

UPDATES FROM PHS COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

UPCOMING DATES:

ACT deadline for all October tests is Sept. 17 – late registration is Sept. 25

SAT deadline for Nov. 7 test is Oct. 7

Fall Break – October 9-16

Senior Pictures – October 22 Time: 2-5 PM \$25

PSAT – October 29 (all sophomores test for free, juniors and freshmen are \$17) Sign up with Mrs. Newell in the counseling office by September 21.

SAT deadline for Dec 5 test is Nov 5

DISTANCE LEARNERS

Students in grade 10 in Georgia take the PSAT test free of charge. Students in other grade levels must pay the \$17 testing fee. For juniors, the PSAT/NMSQT is the qualifying test for the National Merit Scholarship Program. In order to participate, distance learners will have to report to a testing site, to be determined, and current guidelines to include wearing masks and social distancing will be followed. This testing site may or may not be your school, but will be located in Houston County. Transportation to the site will not be available. Please understand that the situation is fluid, and changes in testing dates or testing availability may be necessary due to public health and safety considerations.

In order to plan for testing, distance learning students that wish to participate **must** register to test by clicking on the link below and completing the form. **The deadline to register is 5:00 on Monday, September 21.** You can learn more about the PSAT/NMSQT at www.collegeboard.com/psat.

Response Link: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=8pCcKuGIREOx-Fa-gHHqEZe7wz-dke9KmpJEQbnL3I5UMUFSTUJMTTY5VFRZVkJwVUJSTTQxNFY1WC4u>

All students using Odysseyware or APEX should be at least 25% complete with each course in which they are enrolled by 9/18. Classes must be complete by the end of the semester.

Technical issues with Odysseyware or APEX? Call 478-988-6145! Issues with your class, email your teacher! Don't wait!