Naviance Post- Secondary Search for Juniors

Website: https://student.naviance.com/lenapevalley
or access from www.lvhs.org by clicking For Students and then Naviance.

Returning Users:

 Please check your school email to log on and change your password for Naviance. Your username for Naviance should be your school email!

Tabs:

- **Self-Discovery:** Career Cluster Finder, Career Interest Profiler, Learning and Productivity and Personality Assessments
- Colleges: College Home, Colleges I'm Thinking About,
 College Compare, etc. Colleges I'm Applying to, Letters of Recommendations, Test Scores,
 Scholarships
- Career: Careers Home, Explore Careers, Clusters and Pathways and Roadtrip Nation

Researching Careers

The below can be found under Tab Self- Discovery

1. Personality Assessment

 Uses personality types to suggest careers and clusters that might be a good match for you.

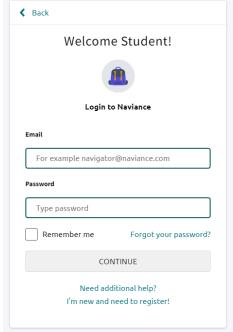
2. Career Interest Profiler

• An online career interest assessment for students based on Holland's interest codes. When students complete the Career Interest Profiler, their results will display their top Holland Code matches.

3. Career Cluster Finder

• An online questionnaire that helps you discover career clusters that are most interesting to them. Once you complete the Career Cluster Finder, top matching career clusters are made available for review.

Naviance will provide career suggestions. To research careers further, visit the Occupational Outlook Handbook at https://www.bls.gov/ooh/. OOH will provide you information about what they do, work environment, how to become one, pay, job outlook, and similar occupations!



Finding Colleges

College Search: You will begin the search with over 13,000 colleges/universities.

Categories: To get to college search start in **Tab Colleges**, click **College Home** and **Advanced College Search**.

- 1. School Type
- 2. Location Distance / Region
- 3. Students– Enrollment
- 4. Admissions % of students accepted
- 5. Athletics
- 6. Majors
- 7. Costs In state vs. out of state
- 8. Special Programs

Conducting a College Search

You will now conduct your own college search. Please do the following:

- 1. Under College tab click on Advanced College Search
- 2. Choose your **School Type**
- 3. Choose **Location**
- 4. Choose **Major**
- 5. Click on View Matches- This will give you a list of schools based on the information you selected in the categories
- 6. Please refine your search to 50 schools or less
- 7. Save search: Once you view matches click on **Save Search** at top of search. Name the search with TODAY'S Date and SAVE it to your account

Saving Colleges

- 1. Click on the box on left hand side of list and scroll to top and click on the heart which will add selected colleges to your "Colleges I'm Thinking About" list
- 2. Schools will now appear under "Colleges I'm Thinking About"

^{**}The more categories you select the number of schools in your search will decrease.

Options After High School

Traditional Universities

- Complete a college search in Naviance or another search engine
- Research your potential major on the college's website
- View the college using a virtual tour feature
- Visit campuses (3 excused absences in junior and senior year with documentation)
- Take a college entrance exam, including SAT or ACT

Community College

- Attend an open house, offered in April and October each year
- College entrance exams (SAT/ACT) optional; students may take Accuplacer test with community college
- Open enrollment
- Earn an associates's degree and either move on to work or transfer to a university to complete your bachelor's degree

Colleges with Special Programs for students with LEARNING DISABILITIES

General Education and Learning Disabled Students, Bachelors:

Adelphi University Felician College New Jersey City University

American International College Long Island University @ C.W. Post New York Institute of Technology

Becker College Lynn University St. Thomas Aquinas College

Centenary College Marist University University of Arizona SALT program

Daemen College Mitchell College University of New Haven

Fairleigh Dickinson University Misericordia University

General Education and Learning Disabled Students, Associates

County College of Morris Sussex County College Harcum College

Horizon Program Challenge Program

Disabled Students only, Bachelors

Landmark College

Post-Graduate or Pre-College programs

Thames Academy at Mitchell College, CT (comprehensive program, can transition to Mitchell College following successful year)

East Stroudsburg University (non-degree, independent living program)

Resource: Think College Website: http://www.thinkcollege.net/ "The Think College Website is a trusted source for information, training and resources related to inclusive higher education for students with intellectual disability."

