

Seton Guidance Corner

August 31, 2023

Attention ALL Seniors

Senior Profiles, Senior Insights, and Parent Questionnaires are **due this coming Tuesday, September 5**. Submit to seniorprofile@setonschool.net. Senior meetings with Mr. Geary will begin on Thursday, September 7. All three documents must be turned in before your senior meeting. The meeting schedule will be posted soon.

Important Information Regarding Common App – Invite Counselor

Seniors, if you are using the Common App to apply to colleges, don't forget to enter Mrs. McIntyre's name and email (tmcintyre@setonschool.net) when asked to "Invite Counselor". This is important since Mrs. McIntyre uploads your transcript, school report, and counselor letter of recommendation (this is written by Mr. Geary).

SAT Math Prep Class Offered at Seton

A comprehensive 2 1/2-hour prep class is being offered at Seton for students planning to take an upcoming fall or winter SAT test. The class focuses solely on the mathematics portion of the test.

Topics Include:

- Tips/hints for dealing with difficult, time-consuming questions
- Review of the latest SAT math problems and strategies for answering them

When: 9a-11:30a on Saturday, September 23

Where: St. Aquinas Classroom

Who: Mr. Matt Fisher - {A 25-yr engineer with 18+ yrs of tutoring experience}

Cost: \$35/student

(Bring cash or check to class; email for digital payments (Venmo, Cash App, Zelle, etc.).

Make sure to bring pen/pencil, paper, snacks and any SAT math questions you want answered.

Register online by Friday, Sept 15, at tinyurl.com/23Sep23SAT.

In addition, Mr. Fisher is looking for a limited number of beta testers/users for a new SAT Math Prep website. There will be free accounts on the site for those who are interested. Mr. Fisher will be covering what beta testing involves after class. For any questions, please email Mr. Fisher at manassastutoring@gmail.com.

Parent Action Plans

Parents can browse steps to take and when to take them to help their child plan for life after high school based on their current grade level from middle school through senior year. Visit

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/communities-events/for-parents/parent-action-plans>.

Upcoming College Visits at Seton

Tuesday, September 19 – Christendom College

Thursday, September 21 – Thomas Aquinas College

Tuesday, September 26 – University of Dallas

Students are encouraged to stop by the table that will be set up in the main entrance lobby during lunch and take advantage of the opportunity to meet with visiting admissions representatives and ask any questions they may have (i.e., admission requirements, majors, scholarships, financial aid, sports, etc.).

Ave Maria University – The Pursuit of Wisdom

Introducing The Pursuit of Wisdom, a series of short courses presented by the faculty of Ave Maria University. Professors provide practical wisdom and insights around important topics and themes that encourage a more inspired, meaningful, and joyful life. The courses are free and available to everyone. This is also a great opportunity for students that may be interested in attending Ave Maria to hear from some of the AMU professors. For more information and to sign up, visit <https://www.avemaria.edu/the-pursuit-of-wisdom/>.

CLT, SAT, and ACT Registration Deadlines Coming Up

CLT Test Date – September 16 (Remotely Proctored)

Registration Deadline – September 11

Click [here](#) to register.

[Signup](#) for CLT's free practice test.

SAT Test Date – October 7

Registration Deadline – September 7

Click [here](#) to register.

[Signup](#) for free SAT practice test.

ACT Test Date – October 28

Registration Deadline – September 22

Click [here](#) to register.

[Signup](#) for free ACT test prep.

Scholarship Opportunities

Path to Pro Scholarship Program

Amount: \$2,000

Deadline: September 30, 2023

<https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/19069/path-to-pro-scholarship-program>

Coca-Cola Scholars Program Scholarship

Amount: Up to \$20,000

Deadline: October 2, 2023

<https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/>

AES Engineering Scholarship

Applicants are not required to be taking Engineering courses to be eligible.

Amount: \$500

Deadline: October 8, 2023

<https://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php>

Voice of Democracy Scholarship

The 2023-24 theme is "What Are the Greatest Attributes of Our Democracy?"

Amount: \$35,000

Deadline: October 31, 2023

https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9228/voice_of_democracy_scholarship_scholarship.php

**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.*