

# 2017 PSAT Registration and Information

**Exam Date:** Wednesday, October 11, 2017 at MCHS  
**Time:** 7:30-11:00 a.m. Mt. Carmel will have an adjusted schedule that day  
**Cost:** \$18.00\* – cash or check payable to MCHS (There will be **No Refunds!!**)

\*If you are a junior and are on free/reduced lunch you qualify for a fee waiver. Bring a copy of your free/reduced lunch letter to Ms. Ferrer in the Sun Center and she will sign off on your waiver below.

**PAYMENT DEADLINE: Friday, September 22, 2017**

**Who should take the PSAT?**

<b>9<sup>th</sup> graders</b>	You are welcome to pay for and take the PSAT
<b>10<sup>th</sup> graders</b>	<b>PUSD pays for all 10<sup>th</sup> graders to take the PSAT.</b> You are already signed up and do not need to register or pay the \$18.
<b>11<sup>th</sup> graders*</b>	The PSAT is designed as a practice SAT test for juniors. If you are planning on attending college, you should register, pay, and take the PSAT.
<b>12<sup>th</sup> graders</b>	The PSAT ship has already sailed for you. Now is a good time to sign up for the SAT or ACT one more time.

**What is the PSAT/NMSQT?** PSAT/NMSQT stands for Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. It's a standardized test that provides firsthand practice for the SAT Reasoning Test. It also gives juniors a chance to enter National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) scholarship programs. Information about the NMSC programs, entry requirements, and scholarships can be found at [www.nationalmerit.org](http://www.nationalmerit.org).

**What does the PSAT test?** It measures critical reading skills, math problem-solving skills, and writing skills. Results will include feedback on your student's strengths and weaknesses on skills necessary for college study. Your student can then focus preparation on those areas that could most benefit from additional study or practice. For more information on why your student should take this test please visit [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org).

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**Please register me for the Wednesday, October 11, 2017 PSAT/NMSQT**

- I am a **9<sup>th</sup> grade student** registering for the October 11<sup>th</sup> PSAT.  
 Attached is my \$18.00 registration fee (cash or check payable to MCHS).  
**I understand there are no refunds.**
- I am an **11<sup>th</sup> grade student** registering for the October 11<sup>th</sup> PSAT.  
 Attached is my \$18.00 registration fee (cash or check payable to MCHS).  
 I am a junior and meet the guidelines for a fee waiver. (Submit a copy of your free/reduced lunch letter to Ms. Ferrer in the Sun Center and she will sign off on your waiver below).

Ms. Ferrer's signature verification of Fee Waiver status: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ID # \_\_\_\_\_

**Return this form with your money or fee waiver verification to the Finance Office  
 Registration & Payment Deadline: September 22, 2017**