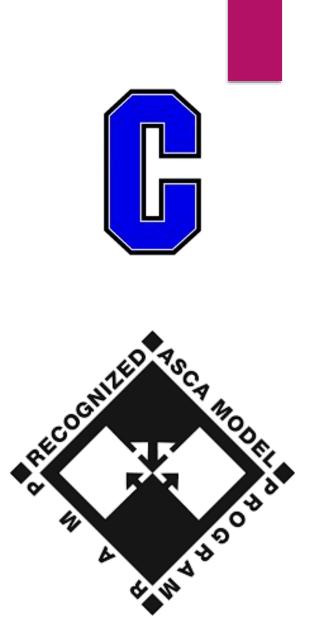
Sophomore/Junior Parent Night

CLASSES 2024 & 2025

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24TH @ 6:30PM

CENTENNIAL COUNSELING DEPARTMENT & APPLEROUTH TUTORING SERVICES

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INTRODUCTION

Mr. Keynun Campbell, Principal Mr. Eric Williams, 10th grade administrator Ms. Tiffany Crumpton, 11th grade administrator

CHS COUNSELING PROGRAMMING

Mrs. Heidi Ruppe (10th grade curriculum) Mr. Jonathan Giles (11th grade curriculum)

COLLEGE ADMISSION PROCESS

Ms. Heather Meadows, Applerouth Tutoring

? QUESTIONS AND REMARKS

FEEDBACK FORMS

Please scan the QR code or click the link below to complete tonight's feedback form!

▶<u>Feedback Form</u> Link



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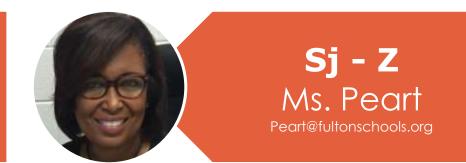
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Updates from the CHS Counseling Office & College Information

Graduation Requirements For Fulton County Schools



Subject Area	Required # of Credits
Language Arts	4 credits
Math	4 credits
Science	4 credits
Social Studies	3 credits
Health/Personal Fitness	.5 credit/.5 credit
Pathway Courses	3 credits
Electives	4 credits
	23 total credits

College & Career Month

College & Career Events All October Long At Centennial



COLLEGE & CAREER MONTH

tinyurl.com/CollegeCareerMonthRegistration

MORNING COFFEE GRINDS: Morning assistance sessions dedicated to college application tasks. 10/3.10/13.10/17.10/24

5STRONG SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATIONAL: Scholarship session for students interested in HBCUs. Open to all grade levels. 10/14

MILITARY MONDAY: Military panel presentation featuring various branches of the military. Open to all grade levels. 10/17

FIRST GEN FOCUS SESSIONS: College application & career exploration assistance sessions for students of first-generation status. 10/17 10/21

CAREER EXPLORATION EVENT: Students will explore various lucrative careers that do not require 4-year degrees. Open to all grade levels. 10/24

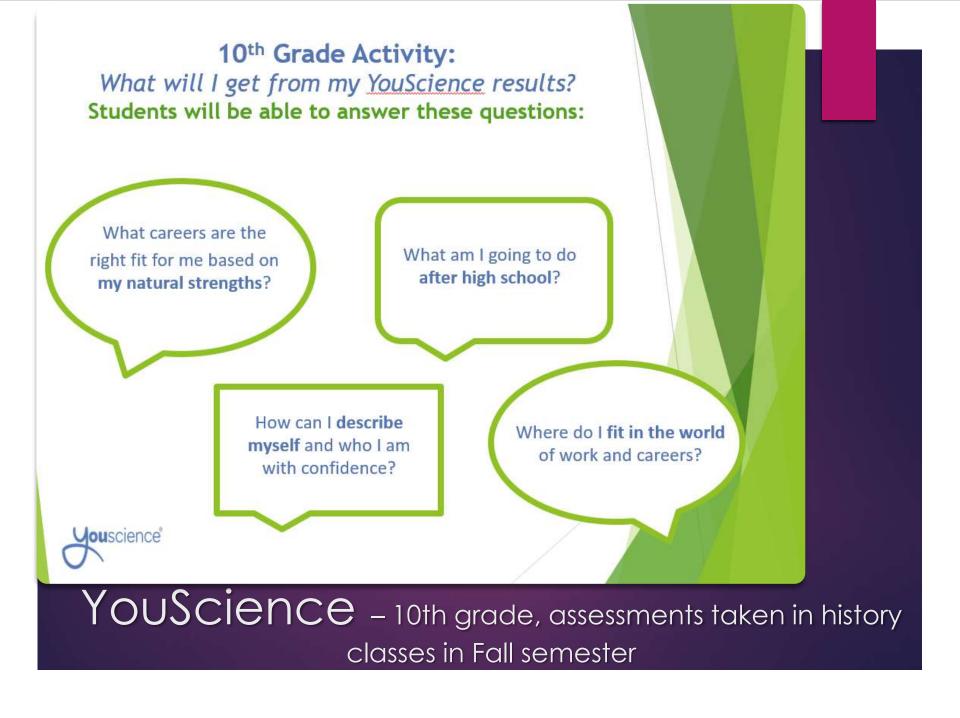
LOCAL LOAD-UP WEEK: Application assistance sessions dedicated to various local colleges 10/18 (GTC) . 10/19 (GPC) . 10/20 (GGC)

