

Palmer Ridge High School

April 2, 2019

ATTENTION PRHS Students and Parents/Guardians

State mandated PSAT 9, PSAT 10, and SAT - Test Days Information

9th Grade – April 9th No School

9th Grade – April 10th – PSAT testing in a.m.

10th Grade – April 9th No School

10th Grade – April 10th –PSAT testing in a.m.

11th Grade – April 9th SAT testing in a.m.

11th Grade – April 10th – No School

11th Grade – April 15-17 – CMAS testing during regularly scheduled school days

12th Grade – April 9th and 10th – No School

Only students testing grades 9, 10, and 11 are allowed in the school on their assigned test date.

Buses will run normal schedule for drop off and pick up.

Students testing should plan on the following:

- Bring your own calculator - Prohibited calculators include: keyboard-like keypads, use of paper tape, make noise, or use a power cord. Make sure calculators have new batteries in them prior to test day.
Please refer to the attachment on acceptable calculators to use for testing
- Other prohibited devices include: cell phones, smart phones, wearable technology (watches) and other devices that can be used to send, receive, record, or playback audio, photographic, text, or video content - - - **DO NOT BRING ANY OF THESE ITEMS ON TEST DAY. THEY WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IN THE TESTING ROOM.** The school will not be responsible for lost or damaged items.
- You may have a water bottle and a snack.
- If you are testing with accommodations bring more than one snack. You **WILL** be testing for a longer time.
- Backpacks are not needed on testing day.
- Bring a lunch if you are not being picked up until the end of the day.
- Pencils will be provided on test day
- All students are required to have their Student ID, there are no exceptions. This is a requirement for each school day.

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To: PRHS Students, Parents and Guardians

RE: State mandated testing on April 9th for SAT and April 10th for PSAT9 and PSAT10

Seniors are not allowed to schedule appointments with individual teachers or be in the building on April 9th and 10th unless there is a scheduled meeting.

Parents who have opted their student out of testing will be excused on this day and no parent call is needed. Opted out students are NOT allowed to be in the building. There won't be alternative activities, access to teachers for assistance, or access to the testing center on April 9th or 10th.

***Juniors will also be taking the CMAS Science test on April 15th – 18th. More information will be sent out for the specific day(s) students will be testing.

April 9th, 2019 Schedule

Juniors	
April 9th – No Essay	April 9th – Essay
Arrival 7:35 Find and report to test room by 7:45	Arrival 7:35 Find and report to test room by 7:45
Test rooms close at 7:55	Test rooms close at 7:55
Test Administration, 8:00 - 11:30	Test Administration, 8:00 – 12:25
Please Note: Buses will run a normal schedule. Juniors may leave after the last test or go to the assigned study hall room until 2:52.	
Important: <i>If your child will be testing with accommodations, they will test into the afternoon and possibly over two days. Your child can go home after testing or go to a study hall room available. Depending on the accommodation will depend on the total testing time each day.</i>	

April 10th, 2019 Schedule

Sophomores
April 10th
Arrival 7:35, Find and report to test room by 7:45
Test rooms close at 7:55
Test Administration, 8:00 – 11:20
Please Note: Buses will run a normal schedule. Sophomores may leave after the last test. Students will need to make arrangements with parents to pick them up after testing or go to the assigned study hall room until 2:52.
Important: <i>If your child will be testing with accommodations, they will test into the afternoon and possibly over two days. Your child can go home after testing or go to a study hall room available. Depending on the accommodation will depend on the total testing time each day.</i>

Freshmen

April 10th

Arrival 7:35, Find and report to test room by 7:45

Test rooms close at 7:55

Test Administration, 8:00 – 11:50

Please Note: Buses will run a normal schedule. Freshmen may leave after the last test. Students will need to make arrangements with parents to pick them up after testing or go to the assigned study hall room until 2:52.

Important: *If your child will be testing with accommodations, they will test into the afternoon and possibly over two days. Your child can go home after testing or go to a study hall room available. Depending on the accommodation will depend on the total testing time each day.*

Sack lunches (no other options) will be served at the student's expense or students can bring a sack lunch.

Acceptable Calculators

For the Math Test – Calculator portion, all scientific calculators are acceptable as long as they do not have any of the features listed under Unacceptable Calculators, all four-function calculators are allowed (but not recommended), and most graphing calculators are acceptable. Check the list of acceptable graphing calculators below for models that are permitted.

IMPORTANT: Contact School Day Support if you are unsure whether a calculator is acceptable.

THE FOLLOWING GRAPHING CALCULATORS ARE PERMITTED:

CASIO

FX-6000 series	CFX-9800 series
FX-6200 series	CFX-9850 series
FX-6300 series	CFX-9950 series
FX-6500 series	CFX-9970 series
FX-7000 series	FX 1.0 series
FX-7300 series	Algebra FX 2.0 series
FX-7400 series	FX-CG-10
FX-7500 series	FX-CG-20 series
FX-7700 series	FX-CG-50
FX-7800 series	FX-CG-500 (Use of the stylus is not permitted.)
FX-8000 series	Graph25 series
FX-8500 series	Graph35 series
FX-8700 series	Graph75 series
FX-8800 series	Graph95 series
FX-9700 series	Graph100 series
FX-9750 series	
FX-9860 series	

HEWLETT-PACKARD

HP-9G	HP-48 series
HP-28 series	HP-49 series
HP-38G	HP-50 series
HP-39 series	HP Prime
HP-40 series	

SHARP

EL-5200	EL-9600 series (Use of the stylus is not permitted.)
EL-9200 series	EL-9900 series
EL-9300 series	

TEXAS INSTRUMENTS

TI-73	TI-85
TI-80	TI-86
TI-81	TI-89
TI-82	TI-89 Titanium
TI-83/TI-83 Plus	TI-Nspire
TI-83 Plus Silver	TI-Nspire CX
TI-84 Plus	TI-Nspire CM-C
TI-84 Plus CE	TI-Nspire CAS
TI-84 Plus Silver	TI-Nspire CX CAS
TI-84 Plus C Silver	TI-Nspire CM-C CAS
TI-84 Plus CE-T	TI-Nspire CX-C CAS
TI-84 Plus T	

RADIO SHACK

EC-4033	EC-4037
EC-4034	

OTHER

Datexx DS-883	NumWorks
Micronta	Smart ²

Unacceptable Calculators

Students are not allowed to use any of the following calculators, unless specifically approved in SSD Online as an accommodation:

- Laptops or other computers, tablets, mobile phones, smartphones, smartwatches, or wearable technology
- Models that can access the internet or have wireless, Bluetooth, cellular, audio/video recording and playing, camera, or any other smartphone-type features

- Models that have a QWERTY (typewriter-like) keypad, pen input, or stylus
- Models that use electrical outlets, make noise, or have a paper tape

In addition, the use of hardware peripherals such as a stylus with an approved calculator is not permitted. Some models with touch-screen capability are not permitted (e.g., Casio ClassPad). Check the list of acceptable graphing calculators above for models that are permitted.