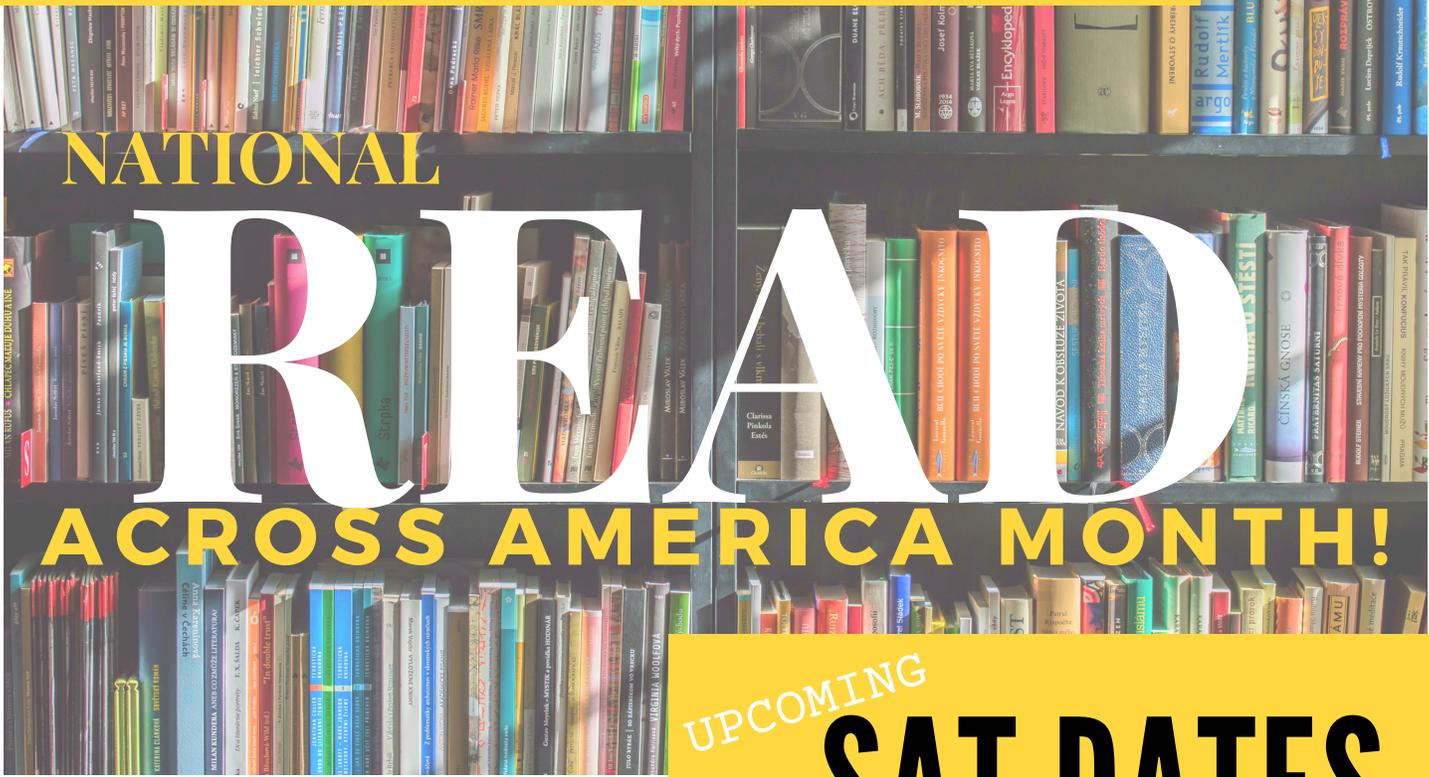


MARCH GOOD NEWSLETTER

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READ, READ, READ!

March is **National Read Across America Month** - a national initiative dedicated to celebrating the love of reading! National Read Across America Month was created by the **National Education Association (NEA)**. What is now a month-long event stems from the March 2 holiday, National Read Across America Day - a reading initiative created in 1998 by the NEA to encourage and engage kids to read in a fun, and interactive environment.

Ways to Participate:

- READ!** Visit your local library to try a new book or curl up and re-read one of your favorite books again.
- READ!** If you have younger siblings, make some snacks and read a good book to them.
- READ!** Start a monthly bookclub with your friends!

UPCOMING SAT DATES

SAT TEST DATE	REGISTRATION DEADLINE	LATE REGISTRATION DEADLINE
MARCH 13, 2021	FEBRUARY 12, 2021	MAILED REGISTRATIONS: FEBRUARY 23, 2021 ONLINE/PHONE REGISTRATIONS: March 2, 2021
MAY 8, 2021	APRIL 12, 2021	MAILED REGISTRATIONS: APRIL 20, 2021 ONLINE/PHONE REGISTRATIONS: APRIL 27, 2021
JUNE 5, 2021	MAY 6, 2021	MAILED REGISTRATIONS: MAY 18, 2021 ONLINE/PHONE REGISTRATIONS: MAY 26, 2021



TEST DAY TIPS!



