

2011-2012 TEST DATES

The **Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT)** will be administered on **Saturday, October 15, 2011**. This standardized test gives firsthand practice for those students planning to take the SAT. It also gives juniors a chance to qualify for and enter NMSC scholarship programs and gain access to college and career planning tools.

The PSAT is paid for by the State of North Carolina for those students currently enrolled in Geometry (current fall or previous Spring). Students desiring to take the PSAT additionally must pay their own fees. The current fee for 2011-12 is \$14.

The **SAT & ACT** Testing Schedule is available online on the HHS Counseling Website <http://www.hickoryschools.net/schools/Hickory/CounselingDepartment.aspx> as well as on the testing company's website at www.collegeboard.com (SAT) and www.actstudent.org (ACT). Fee waivers are available in the counseling office for eligible students. For 2011- 2012 - The basic fee for the SAT is \$49 not including specific subject tests or late registration fees. The basic fee for the ACT is \$49.50 including the writing component; again not including late registration fees.

SAT 2011-2012 Testing Schedule:

website to register: www.collegeboard.com

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
October 1, 2011	September 9, 2011	September 21, 2011
November 5, 2011	October 7, 2011	October 21, 2011
December 3, 2011	November 8, 2011	November 20, 2011
January 29, 2012	December 30, 2011	January 13, 2012
March 10, 2012	February 10, 2012	February 24, 2012
May 5, 2012	April 6, 2012	April 20, 2012
June 2, 2012	May 8, 2012	May 22, 2012

ACT 2011-2012 Testing Schedule:

website to register: www.actstudent.org

Test Date	Registration Deadline	<i>(Late Fee Required)</i>
September 10, 2011	August 12, 2011	August 13 – 26, 2011
October 22, 2011	September 16, 2011	September 17 – 30, 2011
December 10, 2011	November 4, 2011	November 5 – 18, 2011
February 11, 2012*	January 13, 2012	January 14 – 20, 2012
April 14, 2012	March 9, 2012	March 10 – 23, 2012
June 9, 2012	May 4, 2012	May 5 – 18, 2012