

PSAT Interpretation

2015-2016

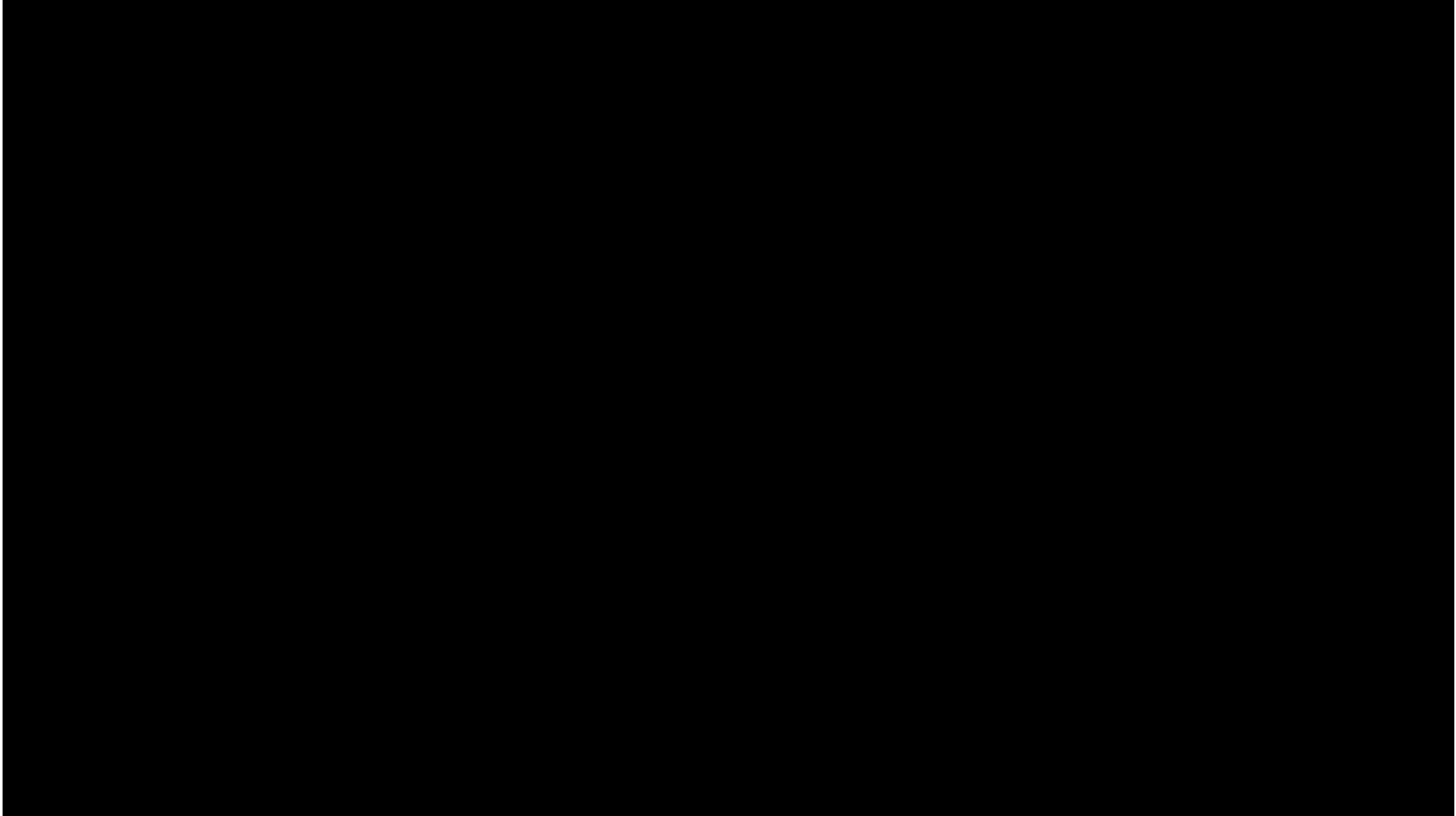
PSAT Scores

- If you took the exam with us on Wednesday, October 14, 2015, you will receive your results today.
- The main purpose of this exam is to compare your academic preparedness for college level work to other students from around the country.
- The same exam given to you on this day was given to students across the US on the same day.

Why the PSAT?

- The PSAT is also used as a “pre-SAT” score. The SAT is a college entrance exam. Every college or university requires an SAT or ACT score to determine admission.
- If you are a 10th grader, then you have Spring & Summer to study for the next PSAT.
- If you are an 11th grader, you need to use these results to study for the upcoming SAT that you must take this **Spring April 12, 2016**.

The Video will help explain the scores



It is NOT all about the scores

- *Keep in mind that colleges use more than your SAT scores when making admissions decisions.*
- *Your high school record is most important, and colleges will look at the whole student.*
- *Colleges may also consider essays, recommendations, interviews, and your involvement in extracurricular activities.*

TAKE THE NEXT STEP:

- Visit www.collegeboard.org
- Create a College Board Account
- Sign in using your personalized online access code to start studying for your SAT exam (11th) or PSAT/NMSQT (10th)
- Visit <https://www.khanacademy.org/sat> for help studying for the SAT.

Questions...

- If you have any additional questions, please visit:
 - Your Counselor,
 - Mr. DeLeon (D200AC)
 - Mrs. Greff (Front Office)
- We will be happy to sit with you to explain scores or discuss your next step.