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Dear Sutton 8th Graders and Future NAHS Warriors,

We are so excited to start scheduling our rising 9th graders and we are here to support our future students and parents. I want to review the information that was shared at the Coffee Talk on November 13 regarding the mock PSAT offered by Applerouth. Course placement for 9th grade classes is determined based on multiple data including EOG scores, 8th grade course grades and STAR assessment data. STAR is given by Sutton during the school year. This year, Sutton is not administering the 8/9 PSAT.

Since we are giving the mock PSAT to all of our 10th graders to provide additional data for course placement, we decided to offer it as an additional <u>optional</u> opportunity for 8th graders. Our 9th graders also have the option to take it for the same small fee. For 8th graders, scores on the Mock PSAT may be used to supplement data or replace the STAR data <u>if it better serves</u> the student. If it does not better serve the student, it will not be considered. We will take into consideration the grade level of the students in looking at the scores.

Taking this test is <u>at the discretion of the parent</u>. It is not required. It is simply one more opportunity to prepare students for future exams. It is excellent practice for the PSAT and a low-cost practice test. We did not want to limit this opportunity to only our current students.

Note: this does not apply to math placement.

Directions to register for the mock exam follow on the next page.

Counselor Darryl Robinson and I look forward to seeing everyone tomorrow evening at 6 pm for the rising 9th grade parent meeting.

Sincerely,

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To register:

Step 1. Sign up to take the Mock PSAT using the following link:

https://www.applerouth.com/schools/38391

This link allows you to register for the test date on December 9 or December 12. It says it is free but ignore that and register anyway.

Step 2. Sign up to pay the registration fee \$5 for the Mock PSAT using the following link:

https://osp.osminc.com/Atlanta/BVModules/ProductTemplates/Bvc2013/Product.aspx?productid=AN130-237

The deadline to register and pay is December 1.

*Applerouth is charging \$5 for rising 9th and current 9th graders to take the Mock exam. There are 2 separate links because Applerouth didn't set up the registration link to include the payment link. Applerouth will send an invoice to North Atlanta for 8th grade and 9th grade students registered for the exam. Students who register for the exam but have not paid will not receive their test code on the day of the exam and will not have access to the Mock exam.