

What to take for this Packet

Getting a Head Start

- Tests are competitive
- Scholarship Opportunities

Know what to expect

- More time to practice
- Reduce test anxiety

Set up for success

- Find your weaknesses and better strengthen them
- Build your confidence

High School Placement Test

298 questions (numbered 1-298)

6 sections

- Verbal
- Quantitative
- Reading
- Math
- Language
- Writing

HSPT

HSPT Sections

Verbal Skills
18 minutes

- 60 questions
- Analogy, Logic, Verbal Classification, Synonyms, and Antonyms

Quantitative Skills
30 minutes

- 52 questions
- Sequence, Reasoning, Geometric Comparisons, and Non-Geometric Comparisons

Reading Comprehension
25 minutes

- 62 questions
- Vocabulary in Context, Literal Comprehension, Inferential Comprehension, and Vocabulary

HSPT Sections

Mathematics
45 minutes

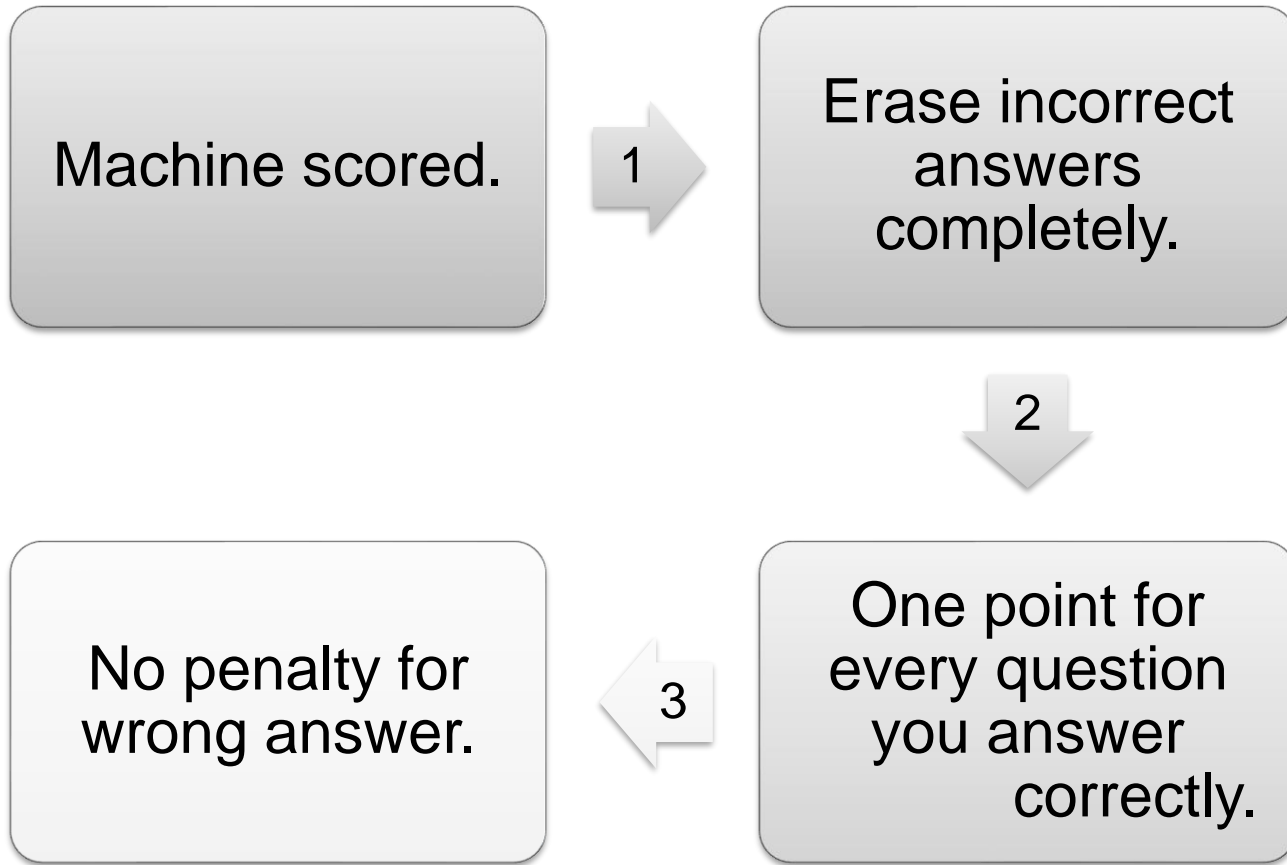
- 65 questions
- Conceptual, Procedural, and Applications