Military & Military Colleges:

Take the ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) exam

With your parents, organizing meetings with military recruiters from a few different branches of the military to compare your options

The names and contact information of local recruiters is posted on the Guidance page of 222.lvhs.org Check out Military Colleges/Colleges offering Cadet programs:

American Military University	Massachusetts Maritime Academy	United States Merchant Marine Academy
California Maritime Academy	North Georgia College and State University	United States Military Academy
Citadel Military College of South Carolina	Norwich University	United States Naval Academy
Great Lakes Maritime Academy	Texas A&M University	Virginia Military Institute
Maine Maritime Academy	United States Air Force Academy	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
Maritime College (SUNY)	United States Coast Guard Academy	Valley Forge Military College (associate degree only)

Apprenticeship Programs:

- Work in a trade immediately after high school and earn income
- Take evening classes in the trade
- Complete the apprenticeship and become a full-time skilled tradesman
- Join a union, work for a company, or work privately
- Information about apprenticeship programs is posted on the Guidance page of 222.lvhs.org

<u>Trade Schools and Traditional Colleges that offer degrees in the trades:</u>

• Search trade schools in Google or run a search in Naviance for traditional four year colleges

Artistic Academy	Johnson and Wales College	Rochester Institute of Technology
Berkeley College	Johnson College	State University of New York (various)
Champlain College	Morris County Community College	Sussex County Community College
College Christine Valmy	New England Institute of Technology	Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology
Culinary Institute of America	Ohio Technical College	University Technical College
Denver Automotive and Diesel	Paul Smith College	Williamson College of the Trades
Glenville State College	Pennsylvania State College of Technology	

SAT/ACT TEST DATES AND REGISTRATION

Register for these tests on the websites below, according to the deadlines below.

Program your College Board account with the names of the colleges to which you are applying before sitting for the test in order to take advantage of your 4 free scores reports

Scores require between 4 and 6 weeks to be available.

If you are applying to colleges in the meantime, list the date you sat for the test and leave the score blank. This will inform colleges that they should expect to receive additional scores.

YOU MUST ISSUE OFFICIAL SCORES TO EACH COLLEGE FROM THE TEST WEBSITE!

SAT REASONING TEST www.collegeboard.org

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Date (mail listed, online
		or phone is one week later)
October 1, 2022 (Lenape)	September 2, 2022	September 20, 2022
November 5, 2022	October 7, 2022	October 25, 2022
December 3, 2022	November 3, 2022	November 22, 2022
March 11, 2023	February 10, 2023	February 28, 2023
May 6, 2023	April 7, 2023	April 25, 2023
(Lenape)		
June 3, 2023	May 4, 2023	May 23, 2023

SAT Subject Test

www.collegeboard.org

Very prestigious colleges require SAT Subject Tests. Look on the admissions page of the college website to determine if any of your schools require the Subject Tests and then register for them on the SAT website.

ACT TEST www.act.org

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration
October 22, 2022	September 16, 2022	September 30, 2022
December 10, 2022	November 4, 2022	November 11, 2022
February 11, 2023	January 6, 2023	January 20, 2023
April 15, 2023	March 10, 2023	March 24, 2023
June 10, 2023	May 5, 2023	May 19, 2023
July 15, 2023	June 16, 2023	June 23, 2023

Here is a brief overview of the basic structural and logistical differences between the ACT and SAT:

	АСТ	SAT
Total Time	2 hrs 55 mins without Writing 3 hrs 35 mins with Writing	3 hrs total
Order of Sections	1. English 2. Math 3. Reading 4. Science 5. Writing (optional)	1. Reading 2. Writing and Language 3. Math No Calculator 4. Math Calculator
Time Per Section	English: 45 mins Math: 60 mins Reading: 35 mins Science: 35 mins Writing (optional): 40 mins	Reading: 65 mins Writing and Language: 35 mins Math No Calculator: 25 mins Math Calculator: 55 mins
# of Questions	English: 75 questions Math: 60 questions Reading: 40 questions Science: 40 questions Writing (optional): 1 essay	Reading: 52 questions Writing and Language: 44 questions Math No Calculator: 20 questions Math Calculator: 38 questions
Scoring	Total score range: 1-36 Each section uses a scale of 1-36. Your total score is the average of your four section scores. The optional Writing section uses a scale of 2-12 and does not count toward your final score.	Total score range: 400-1600 The Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW) and Math sections each use a scale of 200-800 and are combined for a total score.
Cost	\$63 without Writing \$88 with Writing	<u>\$60</u>
Who Accepts Scores?	Accepted by all colleges and universities in the US	Accepted by all colleges and universities in the US

https://blog.prepscholar.com/act-vs-sat

FOR SCORE COMPARISONS, Google the term Guide to the ACT/ SAT concordance table from the most recent year.

TEST SELECTION- If you are still undecided, continue taking the Free Combo Practice Test: SAT vs. ACT available from Kaplan Test Prep at www.kaptest.com.

TEST PREP- Khan Academy is an online free test prep resource that students may like to utilize.

TEST OPTIONAL- Some colleges are test optional. This could mean the college does not require students to submit scores, they utilize the scores for course placement but not admission decisions, etc. Visit www.fairtest.org to identify test optional schools and review the admission page of each college's website for additional information.