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Dear Parents/Guardians:

This is an important reminder of the state's standardized testing process that will affect high schools.

Since the 2016-17 school year, the State of Illinois has paid for the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) college admission test for all high school juniors as part of the State's high school accountability process.

Beginning this spring, the State of Illinois is expanding the high school accountability process to include freshmen taking the PSAT8/9 exam and sophomores taking the PSAT10 exam.

All freshmen, sophomores, and juniors will take their respective tests on Tuesday, April 9, 2019, during the regular school day and will have an early dismissal at 12:05 pm. Students with accommodations that require a later dismissal time will receive additional notification from their school.

To provide the best testing environment for these important college admission tests, **seniors will not attend school** on April 9, 2019. All students will also be offered a free breakfast in the cafeteria, but students should plan accordingly to make sure they are in their testing room on time.

In addition, high school students taking their first Biology course will take the Illinois Science Assessment during one science class period between the dates of April 15 – April 26, 2019.

Please feel free to talk to your high school guidance counselor for more information about post-secondary planning, test registration, or other academic questions.

Sincerely,

Dr. Dan McDonnell
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