



Greetings, Parents of ACT Prep Students!

I want to share a few details about Christ Prep's exciting approach to preparing your son or daughter for the ACT Test!

- Each student will need this book: The Real ACT Prep Guide, 3rd Edition, ISBN-13: 978-0-7689-3440-3. It can be purchased online or at a local bookseller. This ACT Prep guide contains FIVE full-length tests made up of actual ACT questions, in-depth descriptions of the types of questions asked, and detailed information about test-taking strategies.
- Your child will also need pencils, perhaps a notebook or folder, and a calculator (for ACT Math sessions). There will be handouts throughout the semester.
- There are three actual ACT Tests offered in the next few months: Saturday, February 10 (register by January 5), Saturday, April 14 (register by March 9), and Saturday, June 9 (register by May 4). The sooner you register, the more likely you are to get a testing site close to home. Keep in mind when you register that for some test dates, you can pay an additional fee to receive the actual test and a detailed report about your child's score. This can be quite helpful in determining areas of study for the next test.
- You can select which ACT sessions your child will attend this semester. There will be 15 in all: five math, four English, three Science, two Reading, and one Writing. You may choose to sign up for as many as you wish at \$20 per session. (If your child is a Christ Prep student, the cost for ACT Prep was NOT figured into your tuition at the time of enrollment.) We want you to be able to tailor this course (and your spending) to the exact needs of your student. If this is your first attempt at any sort of ACT Test preparation, you may want to sign up for every class session. Three hundred dollars is a bargain rate for an entire prep course.
- In addition to the class sessions (which meet on Tuesday mornings from 8:15 to 9:30), we are offering two practice test sessions here at school! They will take place on Thursday, February 1, and Thursday, April 5, strategically placed on the calendar before the actual ACT Test dates. The practice tests, offered from 1:00 to 4:30 PM, will simulate the actual testing environment. A three-and-a-half hour test is a bit grueling, so this exercise will help our students prepare mentally and physically for the actual ACT. The cost of each practice test session is \$15, and you can sign up for either or both dates when selecting ACT class sessions.

On behalf of all of the teachers involved in the Christ Prep seminars, I would like to welcome you to ACT Prep! We are passionate about helping each student achieve the ACT score that will make college admissions and scholarships a reality. If you have questions about the course or the ACT Test, please let me know.

Blessings to you as your family prepares for another semester of school!

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