APPLY-TO-COLLEGE DAY: Senior students, through ELA classes, will have an opportunity to complete a college application with counselor and/or college recruiter assistance. 10/26

ESSAY-WRITING WORKSHOP: PROMPT will provide essay-writing resources and assistance for students requiring assistance with the essay portion of college applications. 10/28



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ACT & SAT Test Dates 22-23

ACT National Test Dates

Check the ACT website for updates and to register.

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Fee Deadline	ACT Standby Deadline	Scores Begin to Post
December 10, 2022	November 4	November 11	December 2	December 20
February 11, 2023	January 6	January 20	February 3	February 21
April 15, 2023	March 10	March 24	April 7	April 25
June 10, 2023	May 5	May 19	June 2	June 20
July 15, 2023	June 16	June 23	July 7	July 25

SAT National Test Dates

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Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Fee Deadline	Scores Begin to Post
November 5, 2022	October 7	October 25	November 18
December 3, 2022	November 3	November 22	December 16
March 11, 2023	February 10	February 28	March 24
May 6, 2023	April 7	April 25	May 19
June 3, 2023	May 4	May 23	June 16

*Students eligible for fee waivers due to financial hardship can see their counselors

<u>www.sat.org</u> <u>www.act.org</u>

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Test Offered	Date	Start Time	Event Code
Mock SAT	Sep 17	9:00am	M519503
SAT/ACT Diagnostic Test	Oct 29	5:00am	M519504
Mock ACT	Nov 12	9.00am	M519505
Mock SAT	Feb 4, 2023	9:00am	M519506
Mock ACT	Mar 4, 2023	9:00em	M519507
SAT/ACT Diagnostic Test	Apr 15, 2023	9.00am	M519508

\$5 Test Fee per test

To register, go to www.applerouth.com/signup and enter the event code.

Test Prep

http://www.mycentennialcounseling.com/college-careers-3/sat-actprep-opportunities



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Welcome to Centennial High School Counseling

Please check our website often for date and time updates.

For all counseling events and presentations, click on EVENTS & CALENDAR tab on the top bar



NOTE: Students should download the Infinite Campus app onto their phones to receive the most up-to-date information regarding their class schedule and other important information.



FINANCIAL AID Presentations

Links to **register for** events are located on www.mycentennial counseling.com and our Counseling Instagram (@knights_scholar)



Helpful Resources

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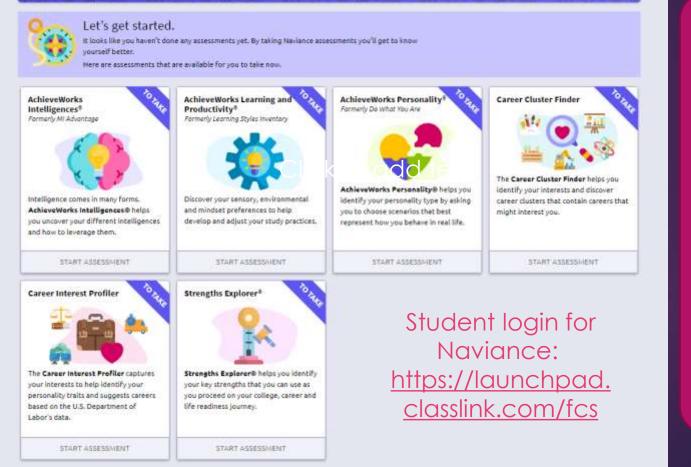
Researching Colleges & Careers on Naviance

