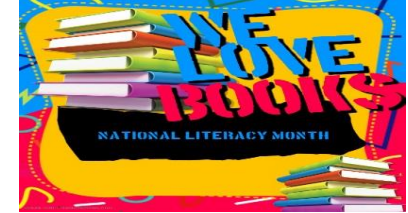




# PPS Student Support Services

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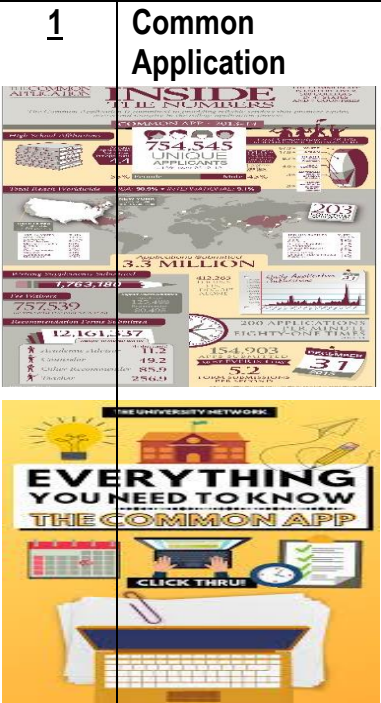

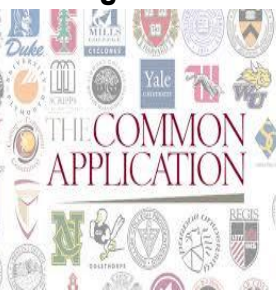

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| Number | Scholarships  | Criteria   | Deadline   |
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| 1      |  | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Scholarship Hyperlinks are ACTIVE in PPS's Naviance Platform</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must be a Class of 2023 graduating Senior</li> <li>Apply to almost 900 colleges &amp; universities using one application.</li> <li>Applicants will need to be able to provide &amp; respond to statements addressing the following pertinent categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A copy of your high school transcript</li> <li>A list of your activities, work, and family responsibilities</li> <li>Test scores and dates from your college entrance exams (SATs, ACTs, etc.)</li> <li>Parent/Legal guardian information</li> <li>Academic honors and achievements</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>To begin, students must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand that filling out your application takes time</li> <li>Choose your registration type. If you are applying to college for the first time you'll select the "First Year Student" button.</li> <li>Provide your login credentials. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make sure you use an email address you check often. This is the email the Common App and colleges will use to get in touch with you.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Complete your registration information. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We will need some basic information about you like your name, home address, phone number, and date of birth.</li> <li>Be sure to use your legal name as it appears on official school documents and standardized tests. This will make sure colleges can match documents to the correct person.</li> <li>At the end, you will adjust your communication preferences and accept the Common App privacy policy.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Select "Create Account" to complete your account.</li> </ul> <p>Apply at: <a href="https://www.commonapp.org/">https://www.commonapp.org/</a></p> |  <p><b>Opens— August 2023</b></p>  <p><b>My Checklist</b></p>  |

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### Coalition College Application



### What is the Coalition?

- We're more than 150 top colleges and universities committed to improving access to higher education.
- Each of our member schools works to make college affordable and ensures students graduate on time. Most graduate students with no or low debt.

### Coalition Application:

- Start your application as early as ninth grade to get a head start. Then apply to any of the 150+ Coalition member schools, easily and efficiently. Remember, Coalition schools are committed to making college affordable and helping you find success.

### Coalition Locker:

- This is your private, unlimited digital space where you can collect and organize important materials, such as documents, photos, and videos, as a record of your high school experience. Items you store in your secure, cloud-based Locker can easily be submitted as part of your application to Coalition schools.

### Collaboration Space:

- A virtual area in which you can connect with trusted adults, like counselors, teachers, and family members, and ask for their input on your college preparations. Here, you and your supporters can collaborate on things like college lists, essays, or applications.

Apply at: <https://www.coalitionforcollegeaccess.org/>



### Ongoing



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### Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)



1. Check basic eligibility requirements for financial aid: Start by reviewing and understanding the basic eligibility criteria for federal financial aid. At minimum, you must

- ❖ Be a U.S. citizen or an eligible noncitizen (including a U.S. national or permanent resident) and have a valid Social Security number.
- ❖ Have a high school diploma or GED certificate.
- ❖ Be enrolled or accepted as a student in an eligible degree or certificate program.

2. Submit the FAFSA

- ❖ To receive any type of federal financial aid, you must next file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid, known as the FAFSA. You'll provide details about your financial situation and family circumstances to verify your need and eligibility for financial aid.

3. Maintain satisfactory academic progress--An SAP may require you to:

- ❖ Earn a minimum GPA.
- ❖ Receive a certain percentage of attempted credits.
- ❖ Stay on track to complete your degree within a specified time frame.

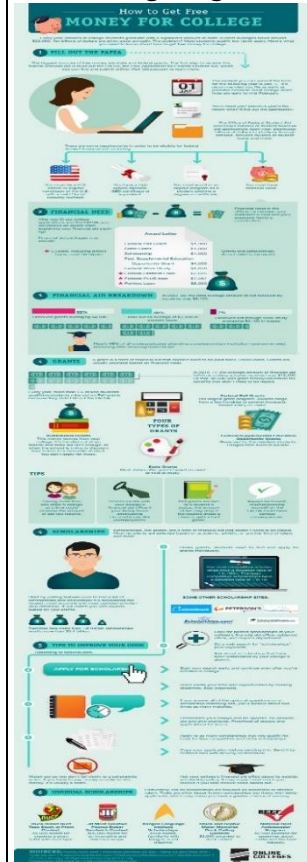
4. Demonstrate financial need--The Office of Federal Student Aid uses the information from your FAFSA to determine your financial need, or how much aid — and what types — you'll receive. Your financial need is calculated by subtracting your EFC from your school's cost of attendance. If you qualify, you might receive need-based aid such as:

- ❖ **Federal Pell Grants:** This aid helps cover educational costs for students who demonstrate "exceptional financial need" and don't already have a bachelor's or professional degree. Pell Grants range up to \$6,195 for 2019 to 2020, and they don't need to be repaid. Terms may apply.
- ❖ **Federal work-study:** This program subsidizes eligible students' wages at part-time jobs with federal funds, generally at jobs related to the student's course of study or in the public interest. Work-study aid does not need to be repaid and may be used as the student chooses.
- ❖ **Subsidized direct loans:** These federal loans must be repaid, but the interest is subsidized by the government while you're in school, during your six-month grace period after leaving school or during periods of loan deferment.

**Pell Grant Maximum Award:** \$7,395.00

Apply at: [https://fafsa.ed.gov/spa/fafsa/#/LOGIN?locale=en\\_US](https://fafsa.ed.gov/spa/fafsa/#/LOGIN?locale=en_US)

### Ongoing



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# College Board's SAT Registration



Registrations FYI.... Any student with an existing College Board account should sign-in with their login credentials (username & password), if not, please create a College Board login credentials....then complete the registration pathway.

In light of COVID-19 & Remote Learning conditions, please be aware the following tidbits:

- ❖ College Board has a test center look up tool organized by test date.
- ❖ Results will vary based on the date selected, so remember to toggle dates to see all options in your area.
- ❖ Not all test centers have available seats.
- ❖ You will be able to see up to date seat availability within the SAT registration process. So.....



### How to REGISTER:

1. [Sign in to your free College Board account.](#) Your parent or counselor can't register for you.
2. Provide your full, legal name and other identifying information. Make sure it's the exact same name and information shown on your photo ID.
3. Decide if you want to answer other questions about yourself. This takes time, but it's worth it if you want colleges and scholarship organizations to find you. [Learn why you should opt in to Student Search Service®.](#)
4. Decide whether to sign up for the SAT with Essay. [See which colleges recommend or require it.](#)
5. Upload a photo that meets very specific [photo requirements.](#)
6. Check out, and print your Admission Ticket.

**Cost:** \$52.00 or SAT Fee Waiver

**Register at:** <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register/dates-deadlines>



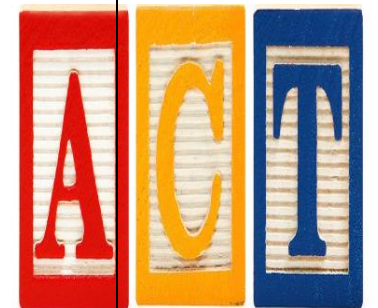
### Education Facts

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| Serving Size: 1 SAT Test               |                     |
| Servings per container: 1 (or 2, or 3) |                     |
| Minutes 225                            | Minutes of break 20 |
|  | % Daily Value       |
| Reading                                | 33%                 |
| Math                                   | 33%                 |
| Writing                                | 33%                 |
| Year established                       | 1926                |
| Grading scale (no essay)               | 1600                |
| Test takers (2014)                     | 1.67 ml             |



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# ACT Registration



Registrations FYI.... Any student with an existing ACT Student account should sign-in with their login credentials (username & password), if not, please create an ACT Student login credentials....then complete the registration pathway.

In light of COVID-19 & Remote Learning conditions, please be aware the following tidbits:

- ❖ ACT has a test center look up tool organized by test date.
- ❖ Results will vary based on the date selected, so remember to toggle dates to see all options in your area.
- ❖ Not all test centers have available seats.
- ❖ You will be able to see up to date seat availability within the ACT registration process. So.....

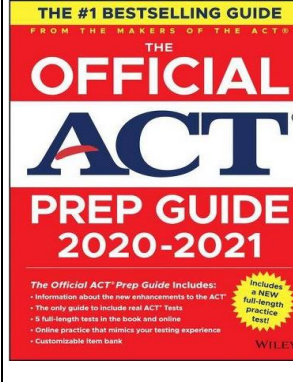


### How to REGISTER:

1. [Sign in to your free ACT Student account.](#) Your parent or counselor can't register for you.
1. Provide your full, legal name and other identifying information. Make sure it's the exact same name and information shown on your photo ID.
2. Decide if you want to answer other questions about yourself. This takes time, but it's worth it if you want colleges and scholarship organizations to find you.
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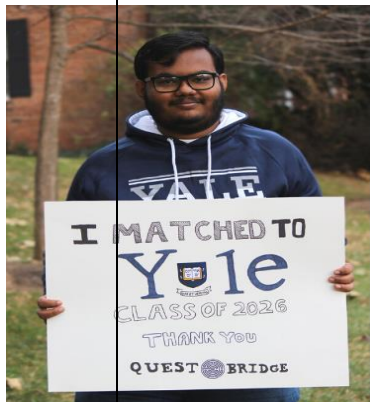
**Cost:** \$55.00 or ACT Fee Waiver

**Register at:** <https://www.act.org/content/act/en.html>



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**Quest Bridge College Match Scholarship**



**Eligibility Requirements:**

Class Year Eligibility--In order to be eligible to apply to the National College Match in the Fall of 2024, applicants must graduate from high school during or before the summer of 2024 and plan to enroll as a first-year student in college in the Fall of 2024.

**Academic Criteria**

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| Grades and rigor of high school curriculum | Primarily A's in the most challenging courses available (usually including Honors, AP, and/or IB level courses).  |
| Class rank                                 | Top 5-10% of graduating class.  |
| Standardized test scores (if taken)        | SAT score >1260<br>ACT composite score >27<br><br>We encourage students to report any SAT, ACT, AP, IB, TOEFL, or SAT Subject Test scores available.<br><br>Please note that test scores are not required to apply, and around 50% of QuestBridge applicants in the past year did not have test scores. All applications are reviewed holistically, so students who have not taken standardized tests can still be selected as Finalists; however, they should ensure they meet the <a href="#">standardized testing requirements</a> for each college partner they're interested in. |
| Additional criteria                        | Evidence of strong writing ability, intellectual spark, and determination.  |

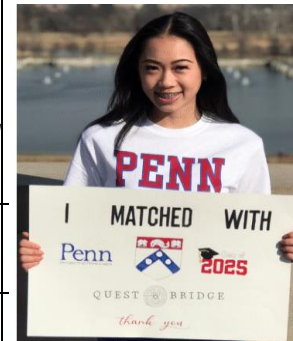
**Financial Qualifications**

Finalists typically come from households earning less than \$65,000 annually for a typical family of four and have minimal assets. This is not a strict cut-off and we encourage students who feel they have faced significant financial hardship to review these financial criteria carefully to see if they may qualify.

**Personal Circumstances**

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| Parents' level of education                           | 76% of Finalists are among the first generation in their family to attend a four-year college in the U.S.   |
| Activities, including home or family responsibilities | Participation in extracurricular, community, or other activities. <i>Activities may include home or family responsibilities, such as part-time jobs to help pay bills, or caring for siblings if parents are absent or at work.</i> |
| Honors, awards, and achievements                      | Accomplishments and leadership roles in extracurricular or other activities.  |
| Personal traits                                       | Strength in character and motivation to succeed.  |

