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Dear Parent(s) or Guardian(s):

During the 2021-2022 school year, The Atlanta Public School System (APS) will administer the SAT to all students in the Class of 2022 who opt to sit for the SAT School Day assessment on Thursday, October 28, 2021. SAT School Day provides schools, districts, and states a way to offer the SAT to juniors and seniors in school on a weekday, expanding access to a globally recognized college admission test that's widely accepted at U.S. colleges. The closure of numerous SAT Saturday testing sites during the COVID-19 pandemic severely limited testing opportunities for students, particularly students in the Class of 2022. The October 28, 2021 SAT School Day administration is limited to students in the 2022 cohort.

We ask that all parents complete the [SAT School Day Opt-In Form](#) by September 22, 2021, to register their student for the October 28, 2021 administration of SAT School Day. In partnership with Achieve Atlanta, APS allocated funds to pay exam fees for only students in the Class of 2022 to participate in SAT School Day. Students in the class of 2023 will participate in SAT School Day in the spring.

By breaking down barriers to access, SAT School Day can profoundly impact a community—opening doors to college, scholarships, and financial aid for every student. Parents/Guardians and students may prepare for the SAT School Day assessment by utilizing <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/practice/full-length-practice-tests>. This link provides essential test details, familiarizes students with question types and information on the SAT exam.

SAT School Day Administration Process:

1. Parents/Guardians must complete the [SAT School Day Opt-In Form](#) by September 24, 2021, to register their student for the October 28, 2021 administration of the SAT School Day exam.
2. Class of 2022 participation information will be communicated via calling post, phone call, Email, Remind, etc. Please ensure accurate contact information is included on the opt-in form.
3. Students must wear face-covering or masks for the entire test administration.

****The Atlanta Public School System will follow all Georgia Health Department and the Center for Disease Control Health and Safety Guidelines related to the COVID-19 pandemic. ****

****If students are showing signs of fever, cough, runny nose, chills, or any other cold-like symptoms, they should not participate in this administration. ****

If you have any questions regarding SAT School Day, please contact your site-based test coordinator, **Donavin Murdock**, at **404-802-5225** or **dmurdock@atlanta.k12.ga.us**

Sincerely,

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