**Handy tips to Help Improve Your Test Scores:**

1. Approach the test confidently and take it calmly.
2. Get a good night’s sleep.
3. Eat a good breakfast.
4. Wear comfortable clothing.
5. Arrive on time…and be ready. Come prepared with everything you need, such as pencils, erasers, watch, and glasses (if needed).
6. Listen carefully to all directions. Read all directions carefully…twice if necessary.
7. Quickly scan each test before answering the questions.
8. Budget your time. Don’t spend all your time on just a few questions.
9. Begin work as soon as you are told to do so. Stay with it. Use every second effectively.
10. Do the easy questions first; then go back and answer the harder questions.
11. Think. Avoid hurried answers. Guess intelligently by eliminating the obvious wrong choices.
12. Get all the help you can from “cue” words such as does not, most likely, mainly least, and best.
13. Edit, check proofread your answers. Hang in there until the “bitter end.” Keep working until time is up.