September 26, 2023



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| <p><u>7</u></p>  | <p><b>Pittsburgh Promise Scholarship</b></p>     | <p>To earn The Promise scholarship, students must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Be enrolled in Pittsburgh Public Schools*, or one of its charters, continuously, since at least the beginning of 9th grade,</li> <li>✓ Be residents of the City of Pittsburgh, continuously, since at least the beginning of 9th grade, and</li> <li>✓ Graduate from a PPS high school with a minimum cumulative, unweighted grade point average of 2.50 and an attendance record of 90% or above.**</li> </ul> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://pittsburghpromise.org/the-scholarship/apply/">https://pittsburghpromise.org/the-scholarship/apply/</a></p> <p><b>For More Information:</b> Contact <a href="mailto:info@pittsburghpromise.org">info@pittsburghpromise.org</a>, 1901 Centre Avenue, Suite 204, Pittsburgh, PA 15219, or 412.281.7605.</p>  | <p><b>May 1, 2024</b></p>    |
| <p><u>8</u></p>  | <p><b>The Promise Extension Scholarship</b></p>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Students who graduate from high school and meet the residency, enrollment, and attendance requirements, but have a cumulative, unweighted GPA of 2.0-2.49, are eligible to enroll in The Promise Extension program.</li> <li>✓ These students must use their scholarships at CCAC or a Preferred College Partner, complete 18 credits per year, and maintain a 2.0 GPA.</li> <li>✓ Those who complete a full year with an extension scholarship become fully Promise eligible and may enroll in any Pell-eligible post-secondary program in Pennsylvania.</li> <li>✓ Eligible students may enroll anytime during the 5 years following high school graduation.</li> </ul> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://pittsburghpromise.org/the-scholarship/apply/">https://pittsburghpromise.org/the-scholarship/apply/</a></p> <p><b>For More Information:</b> Contact <a href="mailto:info@pittsburghpromise.org">info@pittsburghpromise.org</a>, 1901 Centre Avenue, Suite 204, Pittsburgh, PA 15219, or 412.281.7605.</p>   | <p><b>May 1, 2024</b></p>  <p>CREATING A FUTURE BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL</p>  |
| <p><u>9</u></p>  | <p><b>University of Pittsburgh</b></p>          | <p><b>Application Checklist:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✚ Complete your online application for admission. This can be the University of Pittsburgh Application, the Common Application, or the Coalition Application—we accept all three and do not prefer one over the other.</li> <li>✚ Pay your \$55 application fee</li> <li>✚ Submit your Self-Reported Academic Record (SRAR). Completing the SRAR is easy—just fill it out to match your transcript exactly.</li> <li>✚ Although Pitt is a test-optional, you can submit your Official SAT or ACT results. (Test optional until Fall 2025)</li> <li>✚ We ask interested applicants to answer a series of optional short answer questions.</li> <li>✚ Copy of an official high school transcript</li> <li>✚ Likewise, letters of recommendation are optional but recommended.</li> </ul> <p>***Applicants are considered and informed of admission decisions on a first-come, first-served basis.</p> <p><b>Fees Incurred:</b> There is a \$55.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://admissions.pitt.edu/first-year-student/">https://admissions.pitt.edu/first-year-student/</a></p> | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>    |
| <p><u>10</u></p> | <p><b>Carnegie Mellon University</b></p>       | <p><b>Required Application Materials:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Complete the application via Common App</li> <li>▪ \$75 application fee*</li> <li>▪ Official high school transcript (please review our Academic Requirements).</li> </ul> <p>***Applicants must provide proof of meeting all requirements for an official high school diploma, by the end of May of the year of graduation, and submit an official final transcript.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ All required standardized SAT &amp; ACT official score reports</li> <li>▪ Secondary School Counselor Evaluation</li> <li>▪ Teacher Recommendation</li> <li>▪ Carnegie Mellon Common Application Writing Supplement, which includes three short answer questions.</li> </ul> <p>*Common Application essay</p> <p><b>Fees Incurred:</b> There is a \$75.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://admission.enrollment.cmu.edu/pages/undergraduate-admission-requirements">https://admission.enrollment.cmu.edu/pages/undergraduate-admission-requirements</a></p>   | <p><b>November 1, 2023</b><br/>(Early Decision)</p> <p><b>January 3, 2024</b><br/>(Early &amp; Regular Decision)</p>  |

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Villanova University



**Freshman Admissions Requirements:** Villanova University is a member of the Common Application. A complete application for admission will include:

- Common Application with essay
- Villanova requires a non-refundable \$80 application fee (paid via the Common Application).
- Request that your secondary school counselor in order for them to complete the Secondary School Report and submit to Villanova along with a copy of your official transcript.
- Optional: Request that your secondary school counselor in order for them to complete a letter of recommendation on your behalf.
- Request one recommendation from a secondary school teacher who has taught you during your high school career.
- Ask your school counselor to submit a Mid-year Report with grades or a transcript for your first semester or first trimester of senior year as soon as they are available.
- Submit SAT and/or ACT results for consideration when submitting their applications.

**Fee incurred:** There is an \$80.00 non-refundable application fee. Eligible applicants may secure a fee waiver through the College Board (SAT), ACT or NACAC.

**Apply at:** <https://www1.villanova.edu>

November 1, 2023

(Early Decision)

January 15, 2024

(Regular Decision)



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Lehigh University



**Freshman Admissions Requirements:**

- Lehigh accepts the Common Application and Coalition Application
- School Report (including counselor recommendation), Official High School Transcript & Teacher Recommendation (one)...Electronic submission from your school through the Common Application website or Coalition Application website is accepted and encouraged.
- Official ACT or SAT scores-- (Test optional INDEFINITELY!)
- Mid-year School Report and Transcript: Please ask your school to submit this once the first semester is completed.
- Final School Report and Transcript: Please submit after graduation. Transcripts must have the high school seal and/or official signature and be from a high school with a CEEB code.

**Fee Incurred:** There is a \$70.00 application fee—paid via Common App or Coalition App w

**Apply at:** <https://www1.lehigh.edu>. Send final school reports and transcripts to the Enrollment Services Center, 218 West Packer Ave, Bethlehem, PA 18015.

November 1, 2023

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January 1, 2024

(Regular Decision)



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Swarthmore College



**Freshman Admissions Requirements:**

- First-year applicants may apply to Swarthmore via the Common Application or QuestBridge Application.
- Swarthmore College Short Answer: As part of the Common or Coalition Application, you will be asked to submit no more than 250 words in response to a short answer question.
- \$60 application fee or fee waiver\* \*School report
- School counselor recommendation \*High school transcript
- Test Optional- SAT/ACT scores for Fall 2024 admissions
- Midyear grades: If your school does not have midyear grades, please provide a midyear progress report from your teachers.
- Two academic-subject teacher recommendations/evaluations

**Fee Incurred:** There is a \$60.00 application fee.

**Apply at:** <https://www.swarthmore.edu/>. Your school documents must be submitted directly from a school official, including teacher recommendations and transcripts. School officials can submit these documents via the Common Application, Coalition Application, QuestBridge, Naviance, or Parchment/Docufide.

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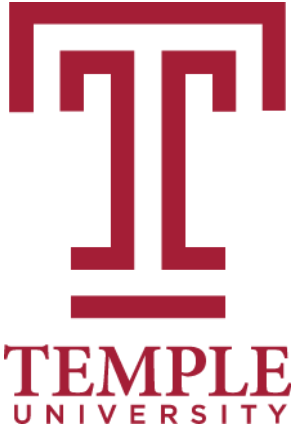




(Early Decision)









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January 3, 2024

(Regular Decision)



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| <p><b>14</b></p> | <p><b>Temple University</b></p>    | <p><b>How to apply:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Apply via the Common Application. Shortly after you submit your Common Application, you'll receive an email to activate your TU Portal account where you'll need to take the following steps to complete your application.</li> <li>2. Submit your self-reported high school transcript.</li> <li>3. Confirm your SAT or ACT scores have been received, if you chose to submit them.</li> <li>4. Provide any additional information or materials you may be asked to submit.</li> </ol> <p>****Your application will be complete and ready for our admissions team to review as soon as all of the above information is received.</p> <p><b>WHAT WE CONSIDER:</b> There are several factors we consider when reviewing applications. Get an idea of what we are looking for by reviewing the following items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ High School Performance.....</li> <li>▪ Standardized Test Scores (Test-Optional for Fall 2024)</li> <li>▪ Application Essay—it's key to your application and is part of the Common Application.</li> <li>▪ Extracurricular Activities—Your outside interests help paint the full picture of who you are and can factor into the review process.</li> <li>▪ Letters of recommendation (Optional)—Your letters should be submitted by individuals who can speak to your academic abilities and personal accomplishments, such as a high school advisor or teacher.</li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> There is a \$55.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://admissions.temple.edu/apply/first-year-students">https://admissions.temple.edu/apply/first-year-students</a>. Students should apply via Common App.</p> | <p><b>November 1, 2023</b><br/>(Early Decision)<br/><b>February 1, 2024</b><br/>(Regular Decision)</p>  |
| <p><b>15</b></p> | <p><b>Chatham University</b></p>  | <p><b>First-year student applicants</b> must submit the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Completed application for admission</li> <li>✓ Official high school transcripts</li> <li>✓ No SAT or ACT test scores are necessary to receive full admission review. All special programs will waive test score requirements this year; this includes honors, integrated degree programs (IDPs) and all premier scholarship programs</li> <li>✓ Recommended tasks: Essay or writing sample &amp; one or more letters of recommendation from guidance counselor or teachers. A well written essay and one letter of recommendation is optional but strongly recommended to complete the application.</li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> There is a \$35.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.chatham.edu/admission-and-aid/undergraduate/index.html">https://www.chatham.edu/admission-and-aid/undergraduate/index.html</a></p>  | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>    |
| <p><b>16</b></p> | <p><b>Gannon University</b></p>  | <p><b>Freshman Admissions Requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Step 1:</b> Submit your Admissions Application--Submit your Admissions Application using one of the following methods: Gannon's Online Application, The Common Application (freshmen), OR Print a Freshman Application</li> <li>▪ <b>Step 2:</b> Complete the Gannon Net Price Calculator</li> <li>▪ <b>Step 3:</b> Request your High School Transcripts</li> <li>▪ <b>Step 4:</b> Submit your Official SAT/ACT Scores</li> <li>▪ <b>Step 5:</b> Submit a Personal Statement (Optional)-- Submit a one-page response to either one of the following: 1) How have you applied a classroom lesson to your daily life? OR 2) Ask and answer one question that you wish we had asked you.</li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> There is a \$25.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.gannon.edu/">https://www.gannon.edu/</a></p>  | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>  <p><i>Believe in the possibilities</i></p>                   |

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| <p><u>17</u></p> | <p><b>Robert Morris University</b></p>        | <p><b>Freshman Admissions Requirements:</b><br/> Along with an official RMU application, students seeking to enroll as first-time freshmen must submit:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Official high school transcripts showing all grades and GPA, or a General Equivalency Diploma (GED). Preference is given to students with a 3.0 GPA or higher.</li> <li>• Class of 2024 students enrolling in Actuarial Science, Education, Engineering, Nursing, Nuclear Medicine Technology and Statistics and Predictive Analytics can submit (test-optional) official SAT or ACT test scores to RMU by June 1, 2024. Students who do not submit test scores prior to June 1, 2024, which meet the set requirements for their intended program, will be placed in the undecided major.</li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> None. There is no application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.rmu.edu/admissions/undergraduate">https://www.rmu.edu/admissions/undergraduate</a></p>  | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>    |
| <p><u>18</u></p> | <p><b>Penn West--Edinboro University</b></p>  | <p><b>How to apply:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Apply online via Edinboro University's Direct Application or via the Common App.</li> <li>▪ Submit SAT or ACT scores sent directly to Edinboro University (Test Optional through Fall 2024).</li> <li>▪ Submit your official H/S transcript.</li> <li>▪ Submit official AP scores</li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> There is a \$30.00 admissions application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.edinboro.edu/admissions/apply/">https://www.edinboro.edu/admissions/apply/</a>. Mail requested documents to PennWest Edinboro, Undergraduate Admissions Office, 200 East Normal Street, Edinboro, PA 16444</p>  | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>    |
| <p><u>19</u></p> | <p><b>Point Park University</b></p>          | <p><b>Application Requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✚ Completed application form. Apply Online Free. (no fee, no deadline and no early decision)</li> <li>✚ Official SAT OR ACT results (test scores printed on transcripts are accepted, and both tests are NOT required) or fulfill requirements for test optional Fall admissions</li> <li>✚ Official high school transcript or G.E.D. results</li> <li>✚ Official college transcript if taking college-level courses while in high school</li> <li>✚ A personal essay (optional). (refer to the Personal Essay page for further instruction)</li> <li>✚ Letters of recommendation and resume (optional). There is no separate form for guidance counselors or recommendation letters.</li> </ul> <p><b>Application Fee:</b> None. There is no application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.pointpark.edu/">https://www.pointpark.edu/</a>. Students can apply either via Pioneering Spirit or through Common App. All documents may be sent under separate cover to :Point Park University, Office of Admissions, 201 Wood Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15222</p> | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>   |
| <p><u>20</u></p> | <p><b>Cheyney University</b></p>            | <p><b>Freshman Admissions Requirements:</b><br/> Applicants to undergraduate programs are evaluated using several criteria, including the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grade-point average— To submit your high school transcript, click on the Parchment Electronic Transcript link</li> <li>▪ Test-Optional Standardized test scores (SAT or ACT) for Fall 2024 Admissions,</li> <li>▪ Class rank, and academic curriculum (Strength of curriculum).</li> <li>▪ Although optional, letters of recommendation and an essay are strong encouraged.</li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> There is a \$25.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://cheyney.edu/admissions/apply-today/">https://cheyney.edu/admissions/apply-today/</a></p>  | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>  |



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Community College of Allegheny County



**Admissions and Enrollment:**

- ✚ As an open-admissions institution, CCAC does not require college entrance examinations.
- ✚ To enroll as a full-time student, applicants must have a high school diploma or Pennsylvania GED certificate or must be at least 18 years of age with experience reasonably equivalent to a GED.

**How to Apply & Enroll:**

1. Complete your admissions application
2. Apply for financial aid by submitting your FAFSA form available online at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov).
3. Complete Online Orientation. First-time degree, certificate and diploma seeking students are required to complete an online student orientation before registering for classes.
4. Review placement testing information and exemptions.
5. Meet with an academic advisor virtually to discuss your education plan and register for classes. New students and students in several other categories are required to meet with an academic advisor.
6. Pay for classes. A complete listing of tuition and fees can be found here.
7. Send your final transcripts, including high school/GED and any college transcripts, to [admissions@ccac.edu](mailto:admissions@ccac.edu) or [advising@ccac.edu](mailto:advising@ccac.edu).

**Fees Incurred:** None. There is no application fee.

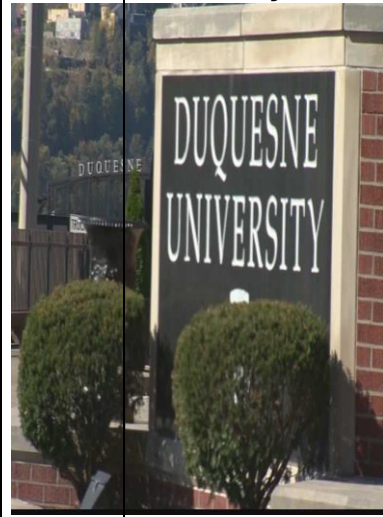
**Apply at:** <https://www.ccac.edu/admissions/apply.php>

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Duquesne University



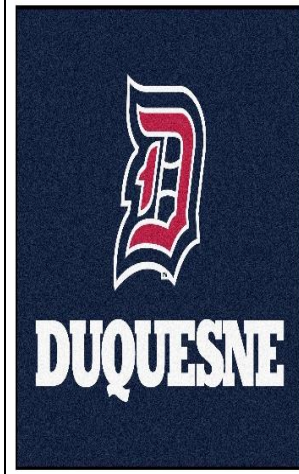
**Admission Requirements for First-time Freshmen:**







- ✚ Application: Prospective students may apply directly through our website's Future Focus Application, through the Coalition App or through Common App.
- ✚ Transcript: Applicants must submit all official high school transcripts and college transcripts, if applicable official transcripts.
- ✚ Test Scores: Submit all official SAT and/or ACT scores. Duquesne University considers your highest section scores across all test dates that you submit. Only your highest section scores will be considered. Each time you submit scores, your record is updated with any new high scores. Test-Optional Admission is available for ALL programs.
- ✚ Recommendations: One recommendation from an academic source required for certain health professions applicants. Recommendations optional for applicants to other programs. Recommendations must be completed by a teacher or counselor.
- ✓ Personal Essay: Personal Essay required for certain health professions applicants. Essay optional for applicants to other programs. Please discuss the following: Tell us something about yourself, why you chose your desired major, and why you would like to attend Duquesne University. You may also include any shadowing or volunteer opportunities that you have experienced.


