



September 29, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Practice ACT Exam- Grades 9-11

On Wednesday, October 20 all 9th, 10th, and 11th-grade students will complete a practice ACT exam. The ACT is a valuable and accurate measure of college and career readiness. The test will help students prepare for the state-mandated ACT test that is given to Juniors in the Spring of each year. The practice ACT also provides comprehensive data that assists teachers in developing classroom instruction. The practice ACT will gather and analyze data and tell us which college and career readiness skills your student has now, and which skills need to be learned or improved upon. Students and staff will have access to their ACT practice results within 48 hours of taking the exam. Each student will receive an individualized report with their results and study plan.

ACT Bootcamp- Grade 11

On Friday, November 12 all 11th-grade students will participate in an ACT Bootcamp from 8:00-12:00. NLHS has partnered with the [Academic Tutoring Center](#) in order to provide students with proven strategies, tips, and tricks to improve performance on the ACT. An individual approach is implemented based on the student's practice ACT results. For many of our students, their ACT score can have a significant impact on post-secondary plans and scholarship opportunities. District transportation will not be available so please arrange transportation.

ACT Prep Sessions at NLHS-Grades 9-11

NLHS will be offering multiple ACT prep sessions each week during the Intervention and Enrichment (I/E) block. The sessions are available for students in grades 9-11. The prep sessions will focus on strategies, tips, and tricks that are proven to improve student performance. Students interested should sign up in the I/E scheduler. First-quarter dates are listed below.

Monday, September 27, 2021
Wednesday, September 29, 2021 - (Same Lesson as Mon)
Monday, October 4, 2021
Wednesday, October 6, 2021 - (Same Lesson as Mon)
Monday, October 11, 2021
Wednesday, October 13, 2021 - (Same Lesson as Mon)
Monday, October 18, 2021
Monday, October 25, 2021
Wednesday, October 27, 2021 - (Same Lesson as Mon)
Monday, November 1, 2021
Wednesday, November 3, 2021 - (Same Lesson as Mon)

Official ACT EXAM- Grade 11

Tuesday, March 8 will be the official ACT exam at NLHS. Only Juniors will report to school.

Attendance is required at the ACT Practice Exam for grades 9-11, ACT Bootcamp for grade 11, and Official ACT Exam for grade 11. We are excited to offer this great opportunity for our students.

Sincerely,

Brian Yerkey
Principal NLHS

Pupil nondiscrimination statement:

It is the policy of the School District of New London that no person may be denied admission to any public school or be denied participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be discriminated against in any curricular, extracurricular, pupil services, recreational or other program or activity because of the person's sex, color, race, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation or physical, mental, emotional or learning disability.