Writing
30 minutes

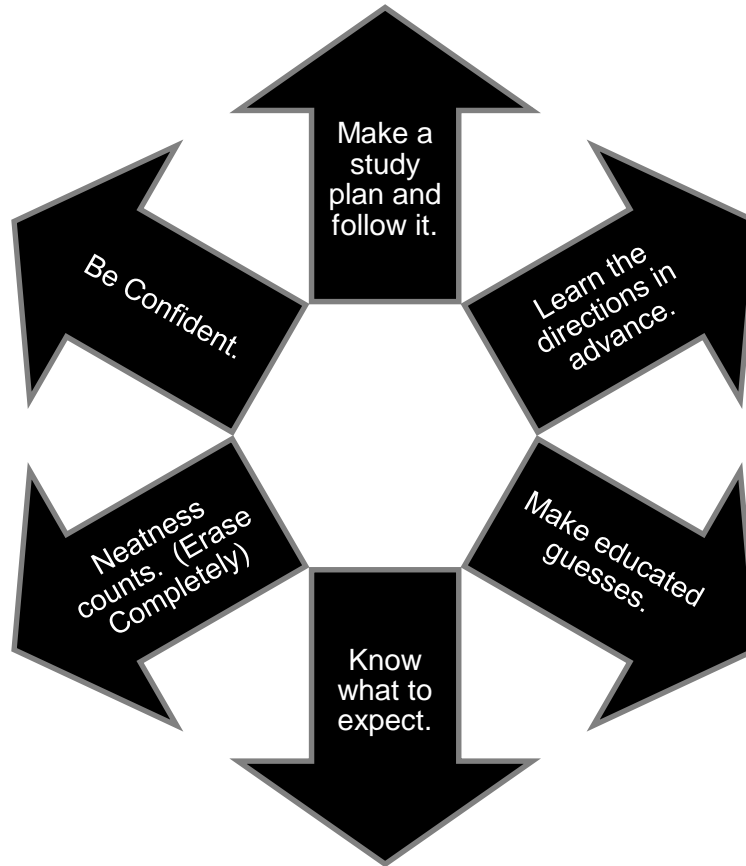
- Standard Paragraph Form
- Introduction, Body, and Conclusion

Language Skills
25 minutes

- 60 questions
- Punctuation, Capitalization, Incorrect Usage, Correct Usage, Spelling, and Composition