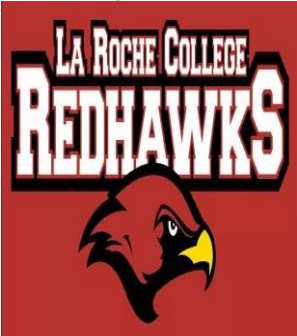



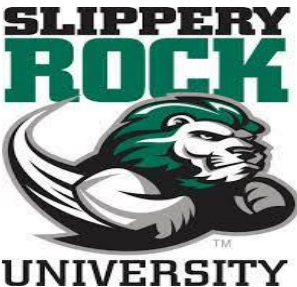
**Fee Incurred:** None. There is no fee to apply to Duquesne University, either through our website or through Common App.

**Apply at:** <https://www.duq.edu/admissions-and-aid/undergraduate/apply-for-admission>

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| <p><b>23</b></p> | <p><b>Seton Hill University</b></p>    | <p><b>Freshman Admissions Requirements:</b> To apply to Seton Hill University as a traditional undergraduate student, you will need:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Applicants can apply online, download a print application &amp; mail it in or, apply via Common Application.</li> <li>▪ An official secondary-school transcript or GED certificate.</li> <li>▪ The official final high school transcript, indicating proof of graduation</li> <li>▪ (Test Optional) Official score reports from either the SAT or the ACT test</li> </ul> <p><b>Optional items:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ An essay of 200 words or more on why you would like to earn a degree at Seton Hill.</li> <li>▪ Letter of recommendation from a teacher or guidance counselor or one recommendation form.</li> <li>▪ Additional recommendations are welcome and may represent other sources.</li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> There is a \$55.00 non-refundable application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="http://www.setonhill.edu">www.setonhill.edu</a>. Any information that is not submitted online can be sent to us via:<br/> *****Email: <a href="mailto:admit@setonhill.edu">admit@setonhill.edu</a>; *****Fax: (724) 830-1294; or<br/> *****Mail: Seton Hill University, Office of Admissions, 1 Seton Hill Drive, Greensburg, PA 15601</p>   | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>    |
| <p><b>24</b></p> | <p><b>Carlow University</b></p>       | <p><b>For Traditional Undergraduate Students Applying to Carlow:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>⑩ We strongly recommend that you apply for admission by the end of the first semester of your senior year in high school to receive full consideration for admission, scholarships and all other forms of financial aid. Carlow offers different procedures for traditional first-year student admission.</li> </ul> <p>Students applying for admission should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>⑩ Arrange for a personal interview and campus visit.</li> <li>⑩ Submit a completed application form by applying online for free;</li> <li>⑩ Ask a guidance counselor to forward a complete official high school transcript*</li> <li>⑩ Submit scores from the Scholastic Assessment Test of the College Board (SAT), the American College Testing (ACT) Program, and/or the Classic Learning Test (CLT).</li> <li>⑩ Submit an essay and/or recommendation from your secondary school principal, teacher or guidance counselor.</li> <li>⑩ File your FASFA. You can file at <a href="http://www.fafsa.ed.gov">www.fafsa.ed.gov</a></li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> None. There is no application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.carlow.edu/Admission_Process_and_Procedure.aspx">https://www.carlow.edu/Admission_Process_and_Procedure.aspx</a> . Send H/S transcripts to: Carlow University, Admissions Office, 3333 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213)</p> | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>   |
| <p><b>25</b></p> | <p><b>Penn State University</b></p>  | <p><b>Freshman Requirements &amp; Application</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The most important piece of our review is your academic record, which includes the academic courses, grades and levels of those courses and standardized test scores (<i>optional for summer/fall 2023</i>), plus additional factors that may include an audition, a portfolio review, the geographic and cultural background of the student, the personal statement, and the activities list.</li> <li>• We take a hard look at the many roles you serve as a student, sibling, athlete, son or daughter, volunteer, and/or employee.</li> <li>• SRAR is short for Self-Reported Academic Record, an initiative to ultimately have all future undergraduate applicants to the University submit their high school record as part of the application process, rather than having the school counselors send transcripts for each applicant.</li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> There is a \$65.00 application fee—Students can utilize SAT/ACT fee waivers to cover this cost.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://admissions.psu.edu">https://admissions.psu.edu</a>. Student can apply using any of the options:<br/> ***** (1) My Penn State application, ***** (2) Common App, or ***** (3) Coalition.</p>   | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>  |

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| <p><b>26</b></p> | <p><b>La Roche University</b></p>                 | <p>Freshman Requirements &amp; Application:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete an Application via the following 3 options for your convenience: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*** (A.) Online Freshman Application ***</li> <li>(B.) Freshman Application (PDF), &amp;</li> <li>*** (C.) Apply to La Roche by using Common Application</li> </ul> </li> <li>Official Secondary/High School Transcripts</li> <li>SAT or ACT Test Scores - Optional*</li> <li>A letter of reference from a student's school counselor or from one of the student's high school teachers is needed. Letter of Recommendation is optional unless the student opting for test-optional.</li> <li>Optional Essay - In 250 words or less, please share why earning a college degree specifically from La Roche University is important to you and why you believe a La Roche education will help you to achieve your life goals.</li> </ul> <p><b>Fees Incurred:</b> There is a \$50.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.laroche.edu/Admissions/Freshman_Admissions/Application_Options/">https://www.laroche.edu/Admissions/Freshman_Admissions/Application_Options/</a>. Mailed completed PDF applications to: La Roche University Freshman Admissions, 9000 Babcock Blvd, Pittsburgh, PA 15237.</p> | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>    |
| <p><b>27</b></p> | <p><b>Indiana University of Pennsylvania</b></p>  | <p><b>Freshman Admissions Requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete either an IUP online application or a downloaded copy</li> <li>Indicate your first- and second-choice majors.</li> <li>Official SAT or ACT scores (test-optional)</li> <li>An official high school transcripts</li> </ul> <p>Consider submitting these optional materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Letter(s) of recommendation</li> <li>Personal essay/statement</li> <li>Transcripts for college coursework completed in high school/dual enrollment (to receive academic credit at IUP)</li> <li>AP test scores (to receive academic credit at IUP)</li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> There is a \$25.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.iup.edu/admissions/undergraduate/">https://www.iup.edu/admissions/undergraduate/</a>. Email your official H/S transcripts to <a href="mailto:application-docs@iup.edu">application-docs@iup.edu</a></p>   | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>    |
| <p><b>28</b></p> | <p><b>Slippery Rock University</b></p>          | <p><b>Freshman Admissions Requirements:</b> For Fall 2024 students and beyond:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students can apply online or print/mail the application</li> <li>Students are welcome to submit their ACT or SAT scores but it is not required for admission.</li> <li>Students who have a 3.25 or higher cumulative GPA will automatically be admitted to SRU.</li> </ul> <p>In order to apply for admission, the following credentials are required before an admission decision can be made:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Submission of the first-year admission application</li> <li>\$30 application fee or fee waiver documentation sent to <a href="mailto:asktherock@sru.edu">asktherock@sru.edu</a></li> <li>Official High School transcripts (including a 12th grade class schedule if applicable) sent from your school counselor electronically or they can email your official transcripts to <a href="mailto:asktherock@sru.edu">asktherock@sru.edu</a></li> </ul> <p><b>Fee Incurred:</b> There is a \$30.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="http://www.sru.edu">www.sru.edu</a>. <b>Print Application:</b> Please complete required information and mail it, along with your \$30 application fee, to the Office of Admissions.</p>                          | <p><b>Rolling Admissions System</b></p>  |

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**Bidwell Training Center**



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**FREE Job-Focused Programs in Pittsburgh, PA**--Bidwell Training Center is committed to changing lives. We do this by preparing you with the skills you need to succeed in today's career environment through job oriented programs. At Bidwell, you will take courses based around employer needs, making sure you have the skills to get a fulfilling career in a thriving industry. No-Cost Eligibility Requirements: To take advantage of Bidwell Training Center's no-cost programs, all admission requirements\* must be met prior to enrollment. You will be required to complete the three-step admissions process and submit all required documentation, including,

- Proof of Pennsylvanian residency (students must be a U.S citizen or have an eligible non-citizen status)
- Proof of High School graduation or GED (students must have a high school diploma or equivalent)

How to Apply – Our Admissions Process--Bidwell offers a 2-Step Enrollment Process to qualify for training at no cost.

- (1.) Information Session – At this time, our Information Session is offered online.
- (2.) Assessment – Prospective students must take an assessment test and meet score requirements in their program of interest. Assessment testing covers reading comprehension and basic mathematics.

Requirements for Training:

- Proof of Graduation-High School Diploma or General Education Development (GED)
- Proof of Residency-must show documentation of Pennsylvania residency
- \*\*Criminal Record Check required for certain majors

**Application Fee:** No application fee.

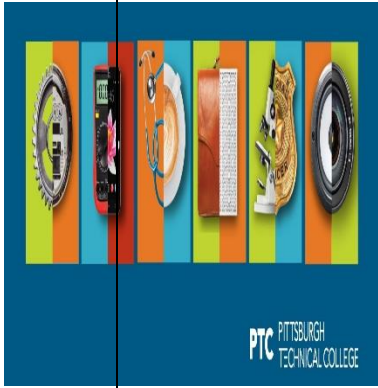
**Apply at:** <https://bidwelltraining.edu/admissions/>. For immediate questions, call 412-402-9761. You are invited to attend an Information Session any Monday or Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.

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**Pittsburgh Technical College**



**ADMISSIONS Process:**

Explore: PTC offers more than 30 programs of study, including “Computer Programming, \* Nursing, \* Welding, \* Culinary Arts, \* Building Administration, \* Medical Coding, \* Graphic Design, & Electronics Engineering.

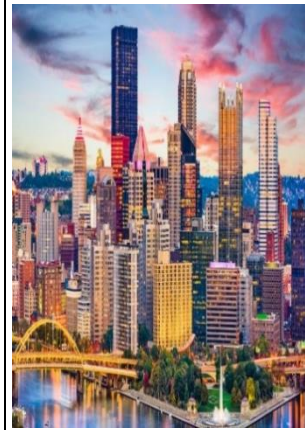
On your PTC Dashboard, you will be guided through these steps:

- ✚ Upload a copy of your transcript(s) so that we can review the application for acceptance.
- ✚ Complete an online background check only if your program requires it
- ✚ Submit your \$100 tuition deposit, since it's a step toward securing admission. All fees are fully refundable, if you are not accepted at this time.
- ✚ Submit your \$350 housing deposit if you plan to live in PTC housing.
- ✚ Submit your housing paperwork (you'll tell us about yourself and sign housing documents).
- ✚ Find directions on completing your FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), and information on both grants and scholarships (money towards tuition that you don't need to pay back) and student/parent loan options.
- ✚ Attending required orientation will be your last step before your first day in class.

**Application Fee:** \$100.00 refundable tuition deposit

**Apply at:** <https://ptcollege.edu/>. Virtual Open House— Register at <https://ptcollege.edu/admission/open-house/>

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Community College of Beaver County



At Community College of Beaver County, their career paths lead straight to employment or to the four-year college or university of your choice. \*\*\*\*\*Application Process:

- Step 1: Submit an admissions application--Have any previous college and high school transcripts and/or GED sent to: CCBC/Admissions and Registration, 1 Campus Drive, Monaca, PA 15061
- Step 2: Visit Campus
- Step 3: Apply for Financial Aid
- Step 4: Take the Placement Test or See Testing Exemptions
- Step 5: Schedule classes with an academic counselor
- Step 6: Register and pay tuition



**Application Fee:** There is a \$25.00 non-refundable fee.

**Apply at:** [www.ccbc.edu](http://www.ccbc.edu)

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Pittsburgh Career Institute



ADMISSIONS PROCESS

- First, you must complete a personal interview with a PCI Admissions Representative at our downtown Pittsburgh campus. Call (412) 281-2600 to schedule an appointment.

Technical Degree Programs include:

- \*\*\*\*\*Dental Assistant (Diploma); \*\*\*\*\*Diagnostic Medical Sonography (Associate's Degree); \*\*\*\*\*Medical Assistant (Diploma); \*\*\*\*\*Respiratory Therapy (Associate's Degree); \*\*\*\*\*Surgical Technology (Associate's Degree) & \*\*\*\*\*Veterinary Technology (Associate's Degree)

\*\*\*Admissions Requirements--PCI's admissions requirements include:

- Personal Interview with Admissions Representative
- High School diploma, certificate or other acceptable proof of graduation from an institution providing secondary education, or the equivalent of such graduation.
- Successful background check
- Completion of all admissions and enrollment documents
- Entrance exam

**Application Fee:** Varies from \$25.00 to \$50.00.

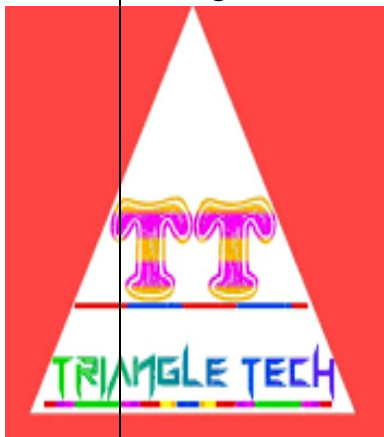
**Apply at:** [www.pci.edu](http://www.pci.edu). For more information, call 412-281-2600.

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Triangle Tech



In just 16 months, Triangle Tech students can earn a technical degree to open doors to an in-demand career. Our students receive hands-on training by industry-experienced instructors to ensure they have the skills employers want.

Our Technical Degree\* programs include:

- (1.) CADD with Additive Manufacturing & 3D Printing Technology
- (2.) Maintenance Electricity & Construction Technology
- (3.) Refrigeration, Heating, Ventilation, & Air Conditioning Technology
- (4.) Carpentry & Construction Technology
- (5.) Welding & Fabrication Technology
- (6.) Industrial & Structural Welding

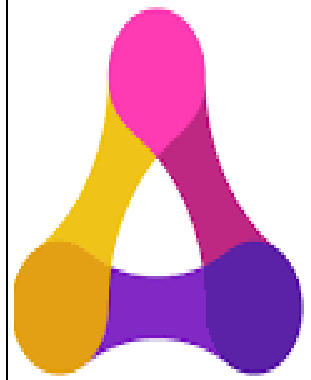
**Eligibility Requirement--**Triangle Tech's admissions process is simple.

- Applicants must have graduated from an accredited high school or have earned a GED prior to admission.
- Applicants must participate in a personal interview at the school prior to enrollment.

**Application Fee:** Varies

**Apply at:** <https://triangle-tech.edu/>

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**Pittsburgh Institute of Aeronautics (PIA)**



**Admission Requirements:**

- All students admitted to PIA must have a high school or GED diploma.
- Applicants must also take a Math Skills Assessment (MSA) prior to enrolling.
- Applicants for admission to PIA's School of Specialized Technology are required to visit the school for a personal interview and a tour of the school's facilities prior to beginning classes.

