Dear Parents and Guardians,

Preparing students who are College and Career-Ready is an important responsibility of Greenville County Schools and the State of South Carolina. We want to ensure that all students have the skills necessary to pursue future education or begin a career after high school. To this end, all third year students will be administered the WIN Ready to Work career test on **Tuesday, April 2**.

In addition, your student has the opportunity to take either the ACT® or SAT®. These tests are provided at no cost to you and are administered during the school day. The ACT is offered on Wednesday, February 20, and the SAT is offered on Wednesday, March 6.

You may explore the links below for more information on the ACT or SAT to help determine the best test for your child. Should you have any questions about the tests, please contact your school counselor.

• ACT Information: https://goo.gl/qqcXuB

• SAT Information: https://goo.gl/WW6DXT

ACT and SAT prompts your student to complete a pre-test survey. The student must provide a mailing address, which is used to mail the student his/her scores. The student may choose to send test scores to up to four colleges or scholarship programs and provide other *optional* student-specific information (e.g., student achievement, courses, grades, future plans, religion, and interests). The testing contractor (i.e., ACT or College Board for SAT) retains both the student's test scores and, if completed, the student information identified in the surveys. ACT or College Board may use and share information obtained from the *optional* section of the survey with others for additional uses, such as research.

To indicate your testing choice, please **check one** of the boxes below. Please **sign and return** this form to your school by Friday, November 16.

Parents of students with IEPs or 504 Accommodations Plans will be contacted by your child's case manager to discuss the student choice selection as applicable.

Sincerely,

Justin Ludley

In order for your school to order the test of your choice, please **check one** of the boxes below.

| I choose for my child to take the ACT
| I choose for my child to take the SAT
| I **do not** want my child to take the ACT or SAT

| Student's Name (Print): _______

Parent's Signature: _____ Date:

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