



Dear Phantoms and Parents,

We hope this message finds you well. We want to share essential information regarding the upcoming digital PSAT (Preliminary Scholastic Assessment Test) for the freshmen, sophomores and juniors. Additionally, we'd like to update you on the recent preparations we've made to ensure our students are ready for this digital testing experience.

Digital PSAT Test Dates:

Freshmen: October 1/ **Sophomores:** October 2/ **Juniors:** October 3- Gym- Time 8:20-11:30- Dismissal

Recent Digital Testing Preparation:

The week of September 22, the Grade Level Counselors conducted a digital test in all religion classes to better prepare our students for the digital PSAT. During this session, students had the opportunity to:

1. Download and familiarize themselves with the Bluebook testing app.
2. Took a picture of their log-in information for practice tests.
3. Practiced navigating through test pages to become comfortable with the digital testing environment.
4. Have access to a full length practice exam.

Technology / Fully Charged iPad Requirements:

- iPadOS 16.0 and 18.5 *supported*
- iPadOS 17.0.0–17.0.3 *is not supported*
- Students must connect to Cathedral High School's WIFI
- To participate in the digital PSAT each student must arrive on test day with a fully charged iPad. Students without a fully charged iPad will not be able to take the test and will be sent home. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- No Makeup Tests Available: Please be aware that there will be no makeup tests for students who do not have a fully charged iPad on test day.

What to Bring on Test Day

1. Your fully charged device
2. A pencil or pen
3. Calculator

Parental Support:

We kindly request your support in ensuring that your son is prepared for the Digital PSAT. Please remind your son of the necessity of having a fully charged iPad on test day, as this is vital for their success.

Score Availability:

Scores will be available a few weeks after the test date. We will notify you as soon as scores are released.

We appreciate your cooperation and support in making this year's PSAT administration a smooth and successful process for our students. Additional information will be posted on the Grade Level Google Classroom. If you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to reach out to your grade level counselor:

Ms. Martinez- Freshmen and Sophomore Counselor, lmartinez@chsla.org

Mr. Ryan- Junior Counselor, rryan@chsla.org

Thank you for partnering with us to help our students excel on this important assessment.

Sincerely,

Cathedral High School Counseling Department