PIA Programs:

- ✚ Aviation Electronics Technology
- ✚ Aviation Maintenance Technology

**Application Fee:** There is a \$150.00 registration fee.

**Apply at:** [www.pia.edu](http://www.pia.edu)



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**Institute of Medical and Business Careers**



**General Admissions Requirements:**

**STEP 1 – PREREQUISITES:** Before enrolling at IMBC, students must be able to demonstrate that they have met at least ONE of the following requirements:

- ✚ Be a graduate and have a valid diploma; \*\*\*\*possess a diploma from a state-authorized home school program; or \*\*\*\*\*possess a General Education Development (GED) certificate.

**STEP 2 – ADMISSIONS APPOINTMENT:** All students thinking about enrolling must complete a career planning session with a member of our admissions department.

**STEP 3 – ENTRANCE EVALUATION:** You will complete a school readiness task called, "Wonderlic", that is quick and simple to complete. The Application & Enrollment Process

- ✚ Each student will complete an application for enrollment at IMBC.

**Programs include:** Medical Billing & Coding; Medical Assisting Technician & with Phlebotomy, Dental Assisting, & Medical Records Technician

**Application Fee:** None

**Apply at:** [www.imbc.edu/](http://www.imbc.edu/). Your prior school must mail official transcripts directly to IMBC at the following address: For the Pittsburgh campus--133 Jefferson Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15235

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**Rosedale Technical Institute**



Rosedale Technical College has a rich history of preparing students for employment in the Automotive, Diesel, Electrical, and HVAC fields. Rosedale provides students with the proper knowledge and equipment, as well as the necessary hands-on experience required for their field.

Certification Programs include: \*\*\*Automotive Technology; \*\*\*Diesel Technology, \*\*\*\*Welding Technician, \*\*\*HVAC Technology, \*\*\*Collision Repair Technology, \*\*\*Electrical Technology, & \*\*\*Industrial Technician

Application Process: You can start the application process with just five easy steps!

- Determine your eligibility. To enroll, you must have a high school diploma or high school equivalency certificate and a valid driver's license.\*
- Call us at 866-813-3374 to schedule a tour. On your tour, you'll get an inside look at our campus and facilities, and learn how Rosedale Tech can give you an edge in your career.
- Meet with an Admissions Representative. They can answer any questions you may have during your tour and provide you with the necessary application paperwork.
- Successfully complete and pass a recognized scholastic entrance exam & participate in a personal interview.







**Application Fee:** N/A

**Apply at:** <https://www.rosedaletech.org/>. Rosedale Tech is inviting you to attend one of our virtual open house events!

VIRTUAL EXPERIENCE: Thursday, September 15, 2022 or Thursday, October 2022 @ 6:00 p.m. OR IN-PERSON: Saturday, October 1, 2022 @ 1pm.

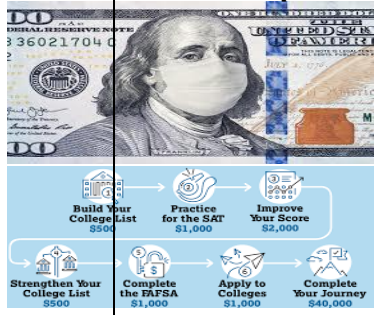
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| <p><b>37</b></p> | <p><b>Vet Tech Institute</b></p>                          | <p>Vet Tech Institute offers an 18-month program for students seeking the core skills to prepare for entry into the veterinary care field. The curriculum is designed to build the knowledge and skills required to start a career as a veterinary technician. Start your application</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✚ We accept applications all year round. Potential students can obtain the application during their school visit by calling the admissions department, or by submitting an online application.</li> <li>✚ Prior to application, we encourage potential students to tour the school. Upon receipt of the application, the school will request a transcript of the applicant's high school record. Any record of post-high school education should be obtained by the applicant and provided to the school. Generally, the applicant is notified of the school's decision within four to eight weeks after submission of the application.</li> </ul> <p><b>Application Fee:</b> There is a \$50.00 application fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="http://www.vti.edu">www.vti.edu</a></p>   | <p><b>Rolling Admissions</b></p>   |
| <p><b>38</b></p> | <p><b>All State Career—Pittsburgh</b></p>                 | <p><b>Eligibility Requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✚ To qualify for admissions, in most cases you must be a high school graduate or its equivalent.</li> <li>✚ All applicants are required to complete a personal information sheet.</li> <li>✚ During a personal interview with our admissions staff, we will review your career goals to help you find the right program to fit your needs.</li> </ul> <p>Training Programs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC)</li> <li>❖ CDL Preparatory Driving program &amp; Commercial Truck Driver.</li> <li>❖ Welder or Welding Technician</li> </ul> <p><b>Application Fee:</b> Varies</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://drive.allstatecareer.edu/drive.html?BID=2573">https://drive.allstatecareer.edu/drive.html?BID=2573</a> or call 1-855-636-7847.</p>  | <p><b>Rolling Admissions</b></p>   |
| <p><b>39</b></p> | <p><b>Penn Commercial Business/Technical School</b></p>  | <p><b>Admission Requirements</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✚ Admission to any of Penn Commercial's programs requires a high school diploma or GED certificate, and you'll be asked to sign a release form to obtain your official transcripts so we can confirm that this has been achieved.</li> <li>✚ Several of our programs also have certain physical requirements.</li> </ul> <p>Application Process: To qualify for admission, you need a high school diploma or a GED certificate. From there, follow these steps to complete the application process:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete your application for admission, which can be done online!</li> <li>2. Obtain your official transcripts to verify your high school diploma or GED, and have them submitted to Penn Commercial.</li> <li>3. Complete your admissions interview with our team to determine your goals and readiness for our programs.</li> <li>4. Take your entrance examination, which is required for admission into each program.</li> <li>5. Complete your Free Application for Federal Student Aid and meet with a financial aid advisor.</li> <li>6. Pass a complete physical examination, which can be administered by a physician of your choice.</li> </ol> <p>Programs include: Medical (ie. Practical Nursing, Phlebotomy Technician &amp; Medical Assistant), Salon &amp; Spa (ie. Cosmetology &amp; Esthetics), Commercial Driver's License, and Trade/Technical (ie. Welding Technician, HVAC &amp; Electrician)</p> <p><b>Application Fee:</b> There is a non-refundable \$25.00 fee.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="http://www.penncommercial.edu">www.penncommercial.edu</a></p> | <p><b>Rolling Admissions</b></p>  |

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### College Board \$1000.00 Scholarships



### Eligibility Requirements:

- Students in the class of 2024 who use free Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy
- How to Qualify:
- Practice for six hours on Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy® to qualify and earn one entry in the monthly drawing. Earn an entry for each additional hour you practice, up to a total of 20 hours.

### Get Started:

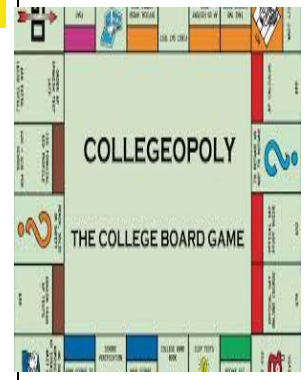
- Join College Board Opportunity Scholarships program.
- Sign in to your College Board and Khan Academy® accounts.
- Link your College Board and Khan Academy® accounts.
- Start practicing for the SAT using Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy®.
- Practice for six or more hours.



**Award Amount:** One hundred & fifty--\$1000.00 scholarships monthly until October 2024

**Apply at:** [https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/about/practice?SFMC\\_cid=EM278699-&rid=52609992](https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/about/practice?SFMC_cid=EM278699-&rid=52609992)

### Ongoing through October 2024



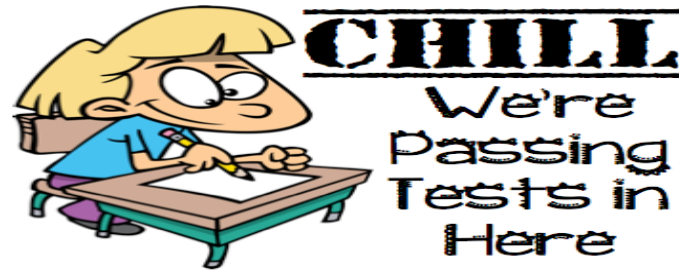
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### ACT Test Date



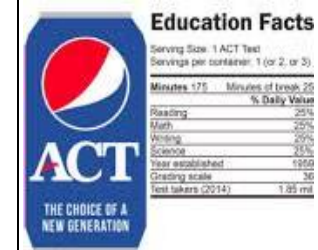
What items to bring to YOUR testing site:

- Face covering
- Your up-to-date admission ticket
- [Acceptable photo ID](#)
- Two No. 2 pencils with erasers
- [An approved calculator](#)
- A snack & drink
- A watch (without an audible alarm)
- A sweater



**Arrival Time:** At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.

### Saturday, September 9, 2023



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### Bill Gates Scholarships for Minorities



**Eligibility Requirements:** \*\*\*\* Applicants must be nominated by an educator.

- Minority students who are either, African American, Asian & Pacific Islander American, Hispanic American, or American Indian/Alaska Native (who are enrolled in a tribe);
- Federal Pell Grant eligible & U.S. citizen, national or permanent resident;
- GPA 3.3 or better on 4.0 scale (weighted cumulative);
- Plan to enroll full time at a four year accredited U.S. college or university (public, private or not-for-profit) by Fall 2023; and
- Have demonstrated leadership abilities.

An ideal candidate will have:

- An outstanding academic record in high school (in the top 10% of his/her graduating class)
- Demonstrated leadership ability (e.g. as shown through participation in community service, extracurricular, or other activities)
- Exceptional personal success skills (e.g., emotional maturity, motivation, perseverance, etc.)

**Award Amount:** Varies---however, this scholarship will be extended to at 300 students and is valued at least \$150,000.00 and covers all undergraduate and post-graduate educational costs[...Master's degree, Specialist degree, Doctorate/Ph.D. degree (BIG MONEY ALERT!)]

**Apply at:** <https://www.thegatesscholarship.org/scholarship>. \*\*\*\*\*Scholarship opened on July 15th.

### September 15, 2023





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**Varsity Tutors  
Scholarship  
Contest**



Eligibility is limited to individuals who are at least 16 years of age in their state of legal residence on or before their entry into the Promotion. Such individuals must be a legal resident of one of the fifty United States or the District of Columbia as of December 01, 2022. Each Submission must adhere to the following standards:

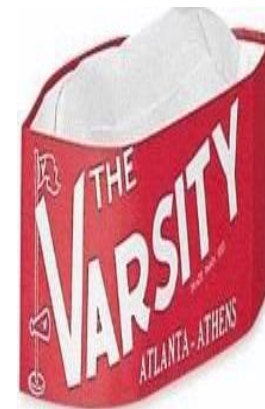
- The text must exceed 200 words and must not exceed 900 words.
- Printed essay font size may not be smaller than 12 pt.
- All essays must address the specific promotion question presented during Promotion Period, must be original, must not have been previously published, released, or distributed, and must have been created by you.
- Essay must follow an organized, multiple-paragraph format.
- Essay must exhibit the standard rules of grammar & mechanics.

**This Month's Essay Topic:** If you had the authority to change your school in a positive way, what specific changes would you make and why?

**Award Amount:** \$200.00

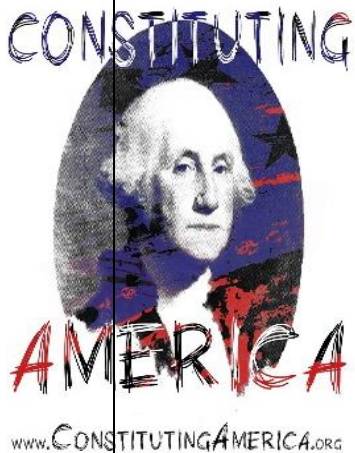
**Apply at:** <http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship>

**September 15, 2023**



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**Constituting  
America We The  
Future  
Scholarship**



Eligibility Criteria:

- Open to ALL High School Students in Grades 9-12.

High School Students may submit: Essay, Song, STEM, Short Film or PSA.

- The essay topic is: Recognizing our form of government is a Republic, write a 500-1,000 word essay on how our First Amendment (RAPPS: Religion, Assembly, Press, Petition, Speech) rights enable the citizens to influence the laws of our country or initiate a constitutional amendment and, in so doing, prevent the dissolution of the Republic in the ways that have affected other nations in the past (e.g. violent rebellion/uprising or coup d'etat).
- The song subject is: As citizens under a republican form of government, how do we use the First Amendment (RAPPS: Religion, Assembly, Press, Petition, Speech) to change the laws of our country or create a constitutional amendment and, in so doing, prevent the dissolution of the Republic in the ways that have affected other nations in the past (e.g. violent rebellion/uprising or coup d'etat).
- STEM subject is: Get a pulse on what your peers know about the Constitution!
- The short film subject is: How does the Constitution make America and Americans' way of life unique as compared to other countries?
- The PSA subject is: (1) Why are civil, civic conversations important in our society today, or (2) Why should students know the U.S. Constitution?

**Award Amount:** \$1,000.00

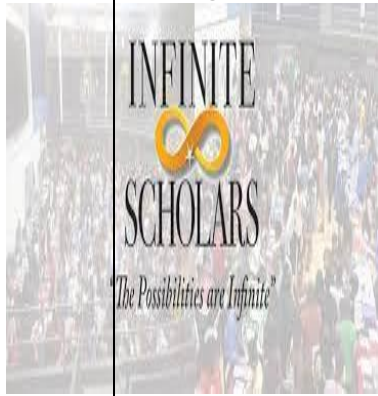
**Apply at:** <https://constitutingamerica.org/contest-categories/#toggle-id-3>. Submissions should be sent to [WeTheFuture2020@yahoo.com](mailto:WeTheFuture2020@yahoo.com) with subject line: HIGH SCHOOL ENTRY.

**September 17, 2023**



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### Infinite Scholars College Fair



### Pittsburgh Pennsylvania—Free College-Scholarship Fair

- ❖ Don't miss this opportunity to meet with colleges and universities to discuss admission & scholarship opportunities. Some colleges will be accepting students and awarding scholarships on the spot.
- ❖ Learn more about moreCollegeOffers.com that helps students receive more admissions and scholarship offers.

Students should bring:

- Multiple copies of transcripts,
- ACT/SAT test scores,
- Letters of recommendation,
- An essay titled "Why I want to attend college.", and a resume.

\*\*\*\*\*Students with a 3.0 or higher GPA are encouraged to attend!

**Location:** Greenway Professional Development Center

1400 Crucible Street  
Pittsburgh, PA 15205

**Register at:** <https://www.infinitescholar.org>



Tuesday,  
September 19, 2023  
@ 9am—1pm

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### \$1,000 September Scholarship

### Application Criteria:

- ✓ Open to all high school and college students.
- ✓ Simply log in or create a free account below to apply.

