

What's Next?

Now you've taken the PSAT you need to use your results to help you prepare for the ACT and SAT

How can you do this?

You now have practiced taking a timed standardized test and have seen your results. The PSAT is a learning tool and regardless of your score you can use the results to improve and score well on the ACT and SAT. We have several suggestions for you to use to get ready to take these tests

- **Online test help –**
- **Learning express Library can be accessed through the library home page at www.geaugalibrary.org and provides free online test prep for ACT, SAT, and AP tests. Students can access using any computer in the library or the barcode off a library card can be used to log in from any computer outside the library.**
www.act.org – diagnostic tests, practice tests, and online analysis of your strengths and weaknesses and instructional materials to help you prepare for the test - includes a personalized ACT prep path - \$19.95
www.collegeboard.com –
Official SAT online course - \$69.95
Official online study guide - \$19.95
Official SAT question on the day - \$11.95
- **Test preparation classes**
***Sylvan Learning Center* – 440-255-0055**
www.sylvanlearning.com – cost varies for each test

prep class – average is \$700-\$800 (can print coupon for \$100 off)

***College Review* – single, six week, twelve week, and private prep classes available at a variety of local schools including Solon High School and Chagrin Falls – more information can be found at**

www.collegereview.org – costs range from \$50 for the single evening, \$350 for the six week class all the way to \$925 for the six week class plus private sessions

***Lakeland Community College* – This is a ten week class beginning in Jan. and running through March – cost to be determined**

- **Test preparation books**

***Kaplan test prep* – www.kaptest.com - \$19.00**

***Peterson's Guides* – www.petersons.com – ACT book- \$16.47 and SAT book \$22.00**

There are several other materials available online. This is just a sampling of things we are familiar with.

Taking the ACT and SAT

- **You've taken the PSAT and now have a good idea of what to expect on the SAT.**
- **The ACT is also a major college entry exam accepted by virtually every school in the country as is the SAT. ACT is divided into English, Reading, Math, Science Reasoning, and an optional writing section (which we recommend everyone take) as opposed to the SAT which is the same as the PSAT.**

- **ACT test dates for the rest of the year are: 10/23/10, 12/11/10, 2/12/11, 4/09/11 (this is the date offered at Chardon High School), and 6/11/11***
- **SAT test dates for the rest of the year are: 10/09/10, 11/6/10, 12/4/10, 1/22/11, 3/13/11, 5/7/11 (this is the date offered at Chardon High School), and 6/4/11***

***You must register for these tests with the company. Materials are in guidance or can be found online at www.act.org (ACT) or www.collegeboard.com (SAT)**