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Dear Parents Of The Graduating Class Of 2016:

Welcome to the OFFICIAL KICK-OFF of the *College Application Season*! For the next nine months, your child will become immersed in the world of online applications, college personal statements, University visits, tons of recruitment mail and, of course, SAT Exams.

To assist our Griffins in the college application process, we will be offering an SAT Prep Program geared specifically for Juniors planning on taking the May 2nd SAT Exam. (Typically, Juniors take their SATs for the first time in May, then SAT Subject Exams in June, and then SATs again in the Fall of their Senior Year.)

This preparatory class is designed to raise your child's score, and provide your student with the same exact strategies that leading SAT Prep companies charge over \$1,500 for. And the best part is... <u>we're only asking for a \$90 donation to LAEF</u> cover the up-front cost of facilities and materials!

LAEF (The Los Alamitos Education Foundation) is a non-profit fundraising group that supports all schools and programs across the district. A donation to LAEF goes a long way for all our student from Kindergarten to 12th grade.



This SAT Prep program will be filled up on a first-come, first-served basis. And class meets most Saturday mornings in Room 153/154, from 9am – Noon until the day of the test on May 2, 2015. All materials will be provided for FREE in the form of photocopies... However, if students would like to purchase the book we're using, we'll have it available every Saturday for just \$20 during class. Its title is *College Board's THE OFFICIAL SAT STUDY GUIDE*, 2nd Edition, and it retails for \$24.99 from Amazon.com and most major bookstores.

Jessica Hart will be teaching all sections of this course. Currently an English teacher at LAHS, she is a Duke alum involved in the college application and admissions process, and has ample experience teaching test-prep strategies relevant for the SAT. If you have any questions regarding this class, please call Shelley Riekenberg in the College & Career Office at (562) 799-4780, ext. 82240.

BELOW IS A COPY OF THE SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

Saturday, March 14, 2015 ------- 9:00am – 12:00pm @ McAuliffe MPR (Introduction & Math Tutorial) Saturday, March 21, 2015 ------- 9:00am – 12:00pm @ McAuliffe MPR (Math & Verbal Tutorial) Saturday, March 28, 2015 ------- 9:00am – 12:00pm @ Room 153/154 (Math & Verbal Tutorial) Saturday, April 4, 2015 ------- 9:00am – 12:00pm @ Room 153/154 (Verbal & Writing Tutorial) Saturday, April 18 2015 ------- 9:00am – 12:00pm @ Room 153/154 (Writing & Math Tutorial) Saturday, April 25, 2015 -------- 9:00am – 12:00pm @ Room 153/154 (Writing & Math Tutorial)

> Detach and give back to Ms. Riekenberg in The College & Career Center by Friday, March 3, 2015 to register. Please make all donation checks out to "LAEF – Los Alamitos Education Foundation"

Student Name

Student Email Address

Parent Signature

Parent Email Address

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