**Award Amount:** \$1,000.00

**Apply at:** <https://www.niche.com/colleges/scholarships/september-scholarship/>



September 20, 2023



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### ACT Test Registration Deadline

### ACT Testing Date: October 28, 2023

Any student with an existing ACT Student account should sign-in with their login credentials (username & password), if not, please create an ACT Student login credentials....then complete the registration pathway. In light of COVID-19 & remote learning conditions, please be aware the following tidbits:

- ❖ ACT has a test center look up tool organized by test date.
- ❖ Results will vary based on the date selected, so remember to toggle dates to see all options in your area.
- ❖ Not all test centers have available seats.
- ❖ You will be able to see up to date seat availability within the ACT registration process. So.....
  1. Select your ACT test date
  2. Find a test center near you
  3. Start your registration to find seat availability.

### How to REGISTER:

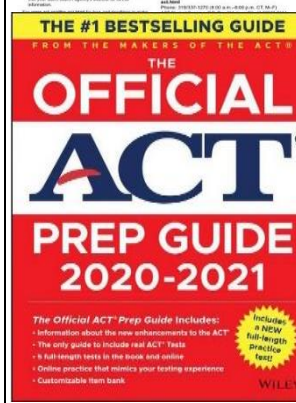
1. [Sign in to your free ACT Student account.](#) Your parent or counselor can't register for you.
2. Provide your full, legal name and other identifying information. Make sure it's the exact same name and information shown on your photo ID.
3. Decide if you want to answer other questions about yourself. This takes time, but it's worth it if you want colleges and scholarship organizations to find you.
4. Decide whether to sign up for the ACT with Writing.
5. Upload a photo that meets very specific [photo requirements.](#)
6. Check out, and print your Admission Ticket.

**Costs:** \$55.00 or ACT Fee Waiver

**Register at:** <https://www.act.org/content/act/en.html>

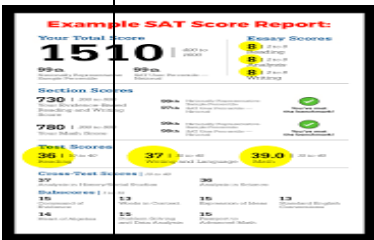


September 22, 2023



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### College Board's SAT Registration Deadline



### SAT Testing Date: October 7, 2023

Any student with an existing College Board account should sign-in with their login credentials (username & password), if not, please create a College Board login credentials....then complete the registration pathway. In light of COVID-19 & remote learning conditions, please be aware the following tidbits:

- ❖ College Board has a test center look up tool organized by test date.
- ❖ Results will vary based on the date selected, so remember to toggle dates to see all options in your area.
- ❖ Not all test centers have available seats.
- ❖ You will be able to see up to date seat availability within the SAT registration process. So.....

\*\*\*Select your SAT test date

\*\*\*Find a test center near you

\*\*\*Start your registration to find seat availability.



#### How to REGISTER:

1. [Sign in to your free College Board account.](#) Your parent or counselor can't register for you.
2. Provide your full, legal name and other identifying information. Make sure it's the exact same name and information shown on your photo ID.
3. Decide if you want to answer other questions about yourself. This takes time, but it's worth it if you want colleges and scholarship organizations to find you. [Learn why you should opt in to Student Search Service®.](#)
4. Decide whether to sign up for the SAT with Essay. [See which colleges recommend or require it.](#)
5. Upload a photo that meets very specific [photo requirements.](#)
6. Check out, and print your Admission Ticket.



**Costs:** \$52.00 or SAT Fee Waiver

**Register at:** <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register/dates-deadlines>

### September 22, 2023

(Regular Registration Deadline)



#### Education Facts

Serving Size: 1 SAT Test  
Servings per container: 1 (or 2, or 3)

| Minutes                  | Minutes of break | % Daily Value |
|--------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Reading                  | 25               | 33%           |
| Math                     | 25               | 33%           |
| Writing                  | 20               | 33%           |
| Year established         |                  | 1926          |
| Grading scale (no essay) |                  | 1600          |
| Test takers (2014)       |                  | 1.67 mi       |



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### The 2023 National College Match Scholarship
















- 10 Are you a low-income high school senior who has excelled academically, but feels that the nation's best colleges are financially out of reach? The QuestBridge National College Match can be your pathway to a top college.
- 10 Through this college and scholarship application process, you can apply for free to the nation's best colleges and be considered for early admission and a full four-year scholarship from the college.
- 10 The National College Match application gives you extra space to tell your unique story as a student who has excelled academically despite financial hardship.
- 10 The Match Scholarship is offered as part of a generous financial aid package provided by the college that covers the cost of attendance, including: \*Tuition and fees \*Room and board \*Books and supplies \*Travel expenses
- 10 All Match Scholarship packages: \*Have NO parental contribution \*Have NO student loans \*May contain a student contribution in the form of Federal work-study, summer work, or student savings
- 10 Academically outstanding high school seniors from households earning less than \$65,000/year for a typical family of four.




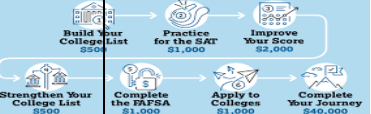





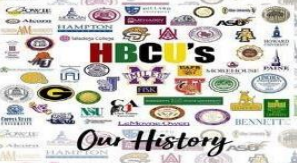
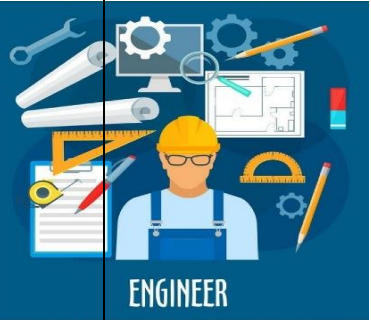
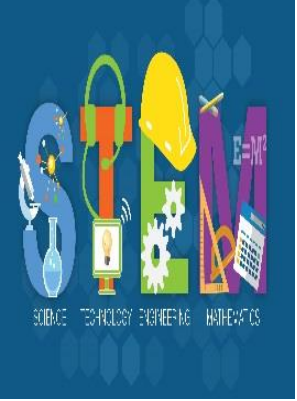
**Award Amount:** A full four-year scholarship.... worth over \$200,000.00

**Apply at:** <https://www.questbridge.org/high-school-students/national-college-match>

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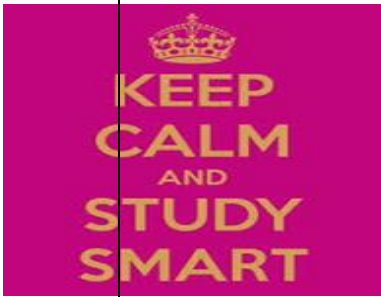


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| <p><b>50</b></p>    | <p><b>No Essay Smart Owl Scholarship</b></p>                | <p><u>Territory:</u> You must be a resident of any of the 50 United States, District of Columbia or US Territories <u>Age:</u> You must be 16 years of age or older</p> <p><u>Enrollment:</u> You must either be enrolled now, or will be enrolled within three months of registration in the Scholarship Sweepstakes, in a qualified high school, college or university within the United States.</p> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> \$7,000.00</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://scholarshipowl.com/awards/you-deserve-it-scholarship">https://scholarshipowl.com/awards/you-deserve-it-scholarship</a></p>   | <p><b>September 29, 2023</b></p>    |
| <p><b>51</b></p>    | <p><b>Courage To Grow Scholarship</b></p>                   | <p><b>Eligibility Criteria:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open to U.S. citizens who are high school juniors and seniors</li> <li>At least a 2.5 GPA.</li> <li>Must answer the scholarship question in 250 words or less: Please explain why you believe that you should be awarded this scholarship. Note that spelling &amp; punctuation are important.</li> </ul> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> \$500.00</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.couragetogrowscholarship.com/">https://www.couragetogrowscholarship.com/</a></p>    | <p><b>September 30, 2023</b></p>    |
| <p><b>52</b></p>  | <p><b>\$1,000 Cappex Easy College Money Scholarship</b></p> | <p>Must be a H/S senior, who is currently enrolled in high school or college or plan to enroll in the next 12 months.</p> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> \$1000.00</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.cappex.com/scholarships">https://www.cappex.com/scholarships</a></p>    | <p><b>September 30, 2023</b></p>   |
| <p><b>53</b></p>  | <p><b>\$2,000.00 "No Essay" College Scholarship</b></p>     | <p>Open to H/S seniors.....monthly winner via random drawing.....no essay required!</p> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> \$2000.00</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.niche.com/colleges/scholarship/no-essay-scholarship/">https://www.niche.com/colleges/scholarship/no-essay-scholarship/</a></p>    | <p><b>September 30, 2023</b></p>   |
| <p><b>54</b></p>  | <p><b>The \$1,000.00 SuperCollege Scholarship</b></p>       | <p>Eligibility requirement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Any high school student planning to go to college.</li> <li>✓ One application per student per entry period.</li> <li>✓ All winners will be selected based on completeness of application and random selection.</li> </ul> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> \$1,000.00</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="http://www.supercollege.com/scholarship/">http://www.supercollege.com/scholarship/</a></p>   | <p><b>September 30, 2023</b></p>   |
| <p><b>55</b></p>  | <p><b>The \$2,000 Nitro Scholarship Sweepstakes</b></p>     | <p>Eligibility: only open to legal residents of the 50 United States, the District of Columbia, age 17 or older at the time of entry, and who meet one (1) of the five (5) following eligibility requirements at the time of entry:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>****a parent who currently has a child enrolled in an accredited college or university located within the United States;</li> <li>****a student who is currently enrolled in an accredited college or university located within the United States;</li> <li>****a parent who currently has a child enrolled as a high school senior located within the United States;</li> <li>****a student who is currently enrolled as a high school senior located with the United States;</li> <li>****a student or a parent whose child has graduated from an accredited undergraduate school (a "School") and who is currently paying back a student or parent loan for his/her/child's educational expenses for such School ("Entrant").</li> </ul> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> \$2,000.00</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.nitrocollege.com/nitro-scholarship-application">https://www.nitrocollege.com/nitro-scholarship-application</a></p> | <p><b>September 30, 2023</b></p>  |

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| <p><b>56</b></p> | <p><b>College Covered Powered by Discover Student Loans</b></p>  | <p><b>Scholarship Criteria:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ College Covered is a free online resource for students to explore financial aid for college.</li> <li>➤ This scholarship opportunity is a sweepstakes.</li> <li>➤ The application is a sign-up for emails to get helpful college tips and resource and enter to win a scholarship.</li> </ul> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> Eleven-\$10,000.00 winners</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://scholarship.collegecovered.com/?acmpgn=O_SCL_EVER_BM_B_SCH0%201">https://scholarship.collegecovered.com/?acmpgn=O_SCL_EVER_BM_B_SCH0%201</a></p>  | <p><b>September 30, 2023</b></p>     |
| <p><b>57</b></p> | <p><b>College Board \$1000.00 Scholarships</b></p>   | <p><b>Eligibility Requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Students in the class of 2024 who use free Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy</li> </ul> <p><b>How to Qualify:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Practice for six hours on Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy® to qualify and earn one entry in the monthly drawing.</li> <li>▪ Earn an entry for each additional hour you practice, up to a total of 20 hours.</li> </ul> <p><b>Get Started:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Join College Board Opportunity Scholarships program.</li> <li>❖ Sign in to your College Board and Khan Academy® accounts.</li> <li>❖ Link your College Board and Khan Academy® accounts.</li> <li>❖ Start practicing for the SAT using Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy®.</li> <li>❖ Practice for six or more hours.</li> </ul> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> One hundred &amp; fifty--\$1000.00 scholarships monthly until October 2024</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/about/practice?SFMC_cid=EM278699-&amp;rid=52609992">https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/about/practice?SFMC_cid=EM278699-&amp;rid=52609992</a></p>   | <p><b>September 30, 2023</b></p>     |
| <p><b>58</b></p> | <p><b>HBCU Week Virtual College Fair</b></p>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✚ The mission of HBCU Week is to encourage high-school aged youth to enroll into HBCU's, provide scholarship dollars for matriculation and sustain a pipeline for employment from undergraduate school to corporate America.</li> <li>✚ The most impactful event during HBCU Week is the HBCU College Fair. ✚ National HBCU Week 2020: The Perfect Decade to Accelerate HBCU Competitiveness – builds on the momentum of past conferences that have exposed, cultivated, and nurtured. Now, we are putting it all together, offering a unique experience, substantially structured around deal-making between HBCUs, the Federal sector and Non-Federal public and private partners.</li> </ul> <p><b>Register at:</b> <a href="https://www.hbcuweek.org/events/">https://www.hbcuweek.org/events/</a></p>  | <p><b>October 1-2, 2023</b></p>   |
| <p><b>59</b></p> | <p><b>JMJ Phillip Group College Scholarship</b></p>    | <p><b>Application Criteria</b>—The following criteria must be met for a student to be eligible to apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Students must be currently enrolled in a U.S.-based high school or college.</li> <li>— Eligible colleges include two-year and four-year universities in the United States.</li> <li>— Students who apply must have a minimum GPA of 3.6.</li> <li>---Current (unofficial) transcripts must be sent with the application.</li> <li>--- High school students who are applying must have a letter of acceptance from the college they intend to attend.</li> <li>— One letter of reference must be included in the application.</li> <li>***** This letter must come from one of the following sources: a current or former teacher of the student, or a current or former employer of the student.</li> <li>--- In addition to these requirements, students applying for the scholarship must submit a 500- to 1,000-word essay.</li> <li>****The essay must be written in response to the prompt, “How can STEM graduates in 2024 change the world in 2040?”</li> </ul> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> One-\$1,000.00. The scholarship is offered quarterly to eligible students</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://jmjphillip.com/jmj-phillip-stem-scholarship/">https://jmjphillip.com/jmj-phillip-stem-scholarship/</a></p> | <p><b>October 1, 2023</b></p>   |

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SAT Test Date



What items to bring to YOUR testing site:

- ❖ Face covering
- ❖ Your up-to-date admission ticket
- ❖ [Acceptable photo ID](#)
- ❖ Two No. 2 pencils with erasers
- ❖ [An approved calculator](#)
- ❖ A snack & drink
- ❖ A watch (without an audible alarm)
- ❖ A sweater

Save the Date: School Day S.A.T.

Who: YOU



What: School Day S.A.T.

Where: UPrep @ Millions

When: Tomorrow, March 4<sup>th</sup>

Arrival Time: At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.

