**Collegeboard**

If you haven’t already done so, today you will create a Collegeboard account. **Collegeboard** is a nonprofit organization designed to “**to connect students to college success and opportunity**”. They are responsible for **SAT**, **PSAT**, & **AP** exams. You can access this site to **sign up for SATs**, get your **score results**, and **send the results** during the college and scholarship application processes. Collegeboard also provides a wealth of tools to help you find the right **career,** **major**, and **college**. Additionally, it is integral to the **financial aid process**, so you will be accessing Collegeboard regularly throughout your college years.

**IMPORTANT: You will be using your school I-mail to create your account!**

Go to [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)

Click, **“For Students”**

Under **“My Organizer”**, click **“Create a free account”**

On this page, you will **fill in all the information** with an asterisk next to it. **Please use your school I-mail for your email info!** This way, you will be able to access email from Collegeboard from school! Remember, you can always access you I-mail from everywhere! But your home email is usually blocked at school!

* Your I-mail address is simply, your student ID#@sems.cortlandschools.org. Your password is the same as your network password.
* Note that there are **two checkboxes** on the form. I recommend that you select both of these. The first one is just what it says, **“Monthly Student Newsletter & Alerts” sends you important reminders and** strategies to help you find the best college for you. The second one will send you a **daily SAT question**, with this you can painlessly chip away at improving your SAT score!
* **I-mail your password** to yourself

In the middle section **“Enter Parent Information”**. This section is optional, but if you think your parents might like to receive timely information based on the college application, testing, and financial aid process, fill this out. Your parent will get an email asking them to confirm that they do want to receive it.

**My College Quick Start**

You will be receiving your PSAT scores in December, once you get them, you will be able to use the access code on your paper score report to use “My College Quick Start”.

Here you will be able to view your online score report. Based on your score, you can create a personalized SAT study plan and begin college and career exploration!

**Upcoming SAT test dates:**

Jan 22 w/ registration deadline Dec 23

Mar 12 w/ registration deadline Feb 11