



# School News



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## Villa Park *High School*

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### **A Life-Changing Event**

The Villa Park High School community did an excellent job on October 19 during our inaugural SAT/PSAT/NMSQT Day. It was a true team effort from our support staff, teachers, and students. We are proud to be Spartans!

We tested over 2,220 individuals, and accounted for all students attending the other activities taking place in the Library Media Center. Our T-building teachers hosted our senior class SAT test-takers with 30 students per class, while the PSAT/NMSQT administered to the sophomore and junior classes with a 34:1 ratio in classrooms throughout the campus.

Our freshman class also all sat for the PSAT administered in both the large and small gymnasium, where we had 12 associate supervisors. Special thanks to Assistant Principal Sheryl Anderson-Glass, our Villa Park teachers, counselors, custodians, and the amazing counseling office and principals' office staff for their phenomenal execution and support of these testing activities.

This school-wide activity was a potentially significant event in the lives of many of our families. The fact that all students had access to the SAT exam, even those who might not have otherwise, created opportunities to earn scores that qualified them for college. In other words, the facilitation of these exams created chances for our students to attend college for the first time, thereby positively changing the course of their lives!