Saturday, October 7, 2023



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AES Engineers Scholarship



Scholarship Criteria

- ✦ Taking Engineering courses is not a requirement to be eligible for the scholarship.
- ✦ This award is available to high school seniors and all students attending a post-secondary educational facility.
- ✦ A high grade point average will **not** be the only criteria for determining who deserves to be helped.
- ✦ Awarded on the basis of character, as determined by an evaluation of the essays that are submitted

How to apply:

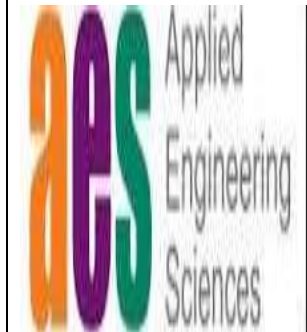
- ✦ Students must submit an essay of between 500 and 1000 words in answer to the following question:  
\*\*\*When you look back on your life in 30 years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful? What relationships or accomplishments will be important on this journey?



Award Amount: \$500.00

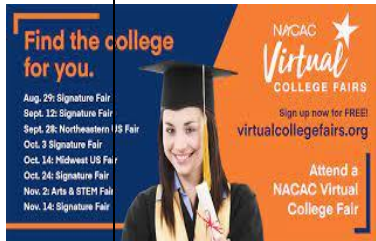
Apply at: <http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php>. Once completed, submit your essay to [scholarships@aesengineers.com](mailto:scholarships@aesengineers.com).

October 8, 2023



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NACAC Signature Virtual College Fair



What to expect: FREE.... Attend as often as YOU like!

- During each NACAC Virtual College Fair, more than 600 college and university representatives will be available to talk with you and other students! Parents are invited too!
- Log in to [virtualcollegefairs.org](http://virtualcollegefairs.org) using your phone or computer. It's totally easy to get around.
- Select which colleges you'd like to learn about! Signup to attend their live and interactive Zoom sessions on how to apply, financial aid, student life, and more.
- You can also schedule a virtual meeting with a college. Just choose a date and time.
- Don't know where to start? No worries! Each fair offers NACAC Meet-Ups with information (in English and Spanish) on how to find your best college fit, how to pay for college, and more.
- Plus, you can use chat to talk with a college counseling expert!

Register at: <https://www.nacacattend.org/fairs/attend>

Sunday, October 15, 2023 @ 1:00pm—6:00pm



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### National Strength & Conditioning Association High School Scholarship

This program provides funding to high school seniors preparing to enter college. Students must demonstrate their acceptance into an accredited institution, their intention to graduate with a degree in the strength and conditioning field, their goals beyond college, and their track record of community service.

Specific Applicant Requirements:

- \*Completed Application
- \*Current membership at the time of application
- \*Current senior in high school.
- \*Must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher, based on a 4.0 system
- \*Submit a high school transcript.
- \*Will be attending college in the fall following high school graduation
- \*3 letters of recommendation.
- \* Will major in a strength and conditioning related field &
- \*Signed NSCA Foundation High School Scholarship Parent/Legal Guardian Authorization Form

**Award Amount:** \$2,000.00 is granted and is to be applied toward tuition charges accrued by the student.

**Apply at:** <https://www.nasca.com/about-us/nsca-foundation/scholarships/>

October 15, 2023



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### Varsity Tutors Scholarship Contest

Eligibility is limited to individuals who are at least 16 years of age in their state of legal residence on or before their entry into the Promotion. Such individuals must be a legal resident of one of the fifty United States or the District of Columbia as of December 01, 2023. Each Submission must adhere to the following standards:

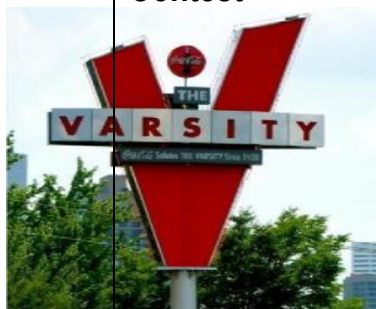
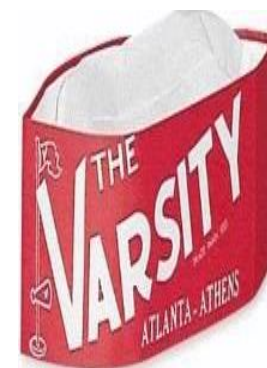
- The text must exceed 200 words and must not exceed 900 words.
- Printed essay font size may not be smaller than 12 pt.
- All essays must address the specific promotion question presented during Promotion Period, must be original, must not have been previously published, released, or distributed, and must have been created by you.
- Essay must follow an organized, multiple-paragraph format.
- Essay must exhibit the standard rules of grammar & mechanics.

This Month's Essay Topic: Describe a book you have read that has deeply impacted you and explain why.

**Award Amount:** \$200.00

**Apply at:** <http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship>

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### College Jump Start Scholarship

#### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

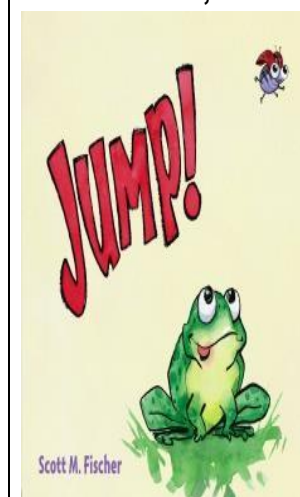
- Open to 10<sup>th</sup>- 12<sup>th</sup> graders.
- Financial need is not considered, neither are grades & test scores.
- Must be a U.S. citizen or legal resident.
- Attend or plan to attend an accredited 2-year, 4-year, or vocational/trade school.
- The main requirement is that you are committed to using your education to better your life & that of your family &/or community.
- Must be able to express your goals for getting a high education.
- Write a 250 words or less personal statement on one of three questions given below:
  - (1) What are your educational goals? OR
  - (2) How will winning this scholarship help you attain your goals? OR
  - (3) Write about a time when "hard work" paid off.
  - (4) Describe your experience with community service and volunteering and how that has affected you and your outlook.

Your personal statement will be judged on its content not your writing style. Please focus on the substance of your answer. And remember the words of Thomas Jefferson who said, "The most valuable of all talents is that of never using two words when one will do."


**Award Amount:** \$1000.00

**Apply at:** <http://www.jumpstart-scholarship.net/application-us/>

October 17, 2023



**66** **5th Annual Pittsburgh Promise Preferred College Partners Fair**



Join us for our 5th Annual Pittsburgh Promise Preferred College Partners Fair!

Friday, September 22, 2023  
9:30 am - 12:45 pm  
August Wilson African American Cultural Center, Pittsburgh PA 15219

Contact: [danny@pittsburghpromise.org](mailto:danny@pittsburghpromise.org) or 412-745-2224

This fair offers opportunities for students to earn acceptance & scholarships in any of the 37 state institutions that considering Pittsburgh Promise Preferred. Colleges & universities participating in this event offers an additional \$2,000.00 for room & board on top of the Promise Scholarship.


What: The Promise Preferred College Partners Fair  
Who: Open to ALL Seniors in Pittsburgh Public Schools that are PROMISE READY!  
Where: August Wilson African American Cultural Center, Pittsburgh PA 15219  
Time: 9:30 am—12:45 pm  
Contact: If you have any questions, contact [danny@pittsburghpromise.org](mailto:danny@pittsburghpromise.org) or 412-745-2224

\*\*\*\*This event provides the opportunity for you to with each university & inquire about their particular financial aid & service offerings. Some schools will be providing on-site acceptance & waiving application fees!

\*\*\*\*In an effort to ensure that you are properly prepared, please be reminded to secure the following documents from your School Counselor:

- Multiple copies of signed transcripts

**Thursday,  
October 19, 2023**  
**@  
9:00 am—1:00 pm**



**67** **\$1,000 October Scholarship**

**Application Criteria:**

- ✓ Open to all high school and college students.
- ✓ Simply log in or create a free account below to apply.

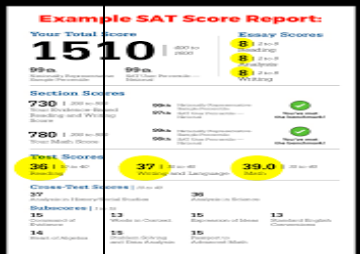
**Award Amount:** \$1,000.00

**Apply at:** <https://www.niche.com/colleges/scholarship/october-scholarship/>



**October 20, 2023**

**68** **College Board's SAT Registration Deadline**



SAT Testing Date: **November 4, 2023**

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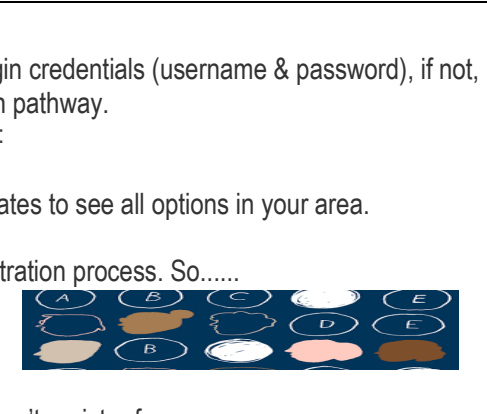
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\*\*\*Select your SAT test date \*\*\*Find a test center near you

\*\*\*Start your registration to find seat availability.

How to REGISTER:

- [Sign in to your free College Board account.](#) Your parent or counselor can't register for you.
- Provide your full, legal name and other identifying information. Decide if you want to answer other questions about yourself. This takes time, but it's worth it if you want colleges and scholarship organizations to find you. [Learn why you should opt in to Student Search Service®.](#)
- Decide whether to sign up for the SAT with Essay. [See which colleges recommend or require it.](#)
- Upload a photo that meets very specific [photo requirements.](#)
- Check out, and print your Admission Ticket.




**October 20, 2023**  
(Regular Registration Deadline)



**Education Facts**



Serving Size: 1 SAT Test  
Servings per container: 1 (or 2, or 3)

| Minutes                  | Minutes of break | % Daily Value |
|--------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| 225                      | 20               |               |
| Reading                  |                  | 33%           |
| Math                     |                  | 33%           |
| Writing                  |                  | 33%           |
| Year established         |                  | 1926          |
| Grading scale (no essay) |                  | 1600          |
| Test takers (2014)       |                  | 1.67 mi       |


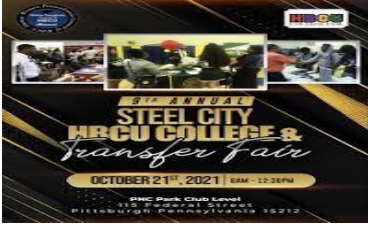

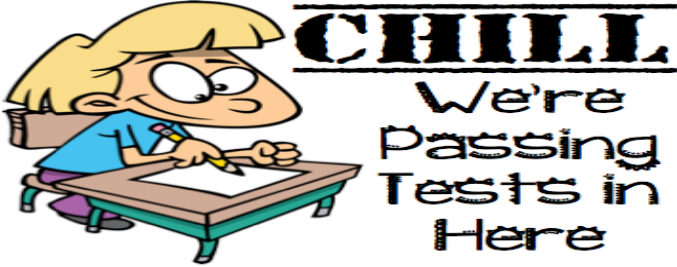

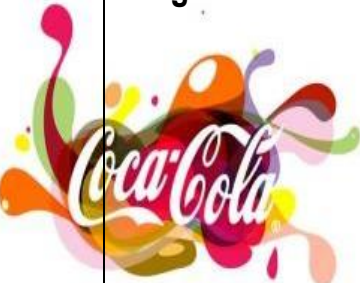






**Costs:** \$52.00 or SAT Fee Waiver

**Register at:** <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register/dates-deadlines>



| <p><b>69</b></p>                       | <p><b>10th Annual Steel City HBCU College Fair</b></p>   | <p><b>About the FAIR:</b> The fair provides acceptance &amp; scholarship opportunities to Historically Black Colleges &amp; Universities.<br/> <b>What:</b> The Steel City HBCU College &amp; Transfer Fair<br/> <b>Who:</b> Open to ALL Seniors in Pittsburgh Public Schools<br/> <b>Where:</b> PNC Park Club Level<br/> 115 Federal Street<br/> Pittsburgh PA 15212<br/> Students should pre-register for this event.</p>    | <p><b>Thursday,<br/> October 26, 2023<br/> @<br/> 8:00am—1:00pm</b></p>   |                 |  |                          |  |  |  |              |                      |               |  |         |     |      |     |         |     |         |     |                   |      |                |    |                    |          |
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| <p><b>70</b></p>                       | <p><b>ACT Test Date</b></p>                                      | <p>What items to bring to YOUR testing site:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Face covering</li> <li>❖ Your up-to-date admission ticket</li> <li>❖ <a href="#">Acceptable photo ID</a></li> <li>❖ Two No. 2 pencils with erasers</li> <li>❖ <a href="#">An approved calculator</a></li> <li>❖ A snack &amp; drink</li> <li>❖ A watch (without an audible alarm)</li> <li>❖ A sweater</li> </ul>  <p><b>Arrival Time:</b> At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.</p>  | <p><b>Saturday,<br/> October 28, 2023</b></p>  <table border="1" data-bbox="1900 435 2068 609"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2">Education Facts</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td colspan="2">Serving Size: 1 ACT Test</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">Servings per container: 1 (or 2, or 3)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Minutes: 175</td> <td>Minutes of break: 25</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">% Daily Value</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Reading</td> <td>25%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Math</td> <td>25%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Writing</td> <td>25%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Science</td> <td>25%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total established</td> <td>100%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Creating scale</td> <td>30</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Test takers (2014)</td> <td>1.95 mil</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | Education Facts |  | Serving Size: 1 ACT Test |  | Servings per container: 1 (or 2, or 3) |  | Minutes: 175 | Minutes of break: 25 | % Daily Value |  | Reading | 25% | Math | 25% | Writing | 25% | Science | 25% | Total established | 100% | Creating scale | 30 | Test takers (2014) | 1.95 mil |
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| Reading                                | 25%  |  |   |                 |  |                          |  |  |  |              |                      |               |  |         |     |      |     |         |     |         |     |                   |      |                |    |                    |          |
| Math                                   | 25%  |  |   |                 |  |                          |  |  |  |              |                      |               |  |         |     |      |     |         |     |         |     |                   |      |                |    |                    |          |
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| Creating scale                         | 30   |  |   |                 |  |                          |  |  |  |              |                      |               |  |         |     |      |     |         |     |         |     |                   |      |                |    |                    |          |
| Test takers (2014)                     | 1.95 mil   |  |   |                 |  |                          |  |  |  |              |                      |               |  |         |     |      |     |         |     |         |     |                   |      |                |    |                    |          |
| <p><b>71</b></p>                       | <p><b>Coca-Cola Scholars Program</b></p>                        | <p>The Coca-Cola Scholars Program scholarship is an achievement-based scholarship awarded to graduating high school seniors. Students are recognized for their capacity to lead and serve, as well as their commitment to making a significant impact on their schools and communities.</p> <p>Eligibility requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Current high school/home-schooled students who will graduate high school during the 2023-2024 academic school year</li> <li>▪ U.S. Citizens (not a Temporary Resident), U.S. Nationals, U.S. Permanent Residents, Refugees, Asylees, Cuban-Haitian Entrants, or Humanitarian Parolees - based on the guidelines utilized by U.S. Department of Education for Federal Financial Aid eligibility</li> <li>▪ Planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution</li> <li>▪ Carrying a minimum 3.00 GPA at the end of their junior year of high school</li> </ul> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> One-hundred &amp; fifty—\$20,000.00.....BIG MONEY ALERT!</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/">https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/</a>. Scholarship open on August 1<sup>st</sup>.</p> | <p><b>October 31, 2023</b></p>    |                 |  |                          |  |  |  |              |                      |               |  |         |     |      |     |         |     |         |     |                   |      |                |    |                    |          |
| <p><b>72</b></p>                       | <p><b>Active Life Scholarship to Tackle Your Weakness</b></p>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✦ Current high school or college students age 15 years or older.</li> <li>✦ This scholarship encourages students to identify and take action to improve a weakness and begin to transform it into a strength.</li> <li>✦ Additionally, in 3-5 sentences please answer ONE of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* What do you consider one of your greatest weaknesses? -OR-</li> <li>*Why is it important to try to improve a weakness?</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Award Amount:</b> \$1,000.00. May be used at any college to study any major.</p> <p><b>Apply at:</b> <a href="http://www.getupgetactive.org/active-life-weakness/">http://www.getupgetactive.org/active-life-weakness/</a></p>   | <p><b>October 31, 2023</b></p>   |                 |  |                          |  |  |  |              |                      |               |  |         |     |      |     |         |     |         |     |                   |      |                |    |                    |          |

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**Voice of Democracy Audio Essay Scholarship**



**Eligibility Criteria:**

- Open 9<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> grade students who are enrolled in a public, private or parochial high school or home study program in the United States, its territories and possessions.
- Students must be lawful U.S. permanent residents or have applied for permanent residence.

