



Fort Lee Public Schools

September 29, 2023

Dear Parents/Guardians and Students,

On Wednesday, October 25, 2023, Fort Lee High School (FLHS) will administer the PSAT/NMSQT to all students in grades 10 and 11. Taking the PSAT/NMSQT can help your child to enter the [National Merit Scholarship Program](#) (if they meet program requirements), practice and prepare for the SAT, plan for college, find out what AP courses they may be ready to take, and connect to their future career. Results from the PSAT/NMSQT provide insights into your child's academic strengths, along with the areas they can work on while still in high school.

Beginning this school year, the PSAT/NMSQT will be administered digitally. More information on this can be found here: [What to expect with the digital PSAT/NMSQT](#). Students must bring a fully charged chromebook on test day. Students should also bring a pen or pencil. Scratch paper will be provided. Students are allowed to use a calculator on all questions in the math section. The digital platform itself has a built-in graphing calculator that you can use if you wish, or you can use your own approved calculator. A list of approved calculators can be found at: [PSAT/NMSQT Approved Calculators](#). Please note that FLHS will not be providing students with a calculator.

All students will be assigned a test room. Room assignments will be shared in Google classroom and posted outside of the School Counseling Office prior to testing. Students should report to their assigned test room by 7:45 AM. Students are not permitted to enter the testing area after 8:00 AM. Please note that no make-up exam will be given.

Students and parents/guardians can utilize the following link in preparation for the test: [PSAT/NMSQT Practice Tests](#). As the test takes approximately three hours to complete, please be sure that your child is well rested and eats breakfast.

Sincerely,

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Director of School Counseling/District Test Coordinator