February, 2020

Dear Junior Class Parents and Students:

On the morning of Saturday, May 2, 2020, the SAT Reasoning Test (SAT I) will be given at various schools throughout the Sewanhaka Central High School District. Since many colleges require SAT scores for admission, the Sewanhaka Central High School District is again pleased to offer an SAT Prep course designed specifically to meet the needs of our college-bound students. The course will concentrate on test format, specialized instruction in math, reading and writing skills, as well as test-taking strategies. Recently analyzed test-prep data confirms that a students’ success in these programs is directly related to their attendance – the more consistently they attend; the better they do.

Registration for the SAT Prep course will take place at each high school beginning the week of March 2, 2020. Registration is limited to a first come-first served basis. The cost per student is $175, which includes 28 hours of detailed instruction, plus all test preparation materials. Students must supply their own iPad, calculator, highlighter, headphones, pens and pencils for the course and exam. The courses will begin the week of March 9, 2020.

Two Important Reminders:
1. Each school in the District organizes its own course schedule.
2. Students must register for the SAT exam on their own via collegeboard.org.

Registration will be March 2nd – March 6th only. Return the registration form (enclosed in this mailing) and payment to the finance clerk in the main office of your building. Students qualifying for free or reduced lunch are eligible for tuition reductions.

If you have any questions, please speak to the appropriate person at your school:

Elmont – Ms. Irina Kimyagarov (Math Chairperson) – 488-9200 ext. 9235
Sewanhaka – Ms. Patricia Aiello (Math Chairperson) – 488-9626
H. Frank Carey – Mr. Robert Pontecorvo (Math Chairperson) – 539-9426
Floral Park – Ms. Marcella Fini-Jackman (Math Chairperson) – 488-9326
New Hyde Park – Mrs. Melissa Argaman (Guidance Counselor) – 488-9552

There will be no sessions held April 9th – 17th due to Spring Recess.

Sincerely,

Scott Colvin
District SAT Facilitator

Dr. Taryn Johnson
Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction

Elmont Memorial High School • Floral Park Memorial High School
H. Frank Carey High School • New Hyde Park Memorial High School • Sewanhaka High School
SPRING 2020 SAT REGISTRATION FORM

Please print clearly and return this form along with payment to the finance clerk at your school starting on Monday, March 2, 2020.

Name ____________________________________________________________

Street Address ____________________________________________________________

Town ___________________________ Zip __________________________

Phone ___________________________ School __________________________

Parent’s Email Address __________________________________________________

Although preference for a particular session cannot be guaranteed, each school will attempt to offer classes on days and at times that are convenient. In most cases, you will be registered immediately into the classes when you return this form and check.

Since the program has recently changed format to allow for more personal instruction, each SAT Preparation classroom will be limited to the first 25 students who bring in their completed registration form and payment.

If you have questions about the schedule, contact the appropriate person at your school listed on the informational letter that accompanied this registration form.

IMPORTANT DETAILS

• The seven-week program will begin the week of March 9th.

• Bring a check for $175.00 for the course.

• Make the checks out to SEWANHAKA CHSD.

• Write your PHONE NUMBER AND SCHOOL NAME ON THE CHECKS.

• Please note: participation in this preparation course will not register students to take the SAT. Families are encouraged to contact the guidance department for assistance with SAT registration.