\*\*\*Written & recorded essay (3-5 minutes) based on this year's theme "Why is the Veteran Important?" Record your original 3-5 minute (+ or - 5 seconds max.) essay on an audio CD or a flash drive. One student per CD or flash drive.

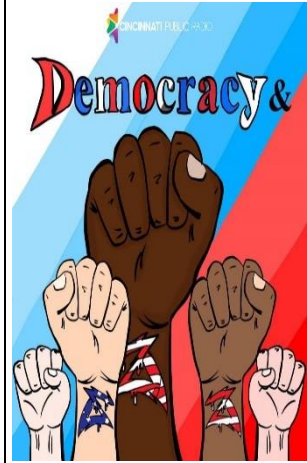
**WHAT ARE THE JUDGING CRITERIA?**

- Originality is worth 30 points: Treatment of the theme should show imagination and human interest.
- Content is worth 35 points: Clearly express your ideas in an organized manner. Fully develop your theme and use transitions to move smoothly from one idea to another.
- Delivery is worth 35 points: Speak in a clear and credible manner

**Award Amount:** \$1000.00-\$35,000.00

**Apply at:** <https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-and-education/youth-scholarships>. To submit your post, visit [www.vfw.org/find-a-post](http://www.vfw.org/find-a-post) and following the direction prompts.

**October 31, 2023**



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**Ron Brown Scholarship**



RON BROWN SCHOLAR PROGRAM

Eligibility Requirements: To be eligible participants, students must meet the following requirements:

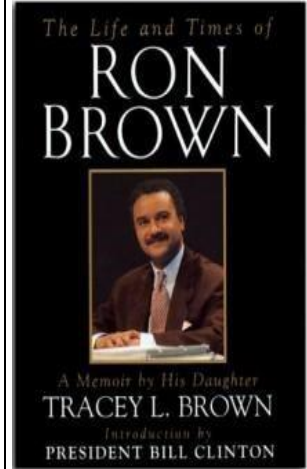
- ❖ Must be Black/African American & must excel academically.
- ❖ Must exhibit exceptional leadership potential & must participate in community service activities.
- ❖ Demonstrate financial need & must be a US citizen or hold a permanent resident visa card
- ❖ Must be a current high school senior

Applicants need to complete two—500 word essays (A) Choose the one activity you listed as most important in question #1 and tell us why it is significant & (B) Submit one essay that you plan to send or have sent as part of a college application. This may be on any topic. If your college application did not require an essay, please submit an essay on the topic of your choice; and provide two letters of recommendations—at least one letter should be from a teacher or other school professional.

**Award Amount:** Forty to fifty--\$40,000.00 to the most talented and economically-challenged high school seniors who demonstrate a keen interest in public service, community engagement, business entrepreneurship and global citizenship – the four pillars of the late Ronald H. Brown's mission to uplift people of all races, cultures and ethnicities – especially our disadvantaged youth.

**Apply at:** <https://www.ronbrown.org/>. Applications must be mailed to: Ron Brown Scholar Program, 1160 Pepsi Place, Suite 206, Charlottesville, VA 22901.

**November 1, 2023**  
(Early application deadline)



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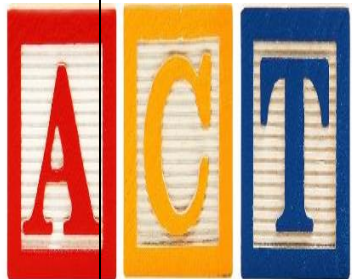
### ACT Test Registration Deadline

ACT Testing Date: **December 9, 2023**

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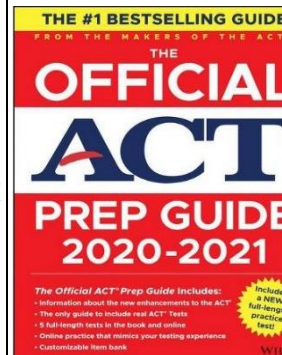
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3. Decide if you want to answer other questions about yourself.
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6. Check out, and print your Admission Ticket.

Costs: \$55.00 or ACT Fee Waiver

Register at: <https://www.act.org/content/act/en.html>



November 3, 2023



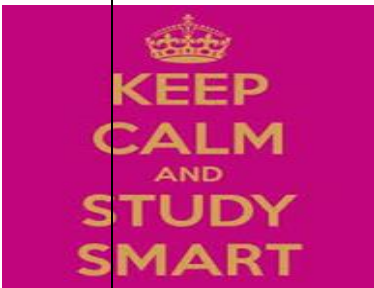
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### SAT Test Date

What items to bring to YOUR testing site:

- ❖ Face covering
- ❖ Your up-to-date admission ticket
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Arrival Time: At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.



**Save the Date: School Day S.A.T.**

Who: **YOU** **LOVE THE SAT!**

What: **School Day S.A.T.**

Where: **UPrep @ Milliones**

When: **Tomorrow, March 4th**

Saturday, November 4, 2023



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### NACAC Signature Virtual College

What to expect: FREE.... Attend as often as YOU like!

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**Find the college for you.**

Aug. 29: Signature Fair  
Sept. 12: Signature Fair  
Sept. 28: Northeastern US Fair  
Oct. 3: Signature Fair  
Oct. 14: Midwest US Fair  
Oct. 24: Signature Fair  
Nov. 2: Arts & STEM Fair  
Nov. 14: Signature Fair

**NACAC Virtual COLLEGE FAIRS**

Sign up now for FREE!  
[virtualcollegefairs.org](http://virtualcollegefairs.org)

Attend a NACAC Virtual College Fair

Sunday, November 12, 2023

@ 1:00pm—6:00pm

**NACAC Virtual COLLEGE FAIRS**

[virtualcollegefairs.org](http://virtualcollegefairs.org)

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### Elks National Foundation Most Valuable Student Scholarship



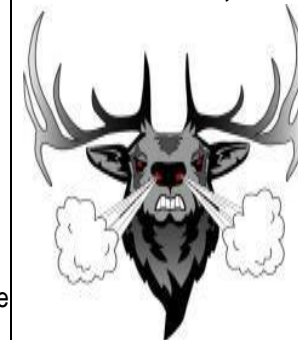
### Eligibility Requirements:

- Applicants must be a H/S senior and a U.S. citizen. Applicants must be citizens of the United States on the date their applications are submitted; permanent legal resident status does not qualify.
- Selection will be judged on scholarship, leadership, and financial need.
- Male and female students compete separately.
- Most Valuable Student scholarships are for students pursuing a four-year degree, on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 semester hours), in a U.S. college or university. All scholarships are in the form of certificates of award conditional upon the full-time enrollment of the winner in an accredited U.S. college or university.

**Award Amount:** 500—four-year scholarships ranging from \$4,000.00-\$50,000.00

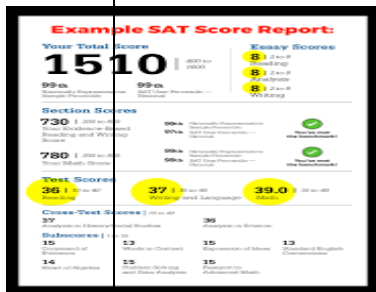
**Apply at:** <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/MVS.cfm> Applications must be submitted to the Elks Lodge closest to the student's permanent U.S. address. Email [scholarship@elks.org](mailto:scholarship@elks.org) or call 773-755-4732 with questions.

November 14, 2023



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### College Board's SAT Registration Deadline



### SAT Testing Date: December 2, 2023

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**Costs:** \$52.00 or SAT Fee Waiver

**Register at:** <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register/dates-deadlines>



November 17, 2023

(Regular Registration Deadline)



### Education Facts

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| Grading scale (no essay) |                  | 1600          |
| Test takers (2014)       |                  | 1.67 mi       |



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### 2023 Jack Kent Cooke



**MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:** At a minimum, applicants must:

- Plan to graduate from a U.S. high school in spring 2023
- Intend to enroll in an accredited four-year college or university beginning in Fall 2024
- Earn a cumulative unweighted (GPA of 3.5 or above)
- SAT combined critical reading and math score of 1200 or above and/or ACT composite score of 26 or above
- Demonstrate significant unmet financial need, with family annual gross income up to \$95,000.

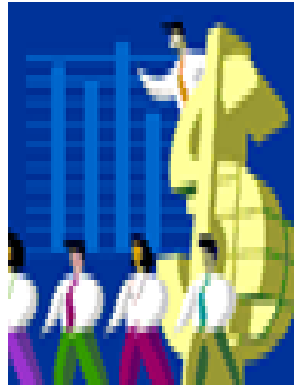
**Selection Criteria:** Jack Kent Cooke Foundation College Scholars are selected based on exceptional academic ability and achievement, financial need, persistence, service to others, and leadership.

**Selection Process:** A rigorous application review includes analysis of grades (official transcripts), standardized test scores, participation in available advanced courses, student essays, 2 letters of recommendation, and family finances.

**Award Amount:** 30-40 scholarships--up to \$40,000.00 each.

**Apply at:** <https://www.jkcf.org/our-scholarships/college-scholarship-program/how-to-apply/>. Apply online in the Common App at <https://www.commonapp.org/how-apply>.

November 17, 2023



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### The SchoolHouse Connection Leadership & Scholarship Program



# SchoolHouse Connection

**WHO is ELIGIBLE:** The scholarship is open to youth who have experienced homelessness within the last six years and entering college for the first time in the 2023-24 school year.

\*Provides scholarships to youth who have experienced homelessness to ensure their completion of a post-secondary education program & assists youth with financial aid processes, mental health advocacy and referrals, professional legal advocacy and referrals, and assistance in locating and establishing local contacts for general support and services.

\*Builds a stable peer and adult support network for recipients, before, during, and after their college careers, and into their transition into the workforce.

\*Offers young people meaningful opportunities to engage in advocacy, while providing sustained support services to help ensure graduation and success in life.

**Who Should Apply?**

- Applicants must have been born on or after November 24, 2003.
- Applicants must be entering college for the first time during the fall of 2023-2024 school year. This means that the application is for students who will be high school seniors in the fall of 2024; for those who are in GED programs; and for those who plan to take a gap year. Students who have college credit through high school programs are eligible.
- Applicants must have experienced homelessness within the last six years & must reside in the United States.

Undocumented students who meet these criteria are eligible.

**Award Amount:** Scholarship award includes the following--A minimum of ten--\$2,500.00 scholarships. A trip to a national awards ceremony (travel and expenses included). Second gathering in Washington, DC, one year after the initial scholarship award (all expenses included). One on one support from SchoolHouse Connection staff to ensure that you are successful in getting to and through higher education.

**Apply at:** <https://schoolhouseconnection.org/youth-leadership/scholarship-program/>

November 24, 2023



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### ServiceScape 2023 Scholarship



#### Scholarship Eligibility:

- ⑩ Must be attending or plan to attend an accredited college, university, or trade school in 2023.
- ⑩ Must be at least 18 years old.

#### How to apply:

- ⑩ Must fill out the application form
- ⑩ Must respond the following prompt in 300-words or less:  
\*\*\*\*\* How Does Writing Impact Today's World?  
Think about it, write about it, and let us know your thoughts.

**Award Amount:** \$1,000.00

**Apply at:** <https://www.servicescape.com/scholarship>

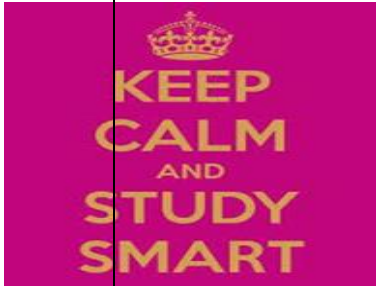


November 30, 2023



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SAT Test Date



What items to bring to YOUR testing site:

- ❖ Face covering
- ❖ Your up-to-date admission ticket
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- ❖ Two No. 2 pencils with erasers
- ❖ [An approved calculator](#)
- ❖ A snack & drink
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- ❖ A sweater

Save the Date: School Day S.A.T.

Who: YOU



What: School Day S.A.T.



Where: UPrep @ Millions

When: Tomorrow, March 4th



Saturday, December 2, 2023



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ACT Test Date



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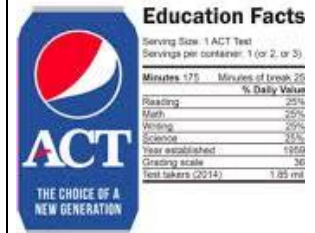
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CHILL We're Passing Tests in Here

Arrival Time: At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.

Saturday, December 9, 2023



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UNIGO \$10,000.00 Scholarship



Applicants must:

- Be fourteen (14) years of age or older at the time of application
- Be legal residents of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia
- Be currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the fall of 2028) in an accredited post-secondary institution
- Submit an online written response to the question: "Would you rather be smart, funny or rich? Why?" (250 words or less)

Award Amount: \$10,000.00

Apply at: <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/unigo-10k-scholarship>

December 31, 2023



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### ACT Test Registration Deadline



### ACT Testing Date: February 10, 2024

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**Costs:** \$55.00 or ACT Fee Waiver

**Register at:** <https://www.act.org/content/act/en.html>



January 5, 2024



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### ACT Test Date

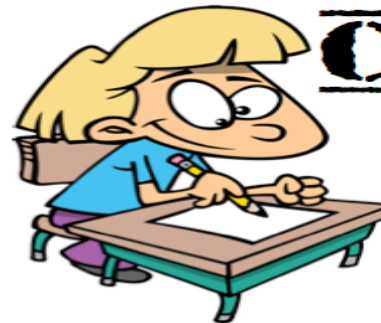
#### What is the Best ACT Prep Book?