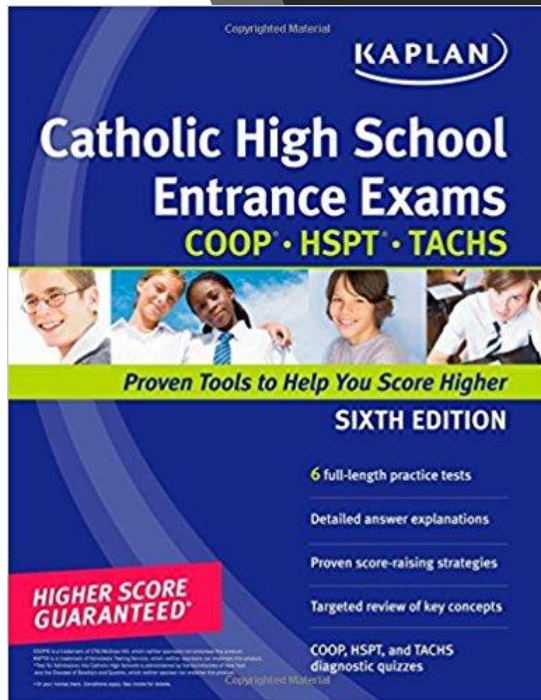


ANSWER SHEETS



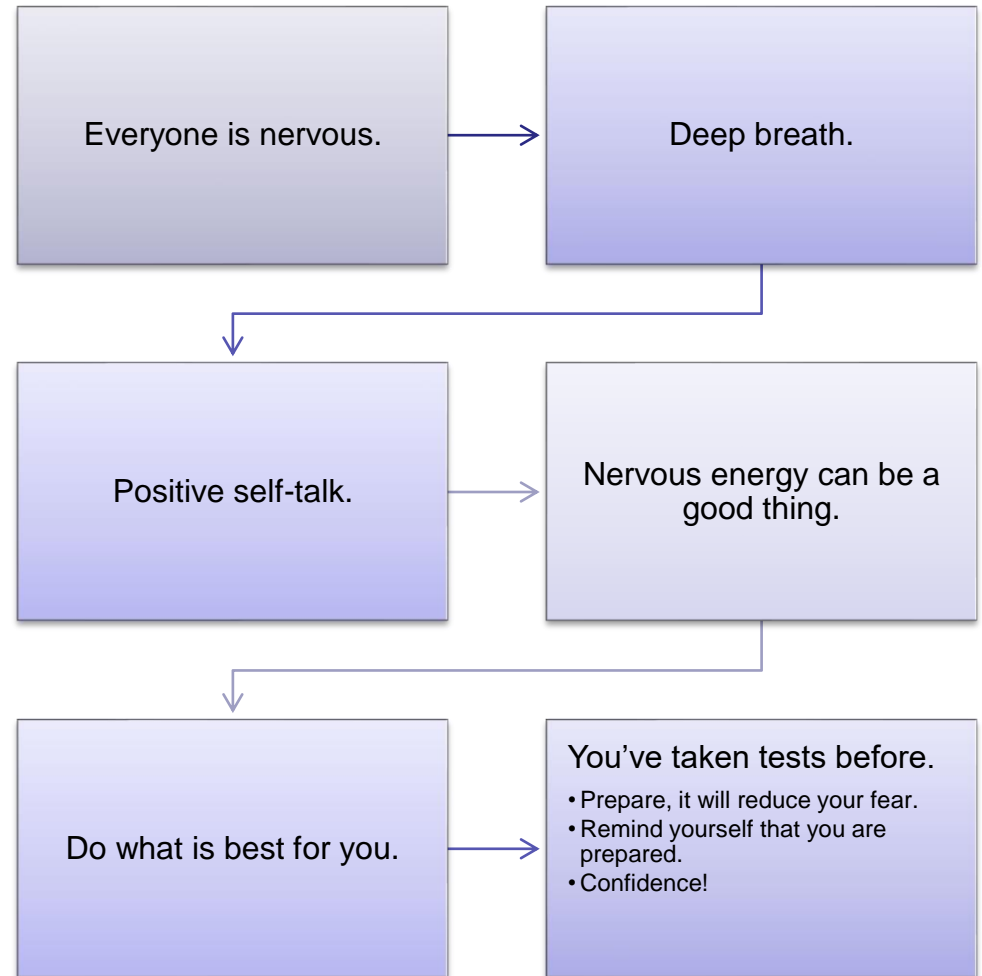
Best Ways to Improve

How to prepare



- Study.
 - Use the prep book.
 - We recommend the *Kaplan: Catholic High School Entrance Exams Practice Tests*
- Tests your ability and what you should have learned.
- Good night's sleep.
- Sharp pencils.
- Standard calculator (No graphic or phones).
- Good breakfast and/or snack.

Test Anxiety



Read

Read directions carefully.

Answer

Answer easy ones first.

Skim

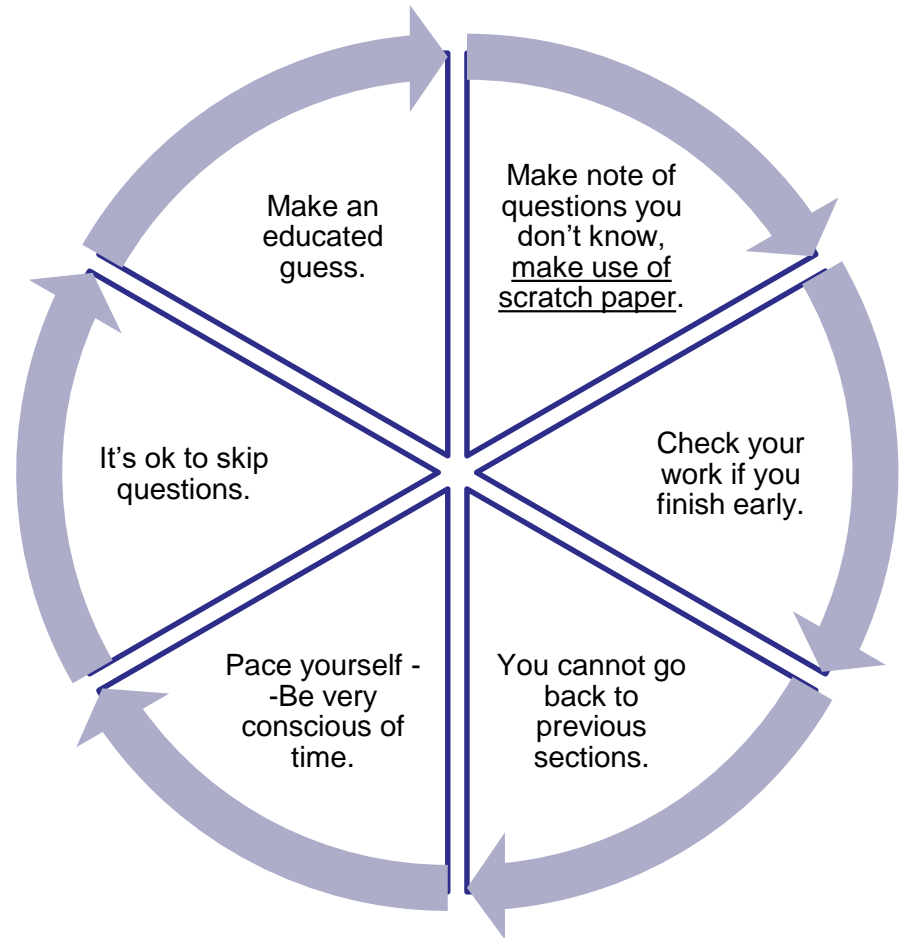
Skim all answer choices before answering even if you know the answer.

Ensure

Ensure answering the correct question.
• Match up question # with answer #.

Taking the Test

Taking the Test



Eliminate

Eliminate any answers you know are wrong (then play the percentages).

Fill in

Fill in circles with 5 minutes remaining.

Use

Use C as a wild guess.

Guessing

Study Plan

*Join Us for
a Prep Class
in October*

(More information to follow)

