

Seton Guidance Corner

May 5, 2022

Senior Exit Interviews Continue!

All seniors will be meeting with Mr. Geary for their Senior Exit Interviews. Meetings will continue through next week. Keep an eye out for next week's meeting schedule which will be posted soon.

Parent Dual Enrollment NOVA Information Night

Next year's English 12 class will be offered as a Dual Enrollment class. Mrs. Yeago will be teaching the class. On **May 12th at 6:30 PM**, Ms. Robin Stewart, Seton's Dual Enrollment NVCC Coordinator, will be hosting a Parent Zoom Info Meeting that will provide a general overview of the Dual Enrollment program and its benefits for students. Register [here](#).

CLT vs SAT vs ACT

CLT - (Classic Learning Test)	SAT - (Scholastic Aptitude Test)	ACT - (American Knowledge Test)
Online (Remotely Proctored)	In-Person (Testing Site)	In-Person (Testing Site)
2 Hours 2 Hours, 30 Mins (with Essay)	3 Hours 3 Hours, 50 Mins. (with Essay)	2 Hours, 55 Minutes 3 Hours, 40 Mins. (with Essay)
Scoring (0-120)	Scoring (400-1600)	Scoring (1-36)
120 Questions	154 Questions	215 Questions
Test Structure: Verbal Reasoning, Grammar/Writing, Quantitative Reasoning, & Essay (Optional)	Test Structure: Reading, Writing & Language, Math, & Essay (Optional)	Test Structure: English, Math, Reading, Science Reasoning, & Essay (Optional)
Comments: The CLT focuses on logic, reasoning, and reading and is classical in its literature approach. "The CLT offers the only standardized test that complements a liberal arts education..." www.cltexam.com/	Comments: The SAT is a knowledge and reasoning test. "...questions are complex, but students have an average of 1 minute and 10 seconds to spend on each one." https://hslida.org/post/more-about-the-sat-act-and-clt	Comments: The ACT is a subject knowledge test. "Although the questions on the ACT are more straightforward and may be easier to understand, students have less average time to complete them: 49 seconds each." https://hslida.org/post/more-about-the-sat-act-and-clt
View Partner Colleges	Accepted by Most Colleges & Universities	Accepted by Most Colleges & Universities
Click here for testing dates and to register.	Click here for testing dates and to register.	Click here for testing dates and to register.

*One way to help students choose among the tests is to take each practice test in order to see which one results in the best performance. (CLT free practice [test](#); SAT free practice [test](#); & free ACT test [prep](#)). Also, students should research the schools they are interested in applying to for standardized testing requirements and to also find out if they offer merit based scholarships based on test scores.

Considering the Trades? An Opportunity from STONEPILE LLC

Construction is a growing industry with a vibrant workforce. A career in the industry offers many practical benefits, including strong earning potential, job security, and opportunities for advancement. STONEPILE is the first college dedicated to the field of construction and provides the opportunity for an Associate in Applied Science in Construction and/or a Bachelor of Applied Science in Construction Management allowing students to gain marketable construction and leadership skills. Students have the opportunity to try classes for five weeks at STONEPILE at no cost or obligation. Click [here](#) for more information.

Virginia Tech's Pamplin College of Business Summer Academy

Virginia Tech's Pamplin College of Business is hosting a ten-day summer academy for rising seniors from Thurs. July 7 through Sat. July 16. The program will be held at VT's campus in Blacksburg. Participants will learn about Pamplin's academic programs, contribute to an applied team project, and engage with faculty, peer mentors, and alumni. Selected applicants will have all costs of attendance covered including room and board. This program is for students who are interested in studying business and applying to Virginia Tech this fall. Click [here](#) for more information. Application deadline is May 15.

Scholarship Opportunities

Know Your Worth Scholarship

\$10,000 Scholarship

Deadline: June 1, 2022

<https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/20409/know-your-worth-scholarship>

Community Leadership Scholarship

\$1,000 Scholarship

Deadline: June 15, 2022

<https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/18230/community-leadership-scholarship>

Navigate Your Future Scholarship

\$2,500 Scholarship

Deadline: June 24, 2022

To be eligible for the scholarship a student must:

Applicant must be a senior in high school planning a career in the general aviation field

https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/16220/navigate_your_future_scholarship

CIA Undergraduate Scholarship Program

\$25,000 Scholarship

Deadline: June 27, 2022

The Undergraduate Scholarship Program is a financial needs-based initiative where students are exposed to intelligence challenges while performing meaningful work that relates to their college majors.

<https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9529/cia-undergraduate-scholarship-program>

**Please note, opportunities in the Guidance Corner are not endorsements of the programs. They are shared as options for students and parents to carefully consider.*