- Interest & Self Discovery: Helps students develop confidence and lays the foundation for their life today, and their future.
 - Career Planning: Assessment tools in Naviance allow students to connect their personal strengths, goals, knowledge, values, and interests to future careers.
- College Planning: By matching students to colleges based on students' interests and goals, the Naviance College Planning tools allow students and families to make informed decisions.

Naviance Assessments

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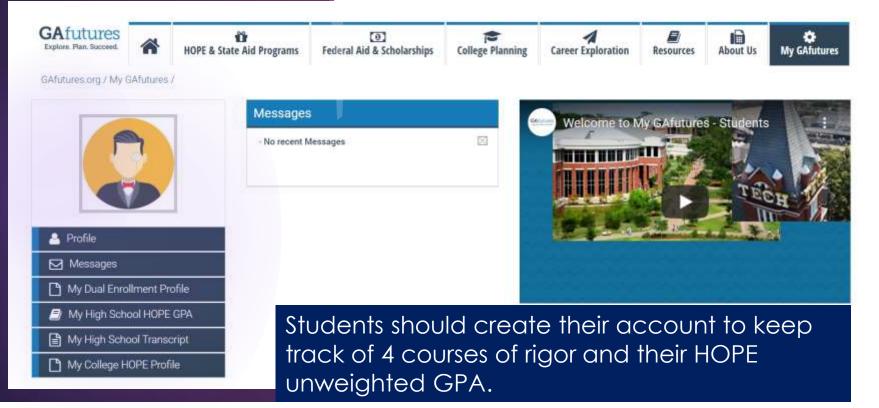
Naviance has multiple self-discovery assessments students can take at home with their parent to start exploring their strengths and matching to careers.

Using GAFutures

www.GAfutures.org

- Regularly check your HOPE G.P.A. (updated each semester)
- Information about completing the FAFSA (Free Application for Financial Student Aid; required for the HOPE and Zell Miller scholarships)

Find additional Scholarships!



CHS Counseling Junior Curriculum

Academic Postsecondary Options

Building Your College List

Finding Your College Fit

College Admissions

Freshmen Profiles

Application Process

SAT/ACT

Financial Aid

Junior Priorities & Next Steps

JUNIOR ADVISEMENT: DECEMBER – MARCH

		GRAD	UATION STATUS REPO	DRT	
NAME:					AR OF GRADUATION:
UNITS REQUIRED FOR	R GRADUATION: 23	Email address		TOTAL UNITS EARNED) TO DATE:
ENGLISH 4 Units	MATH 4 Units	SCIENCE 4 Units	SOCIAL STUDIES 3 Units	CAREER TECH &/or FINE ARTS &/or WORLD LANGUAGE 3 Units	HEALTH/PE 1 Unit
9 th Lit/Comp Sem 1	Algebra Sem 1	Biology Sem 1		Sem 1	General Health (1 Sem)
9 th Lit/Comp Sem 2	Algebra Sem 2	Biology Sem 2		Sem 2	Personal Fitness (1 Sem)
10 th Lit/Comp Sem 1	Geometry Sem 1	Phy Sci <u>or</u> Physics Sem 1	World History Sem 1	Sem 1	ELECTIVES 4 Units
10 th Lit/Comp Sem 2	Geometry Sem 2	Phy Sci <u>or</u> Physics Sem 2	World History Sem 2	Sem 2	
11 th Amer Lit/Comp Sem 1	Algebra 2 <u>or</u> Acc PreCalc Sem 1	Chemistry <u>or</u> Environ Sci <u>or</u> Earth Sys or AP Sci Sem 1	US History Sem 1	Sem 1	
11 th Amer Lit/Comp Sem 2	Algebra 2 <u>or</u> <u>Acc PreCalc</u> Sem 2	Chemistry <u>or</u> Environ Sci <u>or</u> Earth Sys or AP Sci Sem 2	US History Sem 2	Sem 2	
World Lit (1 Sem)	Sem 1	Sem 1	Economics (1 Sem)	HOPE Rigor – Students in the graduating class of 2019 must pass 4 advanced	
Multicultural Lit (1 Sem)	Sem 2	Sem 2	Amer Government (1 Sem)	courses as designated by GA Student Finance.	For more information, please reference www.gafutures.org
Senior Course	Recommendations				
Fall Semester	Spring Semeste	er must take at leas			on or most other post-secondary institutions Career Pathway
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MEET WITH YOUR SCHOOL COUNSELOR FOR YOUR JUNIOR ADVISEMENT MEETING

