Westtown School is again offering an SAT Reasoning Test preparation course for juniors. Students who take this course will be prepared to take the SAT Reasoning Test (Critical Reading, Writing/Essay, Math) in late winter or spring of their junior year. An introduction to the ACT will also be folded.

Westtown's College Counseling Office strongly recommends that students take the SAT twice during their junior year: once early (December or January) and once late (March or May). The most common pattern for juniors is to take the SAT in January and May. The SAT will take place on 10/11, 11/8, 12/17, 1/24, 3/21 and 5/3. All administrations are on-campus except for 3/21 which occurs during Spring Break (students may register for other test centers). The ACT will take place on campus on October 25th and April 18th. Most juniors will sit for the ACT in April.

Two preparation courses are offered: 1: Critical Reading & Writing, and 2. Math. A student can register to take one or both courses. The courses are taught by experienced Westtown faculty and tutors: Critical Reading & Writing by Megan Rose, Math by Kwesi Koomson. Megan holds a BA from Duke and an MA in Education from Columbia. She taught Upper School English for 7 years in Italy, Japan and NYC and has taught English as Westtown since 2004. Megan also coordinates our SAT prep program. Kwesi teaches Upper School math at Westtown. He has an MA in Mathematics from Villanova and has been teaching math and SAT prep for over 17 years.

Registration for the courses is on a first-come-first-served basis. Register ASAP to be assured of a spot.

CONTENT
These two courses will target skills specific to the SAT Reasoning Test. Teachers will review test-taking strategies and ways of approaching each type of question on the test. The course will utilize a “skill and drill” approach. Skills specific to the subject area will be taught at the start of each class as will more general skills such as the issues of pace, understanding questions, knowing when and how to guess, and how to maintain energy and focus throughout the test. The remainder of the class will be spent working on sample questions.

Content knowledge and skills practice from this course is also applicable to the ACT. While our focus is primarily on the SAT, some time will be dedicated to the addressing the differences between the two standardized tests. Juniors at Westtown sit for the ACT in April. It is important to take both the SAT and ACT since some students do much better on one than the other – and if a college requires the submission of a standardized test score as part of the admission process, either the SAT or ACT is acceptable.

EXPECTATIONS AND SCHEDULE
Students are expected to attend all sessions in the course for which they are registered. Program Cuts will be issued through the Upper School Office for unexcused absences. Students should sign up for this course only if they intend to attend regularly and participate actively. Although no guarantee is made about score increases for any student, it is our experience that students who fully engage in the course improve both in level of confidence and degree of skill.

All classes are scheduled to meet on campus on Sunday afternoons from 2:00 - 5:00.
PLEASE EXAMINE THE DATES AND TIMES OF EACH CLASS TO BE SURE YOU CAN MEET THE ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENT BEFORE REGISTERING.

TEXT
The text for the course is provided. We use *The Official SAT Study Guide*.

The book will be delivered at the first class. Students are expected to bring this book to every class. There is no fee reduction for students who already own the book.

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FINANCIAL AID Students needing financial assistance should contact Jay Farrow, Assistant Head of School, for information on financial support. 610-399-7966.

REGISTRATION

To register
- Fill out the attached sheet
- Include a check made payable to Westtown School (write SAT Course on memo line)
- Send both to Megan Rose at Westtown School, 975 Westtown Road, West Chester, PA 19382

Classes can fill quickly.
Register early to be assured of a spot.

REFUNDS
No refunds will be available after classes have begun in September. There will be a $25 fee for returned checks in addition to any bank fees.
SAT PREPARATION COURSE
REGISTRATION FORM

Please return THIS form with a check made payable to Westtown School.

Mail to:
Megan Rose
Westtown School
975 Westtown Road
West Chester, PA 19382
Questions? Contact megan.rose@westtown.edu, or 610-399-7752

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!!

Student name________________________________________
Parent Name(s) _________________________        ____________________________
Email(s) for parent contact ____________________________________
Phone number ______________________________

ALL CLASSES ARE HELD ON SUNDAYS 2:00-5:00 PM ON CAMPUS

To register for both classes please select the following:

_____ Reading & Writing, Math
Dates: September 14, September 28, October 5, October 19, October 26, November 2, November 9, November 16, January 11 $575

To register for 1 section of classes select from options below:

Reading & Writing or Math only:

_____ Reading & Writing $375
Dates: September 14, September 28, October 5, October 19, October 26

_____ Math $300
Dates: November 2, November 9, November 16, January 11

Total Due ____________________________