**SAT ONLINE PRACTICE**

As you know, you will be taking the SAT test on April 12th. In order to prepare you for that experience, our school district is also providing you with the opportunity to take the PSAT/NMSQT on October 14th. The College Board that writes the SAT test has partnered with Khan Academy to give students an opportunity for individualized practice to prepare for the SAT test.

In the meantime, we recommend you visit [www.collegereadiness.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegereadiness.collegeboard.org) and [www.khanacademy.org/sat](http://www.khanacademy.org/sat). You will need to create username and logins. These websites will give you access to free SAT prep materials!

When you log-in to Khan for the first time, you will need a google e-mail address and password. It is important that you take the four mini practice/diagnostic quizzes. They are quick and will help make sure that the practice questions are less random and more individualized for you. We recommend that you wait and **not** take any of the four full length SAT practice tests until after you take the PSAT/NMSQTat school on October 14th. You can take these online full-length practice tests one time only. You cannot retake them. We would like you to take one of the full practice tests in early November, one in late December (over the holiday break), one in mid-February (over the mid-winter break) and one in late-March.

**Directions for KhanAcademy.org/SAT:**

1. Be sure to choose the SAT option for the first question, not the PSAT.



1. Make sure you choose the “new SAT in March 2016 or later” option.



1. Put in your appropriate zip code so that the information provided to you is accurate.



1. Complete the four diagnostic quizzes to get individualized practice designed to help you improve your SAT score!



***Completion of the diagnostic quizzes will give you plenty of practice problems, video tutorials, and guidance to improve prior to the PSAT test you will take on October 14th. After that, as soon as the College Board scores your test, your scores and answers will be uploaded to Khan Academy and your sample questions will target your areas of weakness. Don’t get frustrated! Remember that every tutorial and explanation of the answer that you work through is going to help you improve your score. Twenty to thirty minutes of practice a day on Khan is recommended.***

***REMINDER: DO NOT TAKE ANY OF THE FOUR FULL-LENGTH ONLINE SAT PRACTICE TESTS YET!***