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# CHILL

We're Passing Tests in Here

Saturday, February 10, 2024

**Education Facts**

Serving Size: 1 ACT Test  
Servings per container: 1 (or 2, or 3)

| Minutes: 175        | Minutes of break: 25 |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| Reading             | 25%                  |
| Math                | 25%                  |
| Writing             | 25%                  |
| Science             | 25%                  |
| Year established:   | 1959                 |
| Crating scale:      | 30                   |
| Test takers (2014): | 1.05 mil             |

THE CHOICE OF A NEW GENERATION

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HBCU Week X  
NFL Scholarship



**Submission Requirements:**

- Provide most recent, verifiable high school transcript (Subject to authentication)
- Provide proof of acceptance at an Historically Black College or University (HBCU)\*
- Acceptance letters can be submitted through 4/10/24. All other application materials must be submitted by 2/15/24.

Applicants must:

- Be a citizen or legal permanent resident of the United States
- Complete or have completed high school with a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (unweighted) and be entering their freshman year of college
- Attend a Historically Black College or University (HBCU) for the entirety of their college education.
- Demonstrate financial need

**Award Amount:** The scholarship can be used for tuition, room and board. A student may accept additional scholarships but they cannot exceed the total cost of their education.

**Apply at:** <https://www.hbcuweek.org/nfl/>. Completed applications should be submitted electronically. If absolutely necessary, please mail completed applications to P.O BOX 1546, Wilmington, DE 19899.

February 16, 2024



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HBCU Week  
X LexisNexis  
Risk Solutions  
Group  
Scholarship



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Preferred Majors: \*Computer Engineering \*Computer Networking \*Information Technology \*Computer Programing \*Computer Science \*Software Engineering \* Technology Management \*Math \*Data Science \*Data Analytics

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February 16, 2024



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HBCU Week  
X Capital  
One Scholarship



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February 16, 2024





## College Board's SAT Registration Deadline

**Example SAT Score Report:**

| Section                 | Score       | Percentile |
|-------------------------|-------------|------------|
| <b>Your Total Score</b> | <b>1510</b> | <b>85</b>  |
| Reading and Language    | 730         | 85         |
| Math                    | 780         | 85         |
| Writing and Language    | 30          | 37         |
| Math                    | 39.0        | 39.0       |

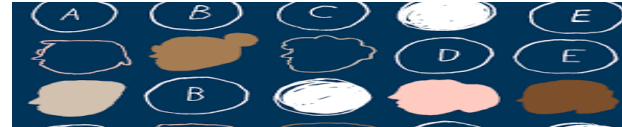


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## February 23, 2024

(Regular Registration Deadline)



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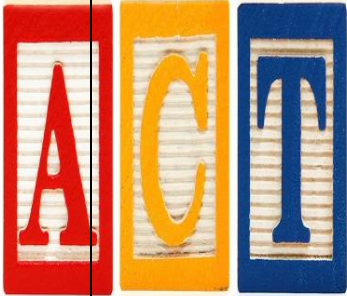
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ACT Test Registration Deadline



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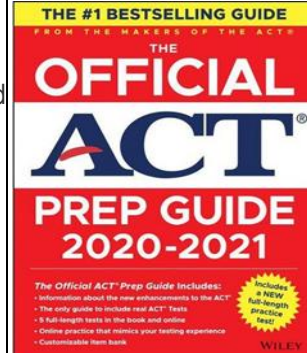
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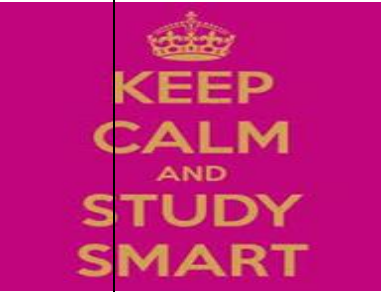
Register at: <https://www.act.org/content/act/en.html>

March 8, 2024



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SAT Test Date



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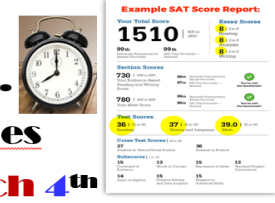
Save the Date: School Day S.A.T.

Who: YOU **LOVE THE SAT!**

What: School Day S.A.T.

Where: **UDrep @ Millions**

When: **Tomorrow, March 4<sup>th</sup>**



Arrival Time: At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.

Saturday, March 9, 2024



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Superpower Scholarship



Applicants must:

- Be thirteen (13) years of age or older at the time of application
- Be legal residents of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia
- Be currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the Fall of 2026) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education



Submit an online written response to the question:

"Which superhero or villain would you want to change places with for a day and why?" (250 words or less)

Award Amount: \$2500.00

Apply at: <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/superpower-scholarship>



March 31, 2024



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### Nelson Cabinetry Scholarship



### Eligibility Criteria:

- Students must be legal residents and be enrolled in an accredited high school, college, or university within the United States.
  - High school students must be entering or finishing their senior year in order to be eligible.
- To completed applications should include:
- Provide the committee with a short description of yourself and
  - Provide a 500-word statement on what Nelson Cabinetry could do in your field of study to improve our contribution.

**Award Amount:** \$1,500.00 to use towards expenses related to education including tuition, books, campus housing, and more.

**Apply at:** <https://nelsonkb.com/scholarships/>

April 15, 2024



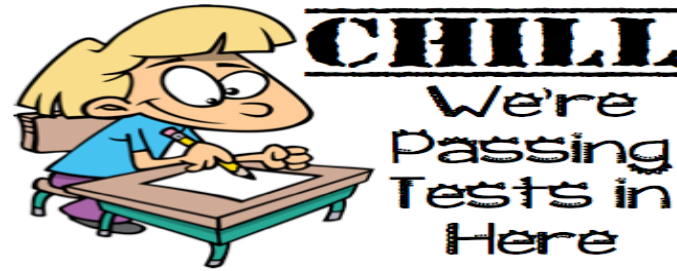
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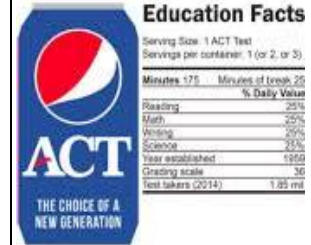
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Saturday, April 13, 2024



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### College Board's SAT Registration Deadline



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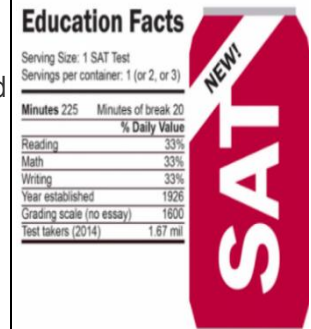
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April 19, 2024 (Regular Registration Deadline)



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ACT Test Registration Deadline



ACT Testing Date: June 8, 2023

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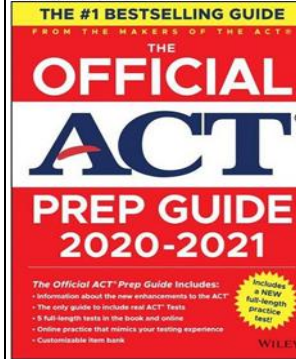
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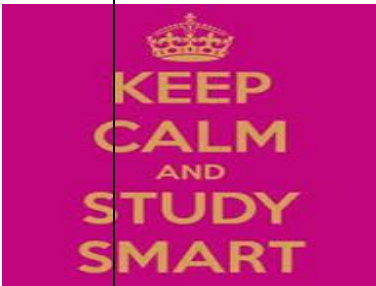
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May 3, 2024



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SAT Test Date



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Saturday, May 4, 2024



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College Board's SAT Registration Deadline



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  - \*\*\*Select your SAT test date
  - \*\*\*Find a test center near you
  - \*\*\*Start your registration to find seat availability.



May 16, 2024 (Regular Registration Deadline)





**How to REGISTER:**

7. [Sign in to your free College Board account.](#) Your parent or counselor can't register for you.
8. Provide your full, legal name and other identifying information. Make sure it's the exact same name and information shown on your photo ID.
9. Decide if you want to answer other questions about yourself. This takes time, but it's worth it if you want colleges and scholarship organizations to find you. [Learn why you should opt in to Student Search Service®.](#)
10. Decide whether to sign up for the SAT with Essay. [See which colleges recommend or require it.](#)
11. Upload a photo that meets very specific [photo requirements.](#)
12. Check out, and print your Admission Ticket.



**Costs:** \$52.00 or SAT Fee Waiver

**Register at:** <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register/dates-deadlines>

**Education Facts**

Serving Size: 1 SAT Test  
Servings per container: 1 (or 2, or 3)

| Minutes                  | Minutes of break | % Daily Value |
|--------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Reading                  | 225              | 33%           |
| Math                     | 20               | 33%           |
| Writing                  |                  | 33%           |
| Year established         |                  | 1926          |
| Grading scale (no essay) |                  | 1600          |
| Test takers (2014)       |                  | 1.67 mil      |

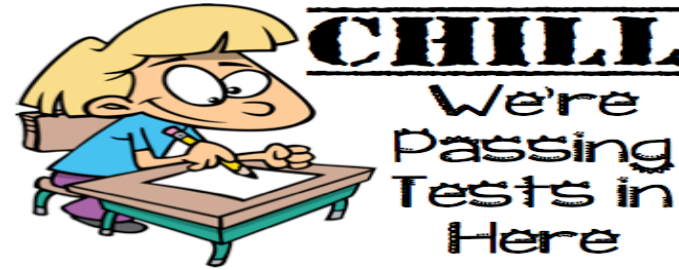
**NEW!**  
**SAT**

**101 ACT Test Date**



What items to bring to YOUR testing site:

- ❖ Face covering
- ❖ Your up-to-date admission ticket
- ❖ [Acceptable photo ID](#)
- ❖ Two No. 2 pencils with erasers
- ❖ [An approved calculator](#)
- ❖ A snack & drink
- ❖ A watch (without an audible alarm)
- ❖ A sweater



**Arrival Time:** At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.

**Saturday, June 8, 2024**

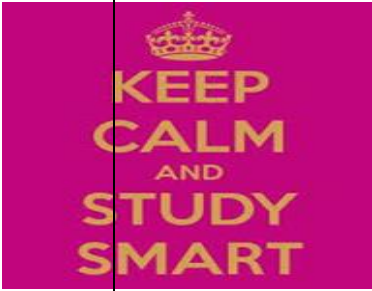
**Education Facts**

Serving Size: 1 ACT Test  
Servings per container: 1 (or 2, or 3)

| Minutes            | Minutes of break | % Daily Value |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Reading            | 175              | 25%           |
| Math               | 20               | 25%           |
| Writing            |                  | 25%           |
| Science            |                  | 25%           |
| Year established   |                  | 1959          |
| Grading scale      |                  | 36            |
| Test takers (2014) |                  | 1.05 mil      |

**ACT**  
THE CHOICE OF A NEW GENERATION

**102 SAT Test Date**



What items to bring to YOUR testing site:

- ❖ Face covering
- ❖ Your up-to-date admission ticket
- ❖ [Acceptable photo ID](#)
- ❖ Two No. 2 pencils with erasers
- ❖ [An approved calculator](#)
- ❖ A snack & drink
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- ❖ A sweater

**Save the Date: School Day S.A.T.**

**Who: YOU** **LOVE THE SAT!**

**What: School Day S.A.T.**

**Where: UPrep @ Millions**

**When: Tomorrow, March 4<sup>th</sup>**

**Arrival Time:** At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.

**Saturday, June 1, 2024**

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ACT Test Registration Deadline

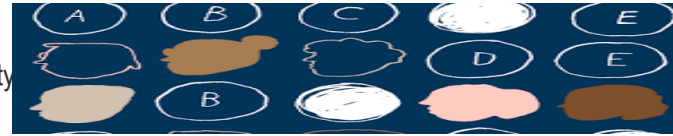


ACT Testing Date: July 15, 2024

Any student with an existing ACT Student account should sign-in with their login credentials (username & password), if not, please create an ACT Student login credentials....then complete the registration pathway.

In light of COVID-19 & Remote Learning conditions, please be aware the following tidbits:

- ❖ ACT has a test center look up tool organized by test date.
- ❖ Results will vary based on the date selected, so remember to toggle dates to see all options in your area.
- ❖ Not all test centers have available seats.
- ❖ You will be able to see up to date seat availability within the ACT registration process. So.....
  1. Select your ACT test date
  2. Find a test center near you
  3. Start your registration to find seat availability



How to REGISTER:

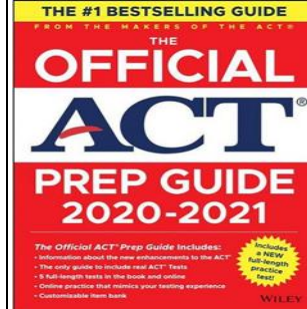
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3. Decide whether to sign up for the ACT with Writing.
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5. Check out, and print your Admission Ticket.

Costs: \$55.00 or ACT Fee Waiver

Register at: <https://www.act.org/content/act/en.html>



June 7, 2024



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ACT Test Date



What items to bring to YOUR testing site:

- ❖ Face covering
- ❖ Your up-to-date admission ticket
- ❖ [Acceptable photo ID](#)
- ❖ Two No. 2 pencils with erasers
- ❖ [An approved calculator](#)
- ❖ A snack & drink
- ❖ A watch (without an audible alarm)
- ❖ A sweater

Arrival Time: At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.



CHILL We're Passing Tests in Here

Saturday, June 8, 2024



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ACT Test Date



What items to bring to YOUR testing site:

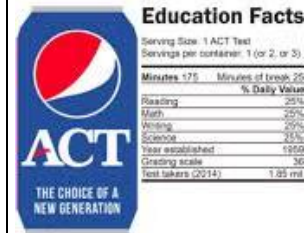
- ❖ Face covering
- ❖ Your up-to-date admission ticket
- ❖ [Acceptable photo ID](#)
- ❖ Two No. 2 pencils with erasers
- ❖ [An approved calculator](#)
- ❖ A snack & drink
- ❖ A watch (without an audible alarm)
- ❖ A sweater

Arrival Time: At least 30 minutes for the noted start time. Have breakfast before you arrive.



CHILL We're Passing Tests in Here

Saturday, July 13, 2024





## Additional Scholarship Websites

Scholars Stuff  
FastWEB  
College View  
College Week Live  
Scholarship Road Map  
Gates Millennium Scholarship  
United Negro College Fund  
Scholarships.Com

[www.scholarstuff.com](http://www.scholarstuff.com)  
[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)  
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