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SAT Scores Released for Houston County Schools

HOUSTON COUNTY, GA – SAT scores have been released by the College Board for the Class of 2010. The mean total score for Houston County students was 1,473, which is 20 points higher than the state average of 1,453. The mean score for Houston County students in critical reading and math was 1,002, higher than the state average of 978 by 24 points.

Superintendent Dr. Robin Hines commented, “I appreciate the efforts of our administrators, parents, support staff, and especially teachers to help students do their best on the SAT. We are proud that our students scored 20 points higher than the state average! While we are pleased with these scores, we recognize that we have work to do to exceed national averages. I am confident that we will reach this goal in the near future.”

This is the fifth year students tested using the revised SAT which includes “critical reading” instead of “verbal” and an added writing section. A perfect score on the SAT is 2,400 versus the 1,600 of past years for math and verbal.

The 2010 SAT average scores are provided for each high school, system, state and nation.

2010 SAT Mean Scores				
School	Critical Reading	Math	Writing	Total
HCHS	510	515	476	1501
NHS	498	498	473	1469
PHS	484	488	462	1434
WRHS	492	502	469	1463
SYSTEM	498	504	471	1473
STATE	488	490	475	1453
NATION	501	516	492	1509

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