

# FRESHMEN, SOPHOMORES AND JUNIORS TEST IN APRIL

## SAT

Juniors are preparing to take the state-funded SAT on Tuesday, April 9, 2019. The SAT is required for receipt of a regular high school diploma. Because SAT will be administered as the state assessment in high school, it fulfills the requirement of the Illinois School Code that students take the state assessment in order to receive a regular high school diploma, unless eligible to take the alternative assessment or otherwise exempt from testing. The SAT is used by many colleges and universities as an entrance assessment.

<i>SAT National Test Dates</i>	<i>Registration Deadline</i>	<i>Late Registration</i>
May 4, 2019	April 5, 2019	April 16, 2019
June 1, 2019	May 3, 2019	May 3, 2019

## PSAT 8/9 and PSAT 10

To help our freshman and sophomore students prepare for the SAT, District 211 will administer additional assessments that are aligned with the SAT – the PSAT 8/9 and the PSAT10. On April 9, sophomore students will take the PSAT10. On April 10, freshman students will take the PSAT 9. Performance results on these assessments will help improve our curriculum and instruction to ensure that all students are college and career ready. Both of these assessments measure student proficiency in reading, language and writing, and math. You can learn more about these assessments at <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/psat-nmsqt-psat-10>.

Please mark your calendars. Bus transportation will be available for those who normally use bus service to school and back according to their schedule.

	<i>Freshmen</i>	<i>Sophomores</i>	<i>Juniors</i>	<i>Seniors</i>
<b>Tuesday, April 9, 2019</b>	Do not report to school	PSAT 10 administration, sophomore students report to school	SAT administration, junior students report to school	Do not report to school
		Students will be dismissed approximately at 12:30 p.m.		
<b>Wednesday, April 10, 2019</b>	PSAT 9 administration, freshmen students report to school. Students will be dismissed approximately at 11:00am/11:55am	Do not report to school	Do not report to school	Do not report to school

## April 15-26, 2019 Illinois Science Assessment (ISA)

The Illinois Science Assessment (ISA) is a state required science assessment administered to students enrolled in Biology I (S131, S137, and S138). The assessment is aligned to the Illinois Learning Standards for Science incorporating the Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS). Visit <https://www.isbe.net/Pages/Illinois-Science-Assessment.aspx> for more information. The Illinois Science Assessment will be administered within a single period during a student's regularly scheduled Biology class between the dates of April 15 – 26, 2019.