1. **Wake up early!**
(Go to bed early, and get a good night's rest the night before the test day).
2. **Eat a well-balanced breakfast.**
(Avoid processed and sugary foods).
3. **Pack a healthy snack.**
(Grab a healthy snack like a granola bar to eat during breaks).
4. **Be on time!**
(Get to the testing site early. If you arrive after testing has started, you will NOT be allowed in).

For more information, and to register to take a SAT test, visit: www.collegeboard.org

Information obtained from www.nationaltoday.com

CAREER SPOTLIGHT

NUCLEAR MEDICINE TECHNOLOGISTS

SALARY: \$77,950 per year or \$37.48 per hour

ENTRY LEVEL EDUCATION: Associate's degree

PROJECTED JOB GROWTH RATE: 5% (faster than average)

WHAT THEY DO: Nuclear medicine technologists provide technical support to doctors and other medical professionals by preparing and administering radioactive pharmaceuticals (known as radiopharmaceuticals) to patients for medical imaging purposes. These imaging machines allow specialized scanners to monitor patient tissue and organ functions. These machines are used to diagnose patients and locate certain health conditions, such as tumors. In addition to handling radiopharmaceuticals, the daily role of a nuclear medicine technologist consists of operating radioactive imaging equipment, following safety protocols, and serving as emergency responders in the event of a nuclear disaster.

To become a nuclear medicine technologist, you'll need to earn an accredited associate's degree geared towards a nuclear medicine program and state licensure.

Information obtained from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, at: www.bls.gov

HERE'S WHAT EDUCATIONAL PARTNERS CAN DO FOR YOU!

Educational Partners has been assisting students with the college process for 30 years. Our income sensitive, free services are for those who are interested in attending college for the first time or for those who desire to go back to college to complete their degree.

Services Educational Partners provides:

- FAFSA Completion Assistance and Scholarship searches
- College and Career Exploration
- College Admission Completion and Essay Help
- Student Loan Default (regaining Pell eligibility)
- SAT/ACT Reading Tutoring
(Only for Oak Ridge High School College Bound participants)

For questions, and to get started, contact your local Education Specialist at 407-599-0050.

EDUCATIONAL PARTNERS, INC. LOCATIONS

Our staff is currently working remotely due to COVID-19. For assistance, please contact an Education Specialist at: 407-599-0050.

Educational Opportunity Center-Ohio
1133 S Edwin C. Moses Blvd, Suite 340
Dayton, OH 45417
Phone: 937-223-5074

Educational Opportunity Center/College Bound-Florida
5323 Millenia Lakes Blvd, Suite 300
Orlando, FL 32839
Phone: 407-599-0050

SCHOLARSHIP!



Are you interested in a career in STEM? The **Varicent EDGE (Equity, Diversity, Growth, Empowerment) Scholarship Program** was established to provide students with the financial resources they need to continue their education in STEM-related college or vocation school programs.

The **Varicent EDGE Scholarship Program** is administered by Scholarship America and seeks to remove access to opportunity gaps and improve diversity in STEM-related fields.

To apply, students must be high school seniors and plan to pursue a STEM/Technology related career such as: Computer Science, Data Science, Engineering, Technology, and Mathematics.

AVAILABLE TO: High School Seniors

AWARD AMOUNT: \$5,000

DEADLINE: April 5, 2021 4:00 pm ET

For more information, and to apply, visit: www.scholarshipamerica.org

For questions, contact Scholarship America, at: email: varicentEDGE@scholarshipamerica.org, phone: 507-951-1682.

LEND A HAND!



Did you know that many scholarships require students to have volunteer hours? Volunteering is a great way for you to earn community service hours that you may need for scholarship applications and admission requirements for certain colleges and universities.

When you volunteer, not only are you serving your community by helping those in need, but you're also gaining valuable work experience. There's all sorts of volunteer roles available. If you have a career in mind, search for volunteer opportunities that align with that career and try it out! You'll get to see ahead of time if it's the right fit for you.

You can earn volunteer hours by reaching out to your local community center, public library, church, or nonprofit organization such as, Second Harvest Foodbank. You can also earn volunteer hours virtually by searching for volunteer opportunities on websites like **volunteermatch.com**.

For more information, and to find volunteer opportunities near you, visit: www.volunteermatch.com

SPRING BREAK!



March 15-19, 2021

Spring break for Oak Ridge High School students is buzzing around the corner! Students can make the most of their spring break by taking some time to relax, have fun, and spend time with their friends and family.

Just because it's spring break, doesn't mean you have to stop learning! Experience the joy of "edutainment" and have fun learning a new skill or hobby. Challenge yourself to learn something new this spring break and see what possibilities unfold!

Have a safe and fun spring break!

**HAVE QUESTIONS?
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