GVCR/FVCR

Date

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Get To Know Mrs. Truax

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Monday - Thursday

8AM - 1PM

- -College application assistance
- -Financial aid information
- -Scholarships
- -SAT and ACT resources
- -College search help
- -Technical school options
- -Summer opportunities



Let us help you with your postsecondary plan!

Stop by or schedule an appointment truaxc1@fultonschools.org **FOLLOW US FOR CURRENT INFO** Twitter: @CentCCCinfo Facebook: @ CHSKnightsCollegeCareer Instagram: @centennialcollegecareer

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Understanding the SAT and ACT

Heather Meadows Premium Tutor





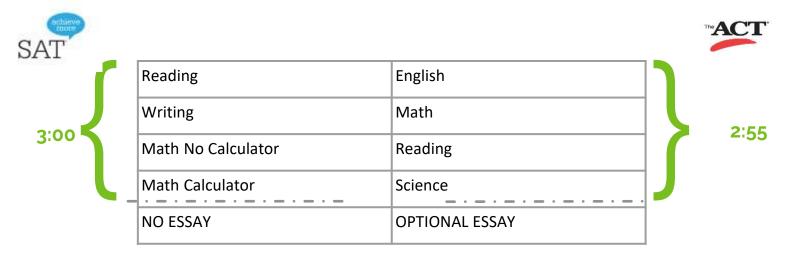
The SAT and the ACT







Structurally, the two tests appear nearly identical

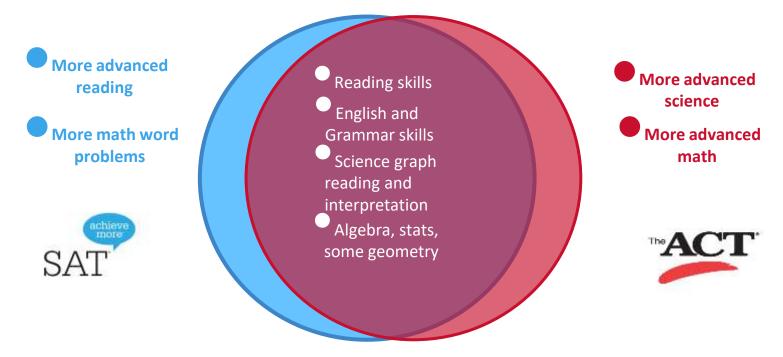


Testing time: 3:00

Testing time: 3:35



Overall, 75-80% of the test content overlaps







The amount of time per question is a profound difference.

Section	АСТ	SAT	% Difference
Writing	36.0	47.7	33%
Reading	52.5	75.0	43%
Math	60.0	84.2	40%
Science	52.5	N/A	N/A

The SAT has a more forgiving timing structure, which can benefit some students, but as we'll see, it's also a more complicated test.





Digging Deeper: ACT vs. SAT Math content areas.

	АСТ	SAT
Algebra	46%	62%
Geometry	23%	6%
Arithmetic/ Data Analysis	24%	30%
Trigonometry	7%	2%

As you can see, the math content is much more evenly distributed on the ACT than it is on the SAT, which relies heavily on Algebra.

*Using SAT categories, which are slightly different from ACT math categories





Digging Deeper: SAT vs ACT Reading



ACT



Although the ACT forces students to go faster, the difficulty level is more consistent. Students should be prepared for the spikes in difficulty on the SAT.



Digging Deeper: ACT Science

The ACT's Science Test is unlike anything on the SAT,

which has some science mixed into the Reading, but no dedicated Science section. Students must move quickly through complicated passages full of graphs and charts. Questions 1-6 relate to the following passage.

