

Course: ACT Prep

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- Overview:

- The ACT Prep class is designed to familiarize students with the test required for admission by many universities. Well-prepared students are more likely to score higher on the ACT, which may increase their chances of receiving scholarships and enable them to have more options when selecting a college. Students will learn test-taking strategies; review English, reading, science, and math content; take practice tests; and discover ways to reduce test anxiety.

2018-2019 Test Dates (National)

Test Date	Registration Deadline
September 8, 2018**	August 10, 2018
October 27, 2018	September 28, 2018
December 8, 2018	November 2, 2018
February 9, 2019*	January 11, 2019
April 13, 2019	March 8, 2019
June 8, 2019	May 3, 2019
July 13, 2019*	June 14, 2019

- Goals:

- Improve Score
- Exposure to the test
  - Time
  - Strategies
    - Test-taking
    - Calming
  - Layout
  - Types of Questions

- Expectations:

- Be Respectful--All students are required to be respectful of themselves and others. Respect is reflected through words and actions.
- Be Responsible--Participate in class and complete all assignments on time. The work you turn in is to be yours and yours alone; cheating is irresponsible and unacceptable.
- Be Ready--Be on time to class with all of your materials. This means you should be in your seat working when the bell rings.
- Be Positive or Be Quiet!

- Materials:

- Pencil/Pen
- Paper
- FOLDER to keep in my room - I provide
- Folders/Binder
- Notecards

- Phones - Use of a personal electronic device (PED) is not allowed during class unless it is during a teacher approved lesson.

- Missed Work: As soon as you return from an absence, it is your responsibility to check with me to determine how best to make-up the work missed in class.

- Grading:
  - Targets - 60%
    - Completion of classwork
    - Individual / Group projects
    - Other assessments (journals, quizzes, etc.)
  - Tests - 40%

\*There will rarely be homework in ACT PREP!

- Textbook(s):
  - There is no required texts.
  - Various materials will be used.

\*\*\*\*\*I have read this syllabus and understand the effort needed to increase my ACT score.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_