

PSAT Exam

All sophomores will take the PSAT on October 14 at Broken Arrow High School. The PSAT scores are used to provide feedback to students and parents and identify potential National Merit Scholars.

Any junior may pay \$17 to take the PSAT test on October 14, which could qualify them for National Merit scholarships. This prestigious recognition could support many future scholarship opportunities, and it is a recognition that would set apart your child's college application and even his/her career resume. Aside from the \$2500 scholarship to any college or university, many colleges and universities give half or full tuition scholarships to National Merit Finalists. Juniors must sign up in the main office at BAHS before October 1.

If you receive a letter from BAHS that your eleventh grader scored in the top 10% as a sophomore, Broken Arrow Public Schools will pay the fee for your child to take the PSAT/NMSQT, but **they must sign up in the main office of BAHS before October 1**. We hope that your child will take advantage of this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity and begin preparing through the free Khan Academy.

College Board Scholarships

The College Board is a mission-driven not-for-profit organization that connects students to college success and opportunity. Applying to college is a complicated process, so the College Board created a scholarship program that guides students through this process. This scholarship program is open to current seniors, and it doesn't require an essay, application or minimum GPA to apply. Instead, it rewards effort and initiative. Students need to complete key steps along their path to college for a chance to earn scholarships.

The more effort a student puts in, the more opportunities they have to earn a scholarship. Current seniors can complete five of the six actions (Build, Practice, Strengthen, Complete and Apply) and are then eligible to earn \$40,000. Scholarships will be awarded through monthly drawings to students who complete each action.

Visit the <u>College Board website</u> to sign up and learn more about this program. Students in the class of 2022 will be eligible to apply in late 2020.

Clever Portal

BAHS students have access to Clever Portal, a single sign on solution platform, to log into applications configured by the district. In the portal, teachers create digital classrooms where students stay connected and engaged with learning. Each student has an account in this portal. Click here for login instructions.

Dates to Remember

Aloha Bash – Sept. 8 BAHS Virtual Open House – Sept. 29 Leadership Retreat – Oct. 3



