



DALLAS CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

PSAT/SAT PREP INFORMATION

PSAT

The Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) is a program cosponsored by the College Board and [National Merit Scholarship Corporation \(NMSC\)](#). It's a standardized test that provides firsthand practice for the SAT®. It also provides students with the opportunity to enter NMSC scholarship programs and gain access to college and career planning tools.

The PSAT will be administered on Wednesday, October 12 and Saturday, October 15 this fall. More information on testing sites, registration, and deadlines will be provided by the DCA office.

SAT Practice Test, Consultation, and Three Hour-Long SAT Prep Classes

Every registered junior or senior Dallas Christian Academy student is eligible to receive a complementary SAT Practice Test, Consultation, and Three, Hour-Long SAT Prep Classes through Sylvan Learning Center, a \$349 value.

DCA will provide this service for free to students who complete and score the practice test found in the SAT Preparation Booklet listed below. The practice test must be completed and turned in to the DCA office by September 13, 2011, in order to receive a voucher for the Sylvan course. Vouchers are valid through November 21, 2011.

Online Resources:

College Board SAT offers free online resources such as *Question of the Day*, *Sample Practice Questions*, and *Free Practice Tests*. Registration is available on the College Board website: <http://sat.collegeboard.org/home>

Also available on the College Board SAT website are a study guide and online course.

SAT Preparation Booklet™

This free booklet for students is distributed to all high schools. It includes test directions, sample questions, and an official practice test. For the practice test, students can enter their answers online for a score report, and they can find answer explanations for every question for free. Download the [SAT Preparation Booklet](http://www.collegeboard.com/prod_downloads/sat/sat-preparation-booklet.pdf) at http://www.collegeboard.com/prod_downloads/sat/sat-preparation-booklet.pdf. Requires [Adobe Reader](#) (latest version recommended).

The Official SAT Study Guide™ \$21.99

Familiarize yourself with the SAT with:

- 10 official SAT practice tests, including 3 recently administered tests
- Detailed descriptions of math, critical reading, and writing sections of the SAT
- Targeted practice questions for each SAT question type
- Practice essay questions, along with sample essays and annotations
- A review of math concepts tested in the exam test-taking approaches and suggestions that underscore important points
- Free online score reports
- Exclusive access to online answer explanations

The Official SAT Online Course™ \$69.95

The Official SAT Online Course features interactive lessons, auto essay scoring, and much more. It's personalized, comprehensive, easy to use, and available anytime and anywhere. Sign up, and you get 10 online tests, interactive lessons, and essay scoring.

The Official SAT Study Guide™ & The Official SAT Online Course™ Bundle \$81.94

<http://sat.collegeboard.org/sat-store>

Resource Centers:

Victory Step SAT & ACT Prep Centers

Phone: 855-Prep-Right

Dallas: 15950 N. Dallas Pkwy., Suite 400, Dallas, TX 75248

Irving: 400 East Royal Lane, Building Three, Suite 290, Irving, TX 75039

"Victory Step offers classroom instruction for the SAT and PSAT in the Dallas-Ft. Worth Metropolitan Area. These classes are designed by experts who have broken down these tests into strategic sections, and prepared material targeted at high school students to maximize their scores. Our classes are then taught by master instructors that have aced these tests themselves, and have been trained to connect with students and reinforce fundamentals, teach strategies, and build motivation needed to score high.

Victory Step is also on a social mission to assist every student in need, regardless of their financial background. We believe that you deserve the opportunity to go to college, and also the necessary tools to get there. We offer merit-based and need-based scholarships for our programs to anyone that meets our requirements."

Victory Prep offers 4 to 6 week SAT prep courses. Courses are available at two locations Sunday, Monday or Wednesday classes. More information and registration can be found at <http://victory-step.intuitwebsites.com/index.html>

6 week comprehensive program \$349

4 week comprehensive program \$249