SAT & ACT Course Registration & Practice

Check individual college websites for each campus of interest to you to find out what their standardized testing policies are for this admissions cycle.

NOTE: The California State University (CSU) and University of California (UC) systems are test-blind, meaning they do not consider standardized test scores for college admissions.

ACT - Registration and test information at https://www.act.org/

Usually given 7 times a year: September, October, December, February, April, June, and July. Deadlines are typically 3-4 weeks prior to the test dates.

SAT - Registration and test information at College Board

August 2024 - June 2025 Test Dates - **Register Here**

These test dates and deadlines apply to all students—U.S. and international—taking the SAT:

SAT Test Date*	Registration Deadline	Deadline for Changes, Regular Cancellation, and Late Registration**
Aug 24, 2024	Aug 9, 2024	Aug 13, 2024
Oct 5, 2024	Sept 20, 2024 Register	Sept 24, 2024
Nov 2, 2024	Oct 18, 2024 Register	Oct 22, 2024
Dec 7, 2024	Nov 22, 2024 Register	Nov 26, 2024
Mar 8, 2025	Feb 21, 2025 Register	Feb 25, 2025
May 3, 2025	Apr 18, 2025 Register	April 22, 2025
June 7, 2025	May 22, 2025 Register	May 27, 2025

*Students who need to borrow a device from College Board will need to register and request their device earlier than the registration deadline—at least 30 days before test day.

**Late registration is available worldwide. Additional fees apply.

Free SAT & ACT Preparation Resources

NOTE: The SAT is a digital, adaptive exam. ACT offers paper and pencil and online testing options (online testing is available at select locations nationwide).

- [(ACT) Free Test Preparation Resources](#)

- [(ACT) How to Improve Your ACT Score by 2 Points in 20 Minutes](#)

- [(SAT) Full Length Official Practice Tests](#)

- [(SAT) Khan Academy](#)

- [Free SAT Prep Classes](#) - Get free SAT tutoring and free SAT prep classes online at a free peer tutoring platform founded by Sal Khan of Khan Academy. Explore virtual, small-group SAT tutoring sessions to practice SAT prep questions.

Even if the colleges to which you are applying are test-optional, a strong standardized test score can be a positive addition to your application.

➢ Find out more about what it means to be [Test-Optional and Things You Need to Consider](#)