



**R.J. Murray Middle School**  
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Friday, December 3, 2021

Dear Parents,

We are offering an exciting opportunity to ***eighth grade*** students to take the PSAT 8/9. The PSAT 8/9 will be administered on **Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup> at 8:00 AM at Murray Middle School.**

Listed below are some reasons why your student should consider taking the PSAT 8/9:

- The PSAT 8/9 establishes a baseline measurement of college and career readiness. It is a comprehensive assessment program that measures college and career readiness and gives students tools for planning their future.
- The PSAT 8/9 tests the same skills and knowledge as the SAT, PSAT/NMSQT, and PSAT 10—in a way that makes sense for each grade level.
- Personalized practice on Khan Academy® gives students age 13 and over the opportunity to upload their test results to receive targeted learning plans that students can use to learn more about and practice the skills they need to improve
- The score reports will give students comprehensive, personalized feedback on test performance, allowing students to see which questions were answered incorrectly (with exceptions) and which academic skills they should work to improve.
- Information on college majors and career exploration is offered by the College Board.

Test administration will take about 2 hours and 30 minutes. Students will receive the results with a personalized report that analyzes test question performance. The feedback will help your child gain a better understanding of their current academic skill levels and strategies they can use to reach the next level. If you have any questions, please e-mail Dawn Brailsford, Testing Coordinator at Dawn.BrailsfordMoretta@stjohns.k12.fl.us.

The test is optional, but I highly encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity. The cost is **\$15.00**. Cash or checks are accepted. Checks should be made out to Murray Middle School. This form and payment are due to Ms. Brailsford by **Thursday, January 20th.**

Sincerely,

Barry Padgett, Assistant Principal

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Please cut along the line and return this portion with payment:

**THE RESERVATION MUST BE TURNED INTO MS. BRAILSFORD BY: Thursday, January 20th, 2022.**

Please reserve a PSAT test for my child: \_\_\_\_\_.

I understand the testing will begin no later than **8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, March 1, 2022.** Late students will not be allowed to test. There will be no refunds for missing your test due to tardiness or absence.

Enclosed is payment for **\$15.00**, cash or check payable to Murray Middle School.

Parent/ Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mr. Travis Brown, Principal**

**“One Team, No Limits!”**

**Dr. Esther Seward, Assistant Principal**  
**Mr. Barry Padgett, Assistant Principal**