



Cherokee Trail High School



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25901 East Arapahoe Road
Aurora, Colorado 80016-2022

Dear CT Families,

On Wednesday, February 20, beginning at 8:20 a.m., Cherokee Trail High School juniors will have the opportunity to take the ACT test provided by the Cherry Creek School District. The Cherry Creek School Board recognizes the importance of the ACT test and has arranged for a half-day of testing and classes for all Cherry Creek high schools. There will be a modified schedule that day (see below) with testing in the morning and a shortened A Day class schedule in the afternoon.

The following will be the modified schedule for test day.

Juniors Only	
8:20 to Noon	ACT Testing
All Students	
Noon to 12:40	Lunch
12:40 to 1:18	Period 1A
1:24 to 2:02	Period 2A
2:08 to 2:46	Period 3A
2:52 to 3:30	Period 4A

***All 9th, 10th, & 12th grade students need to report by 12:40 for class.**

Transportation: For junior students bus routes will run as normal. However, in order to accommodate the late start for 9th, 10th, and 12th grade students, busses will run additional routes **3½ hours later** than the usual time. Students will have an opportunity for lunch from Noon to 12:40 p.m. or may eat before they arrive at school. **Classes for all students will start at 12:40 p.m.** After school busses will run their normal schedule.

Information for Juniors: The ACT requires students to show proof of identification in order to be tested. **Therefore, all juniors MUST bring a student I.D. or driver license on test day.** Some things to remember for test day include:

- Tests are timed. Students need to be aware of the clock.
- Get a good night's sleep.
- Eat a good breakfast.
- Possession of and/or use of any electronic devices during testing and/or breaks **will invalidate your test** and you will be dismissed from the testing room.
- Be on time (don't stress yourself by being late).
- Dress in layers (easier to be warm and remove items than to be too cold).
- Bring a wooden, #2 pencil (no mechanical pencils) and an ACT approved calculator.

***Any junior who is absent from testing will receive information regarding the ACT make-up opportunity which will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2019.**

If you have further questions about the districtwide ACT administration, please contact Christopher Ness, Assistant Principal, at (720) 886-1911.



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Dear Junior Parents and Guardians:

CT will be administering the ACT test to all juniors on Wednesday, February 20, 2019. Prior to test day, students will participate in the pre-administration (non-test) section of the assessment. Students will be completing the required demographic information (name, date of birth, and mailing address). By completing the required sections, students will receive a score and will have a report mailed to their home.

Students will also have the OPTION to complete additional sections in the pre-administration (non-test) section of the assessment. There are four main blocks of information they can choose to address:

- **Scholarship/Program Opportunities:** Selecting “Yes” to this section will allow colleges, scholarship programs, ACT, and other organizations know that the student is interested in receiving information about the scholarship programs and additional college opportunities offered. This information is not shared with the military or for commercial purposes.
- **Scores Sent to Colleges:** Selecting this option allows students to choose to send their test scores to up to four colleges for free, which can save money later. Students who do not complete this information, must request their test score to be sent directly to the colleges/universities of their choice, and pay the associated fee. If a college is selected in this section, there is not an option to remove that choice.
- **Course/Grade Information:** Completion of this section allows the student a chance to reflect upon his/her academic experiences and consider additional academic options that align with their post-graduate plans.
- **Student Profile/Interest Inventory:** Students have an opportunity to share information about achievements, future plans, and select activities that interest them. Completion of this section gives the student a profile of occupational fields that are in line with their preferences.

Parents or students who would like additional clarification on the OPTIONAL sections of the pre-administration task can contact Christopher Ness, Assistant Principal, at 720-886-1911.

In order for your student to participate in the OPTIONAL sections of the pre-administration, a parent signature is required. Please sign below and have your student bring this form to their pre-administration session, which will be done at the beginning of social studies classes on Monday, February 4th or Tuesday, February 5th, 2019.

Student Name (Please Print)

Parent Signature