

## School Counselors: Data to Support Academic Planning for Students in Grades 9-12

School Counselors play a significant role in supporting students in Grades 9-12 as they work together with families, teachers, and administrators. PVAAS provides school counselors with a comprehensive view of a student's entire state assessment history, as well as projecting future performance on assessments such as Keystone, eight subject areas of Advanced Placement (AP), PSAT, ACT, and SAT. Discover how PVAAS student level data can strengthen decisions about course placement and student interventions/supports, and be used to encourage student participation and success in college readiness exams like the PSAT, AP, SAT, and ACT.



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Act 48 Hours

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**Dates:** February 24, 2017  
**Time:** Registration 8:30-9:00 a.m., Session 9:00-11:00 a.m.  
**Location:** Conference and Training Center at IU13, Burle Business Park  
1020 New Holland Avenue, Lancaster, PA 17601  
**Event Facilitator:** PVAAS Statewide Team for PDE

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**Target Audience:** School Counselors supporting students in Grades 9-12  
**Limit:** 100 attendees  
**Cost:** No cost  
**Registration Deadline:** February 17, 2017  
**Online Registration:** [www.MyLearningPlan.com](http://www.MyLearningPlan.com)  
*(Please follow your district's policy for event registration.)*  
**Online Category:** Curriculum & Instruction/IS  
**Inclement Weather:** Weather delays and cancellations will be posted at [www.iu13.org](http://www.iu13.org), WGAL 8, CBS 21 Fox43, and ABC 27  
**What to Bring:** Laptop, iPad, or tablet, and your PVAAS Username & Password  
*(If you don't yet have a PVAAS account, ask your school administrator to create one for you--with access to student-level data, if appropriate. [Click here for directions on creating accounts.](#))*

Act 48 in Pennsylvania is a competency-based program whereby professional educators may earn credits to maintain active certification. Participants can only receive credit for the actual time involved in the offering. No credit can be given when direct instruction is not taking place (i.e., breaks, lunch, dinner, etc.). Furthermore, Act 48 (24 P.S. §12-1205.2(c)) requires that continuing professional education programs, activities or learning experiences be - related to an area of the professional educator's assignment or certification. \* *Individuals not seeking Act 48 credits may disregard.*

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