excited to offer families the convenience of paying exam fees online at the time of registration. The cost to take the PSAT is \$20. Please be sure to have a **debit or credit card available before beginning registration.** Paying online is a great way to make sure that payment has been made while avoiding mailing payment.

As a junior, if you feel you qualify for a fee waiver, please indicate that on the online form or contact Ms. Hatzieftheriadis at her work email – Bonnie_hatz@psbma.org

Here are the important dates for the registration process:

- Monday, Sep 20, 2021 at 8:00 AM - Registration Begins
- Friday, Oct 8, 2021 at 11:59 PM - Registration Ends
- Wednesday, Oct 13, 2021 at 11:59 AM - Registrations that have not been paid for will be cancelled and exams will not be ordered.

Note for students with approved College Board testing accommodations, please email Ms Hatz to communicate your SSD# and confirm accommodations for this test.

Free PSAT practice questions will be available to you on the confirmation page of your registration.

On Saturday, 10/16 - please report to BHS by 7:45 am. You will be required to wear a comfortable mask throughout entry and testing. All COVID protocols continue so please do not come to testing if you exhibit symptoms or are diagnosed positive for COVID.

Bring #2 pencils and a calculator. Students should bring a photo ID (new BHS Student ID or passport). We suggest bringing your ID to follow typical protocol since you will not be admitted to future SAT/ACT exams without one.

Please contact Ms. Bonnie Hatzieleftheriadis at Bonnie_hatz@psbma.org, if you have questions or require financial assistance.