ACT Information

On Tuesday, February 25th all 9th and 10th grade students in the Tigard-Tualatin School District will take the Pre-ACT test and all juniors will take the ACT Plus Writing college admissions test. Seniors who need to meet the essential skills required for graduation will complete work samples.

The ACT is an important part of the college admissions process and is used by colleges in a variety of ways. ACT scores and personal information are used by colleges to recruit students and to assist with placement and scholarship decisions. The ACT also contains a personal profile summary and a career interest inventory. The ACT is provided at no cost to you.

Students: Please note that the testing day serves as your instructional day and your participation is required.

On test day students must bring photo ID and should bring #2 pencils and a calculator. Please note that certain calculators are not permitted, such as TI-89 or TI-92 or other calculators with a built-in algebra system.

Cell phones and other electronic devices, including smartwatches, are not permitted in the classroom or to be used during the break session. Cell phones need to be turned off and stored in your locker or your car.

All students will check-in between 7:15 and 7:45, 9th and 10th grade in the main gym, and 11th grade in the junior or senior halls prior to reporting to designation rooms for testing.

Breakfast can be purchased in the commons beginning at 7:15 am.

Food and drinks may not be taken in to the testing rooms.

A “grab and go lunch” will be available for purchase in the Commons between 11:30 and 11:55 for students taking the Pre-ACT. Buses will depart for freshman and sophomores at 12:00. The ACT testing will conclude at 12:25, approximately. A grab and go lunch will be available from 12:25 - 12:45 pm. Activity bus will depart from Tualatin High School at 12:50 pm.

The ACT can help provide your student with some important information about future learning and career decisions. Please contact your student’s counselor at 503-431-5620 if you have any questions. You are encouraged to visit www.actstudent.org for additional information.