



PREPARING for the SAT, ACT or Accuplacer



MCPS-In school

Blake offers a one semester college admission test prep class (SAT prep and ACT prep) for elective credit during the school day. This course is free but students must register for it during the normal course registration time.

MCPS Saturday School

The George B. Thomas Sr. Learning Academy, Inc., Saturday School provides academic tutoring and mentoring support for students in grades K-12 in Montgomery County. **Springbrook and Paint Branch High Schools are Saturday School satellite centers.** www.saturdayschool.org

Montgomery College

The Montgomery College Workforce Development and Continuing Education Office offers SAT & ACT Prep courses conducted at Montgomery College's three locations during the school year. The course meets on Saturday and Sunday mornings. Courses are also offered at Montgomery College over the summer. The 30 hour course is designed to help students achieve a score that better reflects their knowledge and abilities by practicing with REAL SATs and ACTs, teaching test format, teaching test taking strategies, reviewing content and raising test taking confidence.

For Montgomery County residents, the cost of the course is **\$385** plus the cost of the textbook. For information on dates, course locations, cost and registration visit: www.montgomerycollege.edu/wdce/satprep.html. Registration assistance and information can also be obtained by contacting **240-567-5188**.

Special Note: Registration for the official SAT or ACT exam is a **separate process**. SAT or ACT Prep courses **do not** include registration for the official tests. Students must register for the SAT test online at www.collegeboard.org; and the ACT test on www.actstudent.org.

For the self-motivated student, here are some FREE SAT, ACT or Accuplacer practice sites:

<http://www.act.org/academy> (ACT)

<https://accuplacer.collegeboard.org/students/accuplacer-tests>

<http://www.satpractice.org> (Khan Academy)

<http://www.test-guide.com/free-accuplacer-practice-tests.html>

<http://www.majortests.com>

<http://www.number2.com>

<http://www.march2success.com>

Private Test Preparation Classes - There are many private SAT or ACT Prep companies that provide tutoring for a fee. Some are listed here. Please investigate costs, as they can be very expensive.

Breakthrough Test Prep	www.breakthroughtestprep.com	301-299-4380
Catalyst SAT Boot Camp	www.Catalystprep.com	800-235-0056
Certified Learning Centers, Inc.	www.certified-learning-centers.com	301-593-3700
Ivy Bound Test Prep	www.ivybound.net	877-975-1600
Kaplan	www.kaptest.com/college	610-314-1423
Modern Muse Education	www.modernmuseeducation.com	301-910-8058
Potomac Oak Tutoring	www.potomactutoring.com	240-481-5783
PowerScore	www.powerscore.com	800-545-1750
Princeton Review	www.princetonreview.com	800-273-8439
Revolution Prep	www.revolutionprep.com	1-877-738-7737

Blake HS cannot endorse any of these SAT Prep tutoring services. Please investigate costs, as they can be expensive.