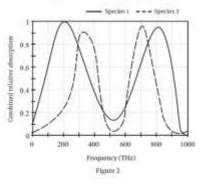
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600,+6H,0 ----> C,H,0,+60,

Table 1 lists frequency ranges for visible light and the cnior commonly associated with each range.

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Color	Energoenary (THz)
Red	405 - 480
thrange	480 - 500
Tellow	510 - 530
Green.	530 - 680
Cyan	600 - 630
Bine	620 - 680
Violet	680 - 790

Bacteriochiomphylis are pigments that capture light energy. Eigure 1 shows the relative absorption of light by bacteriochiomphyli a (IIChi a), bacteriochiomphyli b (BCM b), and bacteriochiomphyli c (BCM c) across the light frequency from 0 Tbitz to 1000 THa. Figure 2 shows two different species of cyanobacteria and the combined relative absorption of their BChI a, BCM b, and BChI c pigments across various light frequencies.



Source: Applerouth's Guide to the ACT, 4th Ed.





Nuts and Bolts

Registrations, scoring and more





How to register for the SAT and ACT

To register for the SAT, log on to http://www.collegeboard.org and click "**Register for the SAT**." You will have to create a CollegeBoard account if you do not already have one. To register for the ACT, log on to http://www.act.org and click "Register Now for the ACT." You will have to create an ACT account if you do not already have one.









How to secure accommodations

If your student needs accommodations for either the SAT or ACT, you must work with your student's school guidance counselor or disabilities coordinator to submit the correct paperwork.



If your student plans to take the SAT multiple times with accommodations, you only have to go through the process once—the accommodations follow your student through any SAT, AP exam or PSAT.



However, you have to **re-apply for accommodations for every ACT** administration your student plans to sit for. Be aware that it can take some time to process, and don't leave registration until the last minute!

Colleges cannot see when a student has taken a test with accommodations: it's the law!





Superscoring

Superscoring allows students to combine top section scores from different test dates to form a **new composite score**, the only score to be used in the admissions process.

Test Date	Verbal	Math	Composite
March	630	670	1300
May	610	630	1240
June	660	650	1310
Superscore	660	670	1330

The vast majority of schools will superscore the SAT, and many will superscore the ACT. Always ask!





Effective prep

Timelines and best practices







Set realistic goals: Find score ranges online

Use the College Board site or Applerouth account to see how your



scores compare to other applicants







The importance of multiple test dates

- It's a good idea to plan for multiple test dates; we recommend families plan for three separate testings of the Same test. Here's why:
- Superscoring potential
- Gains in confidence over time
- Negates any test difficulty or scoring **fluctuation**
- •Allows student and tutor to set incremental goals

Plan for three and stop once you reach your goal!





You have lots of opportunities to take either test!



Remember that registration for any given test (except for PSAT) closes about a month before the test date. Registering earlier than that is smart - the earlier you register, the more likely you'll be able to take the test at your first-choice location.



Practice: You must take mock tests

These tests mimic the real thing and can tell you a lot about:

Total Score: 1180

There are a lot more subscores and cross-test scores on the New SAT, but your total score is simply a Reading & Writing score (200-800) combined with a Math score (200-800). You scored a 1180 out of a possible 1600.

ACT Equ. Score: 24



Time management and

mental fatigue

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Wrong answer patterns, guessing

efficacy and shaky content mastery

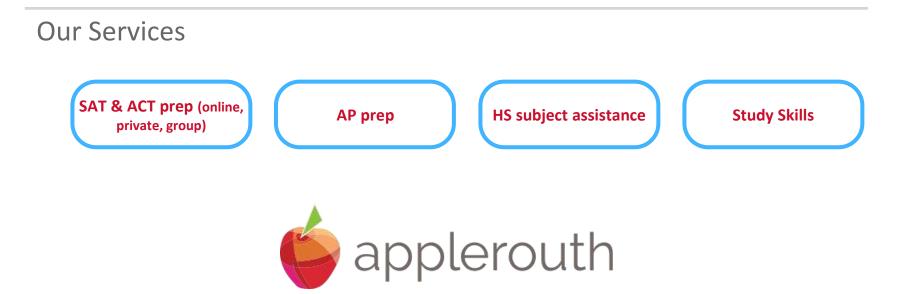
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SECTION	CORRECT	INCORRECT	1
No Calculator	12	5	
Calculator	25	13	
TOTAL	37	18	









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Thank you for attending!