

**PSAT REGISTRATION – 11th Grade**

September 2025

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Per state legislation, the School District of Manatee provides 11th grade students the opportunity to take a standardized assessment to gauge their college readiness. This is an opportunity for students and parents to gain information regarding a student’s potential success meeting college readiness benchmarks and university admission criteria based on a nationally normed test. This is an optional test and is not a graduation requirement.

The School District of Manatee County has chosen to use the PSAT/NMSQT for this assessment opportunity, which aligns with the SAT, a college entrance exam used by most colleges and universities. This assessment is administered during the school day to registered 11th grade students. The PSAT/NMSQT is more than just a test – it’s a comprehensive program that helps schools put students on the path to college. PSAT/NMSQT benefits include:

* encouraging participation in Advanced Placement courses
* supporting college and career planning
* providing access to directed practice to help students fill their knowledge gaps through Khan Academy resulting in improved SAT scores and/or attainment of the FSA concordant score (contact your School Counselor for more information on Khan Academy)
* providing scholarship opportunities when students participate in the 11th grade

While the information received from this assessment is valuable and relevant, there is also an understanding of the substantial time set aside for required testing throughout the school year**. In consideration of this, parents must indicate if they would like their student to take advantage of this opportunity. Only students who wish to participate need to complete the form. The cost for the test is $20 and payment must be received by September 19th which is paid by using the link on the Southeast High School website.** [**https://manateeschools.revtrak.net/high-schools/southeast-hs/sehs-testing/#/v/sehs-psat-testing-fee**](https://manateeschools.revtrak.net/high-schools/southeast-hs/sehs-testing/#/v/sehs-psat-testing-fee)

Students with disabilities, that include ESE and 504, are eligible **to apply** for accommodations prior to taking the PSAT. Accommodations must be applied for in advance for all College Board assessments. **Unless your student has already applied for and has been approved to receive accommodations through College Board, they will not be eligible to receive accommodations for the October PSAT without going through the application process.**

**Please complete the information below indicating if you would like your student to participate and return the completed form to Ms. Sisk in the front office.**

**Student Name**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Grade: Student ID:**

**I request my student:**

**\_\_\_\_\_Yes, I would like my student to take the PSAT/NMSQT**

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**Parent Signature Date**

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**Parent Name (printed)**

**PLEASE SUBMIT THIS COMPLETED FORM TO THE TESTING OFFICE, NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, September 19,2025, AND PAY FOR THE PSAT/NMSQT BY USING THE LINK ON THE SEHS WEBSITE.**