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SAT and SAT Subject Tests

SAT

The SAT® is a globally available test accepted by all U.S. and many international colleges and universities. It's offered most months between August and June in the United States, U.S. territories, and internationally. Visit sat.org to learn more.

SAT SUBJECT TESTS

The SAT Subject Tests™ are hour-long, content-based tests that let students distinguish themselves in the college admissions process by highlighting their strengths and interests in specific subject areas, including math, science, history, literature, and languages. Visit satsubjecttests.org

PRACTICE

College Board and Khan Academy® have partnered to offer free, personalized practice for the SAT Suite of Assessments. Students can visit Khan Academy at satpractice.org to get SAT practice resources based on their results for any test in the SAT Suite of Assessments (SAT, PSAT/NMSQT®, PSAT™ 10, and PSAT™ 8/9).

Students can also visit sat.org/practice to access full SAT practice tests, and sample SAT questions.

To prepare for SAT Subject Tests, students can access free online practice questions at satsubjecttests.org as well as video lesson playlists for math and science subjects from Khan Academy.

FEE WAIVERS

Eligible students who demonstrate financial need can take two free SAT tests, with or without the Essay, and six free SAT Subject Tests (they can take their free Subject Tests during two registrations and schedule up to three tests each time). Fee waivers cover unlimited score reports sent to colleges, waived application fees at participating colleges, and free CSS Profile™ applications to apply for financial aid from participating schools. Visit sat.org/feewaivers to learn more.

CONTACT US

For Students:

Phone..... 866-756-7346

Email..... sat@info.collegeboard.org

International Phone..... +1 212-713-7789

For Counselors:

Email..... sateducator@collegeboard.org

SAT Educator Help Line..... 888-SAT-HELP (728-4357)

M-F, 8 a.m.–9 p.m. ET

International Phone..... +1 212-520-8600

Registration Fees

SAT with Essay: **\$68**

SAT (no Essay): **\$52**

Subject Test Registration Fee: **\$26**

Each Subject Test: **Add \$22 each**

Each Language Subject Test with Listening*: **Add \$26 each**

*Only one Language with Listening Test can be taken on a single test date.

Non-U.S. Regional Fees**

Africa (sub-Saharan): **\$43**

Americas: **\$43**

East Asia/Pacific: **\$53**

Europe and Eurasia: **\$49**

Middle East/N. Africa: **\$47**

South and Central Asia: **\$49**

** See the *Student Registration Booklet* or go to sat.org/international for a list of countries and their regional designations, as well as centers subject to the additional administrative fee.

† Some fees may be waived for students impacted by center closures due to covid-19.

Score Reporting Fees

(Four score report requests are included with registration)

Each additional score report request: **\$12**

Rush order (per order): **\$31**

Scores by phone (per call): **\$15**

Scores by web: **Free**

Processing Fees†

Reregistration by phone: **\$15**

Late registration (U.S. only): **\$30**

Waitlist request: **\$53**

Test center, date, or test change: **\$30**

Additional administrative fee**: **\$24**

Our top priorities are the health and safety of students and educators.

Visit sat.org/covid19 for more information about fall testing.

IMPORTANT:

To see more dates and any changes to the testing schedule, go to sat.org or sat.org/international.

For the most up-to-date information on the SAT and SAT Subject Tests, including late deadlines for paper registrations, see sat.org/register.

Sunday test dates immediately follow the Saturday test dates.

SAT School Day and PSAT-Related Assessments

SAT SCHOOL DAY

Schools can offer the SAT to their students on a school day, using the same test ordering site (ordering.collegeboard.org) as they use for PSAT-related assessments.

PSAT/NMSQT AND PSAT 10

The PSAT/NMSQT and PSAT 10 are the same test, offered at different times of year. They are components of the SAT Suite of Assessments and tightly aligned with the SAT. In addition, these tests serve as check-ins on student progress and pinpoint areas for development. For 11th graders, the PSAT/NMSQT is the qualifying test for the National Merit® Scholarship Program, an academic competition for recognition and scholarships.

The PSAT/NMSQT is offered to 10th and 11th graders in the fall. Instead of testing in the fall, some schools may deliver the PSAT 10 in the spring. Both tests support student progress by focusing on the skills and knowledge that matter most for college and career success.

PSAT 8/9

The PSAT 8/9 is the first test in the SAT Suite of Assessments. Using the same specifications as the SAT, the PSAT/NMSQT, and the PSAT 10, it establishes a baseline for college and career readiness as students enter high school. The PSAT 8/9 is designed for eighth and ninth graders.

PRACTICE FOR PSAT/NMSQT AND PSAT 10

To get ready for the PSAT/NMSQT or PSAT 10, students can visit collegeboard.org/psatpractice for full practice tests and sample questions. There's also a full practice test included with the *PSAT/NMSQT Student Guide*.

Because the PSAT/NMSQT and PSAT 10 follow the same assessment design principles as the SAT, students can also use Khan Academy free personalized SAT practice resources at satpractice.org to get ready for the tests.

CONTACT US

SAT School Day Phone..... **855-373-6387**

Email..... **SchoolDayAssessments@collegeboard.org**

PSAT-Related Assessments Phone..... **888-477-PSAT**

Email..... **psat@info.collegeboard.org**

Test Fees

PSAT/NMSQT or PSAT 10: **\$17**

PSAT 8/9: **\$13**

Shipping surcharge for schools outside the U.S., Canada, and U.S. territories: **\$8 per test ordered**

IMPORTANT

You'll find all dates and deadlines for SAT School Day at sat.org/schoolday-timeline and PSAT-related assessments at psat.org/important-dates. For additional updates, see sat.org/covid19.

Advanced Placement Program

The Advanced Placement® Program (AP®) gives high school students the opportunity to study and learn at the college level. It offers 38 courses and exams in a wide variety of subject areas. Nearly all colleges and universities in the United States—as well as many institutions in more than 60 other countries—grant credit, placement, or both for AP scores or acknowledge AP scores in the admissions process. collegeboard.org/ap

2021 FEE REDUCTIONS

College Board provides a \$33 fee reduction per exam for eligible students. Schools are expected to forgo their \$9 rebate for these students, resulting in a cost of \$53 per exam (for international: \$83 per exam; for AP Seminar or AP Research Exams: \$101). Many states use federal and state funding to further reduce the exam fee for these students.

EXAM FEES

Standard: **\$95 per exam** (schools in the U.S., U.S. territories, Canada, and all DoDEA schools)

AP Capstone™: **\$143 per exam** (AP Seminar or AP Research)

Outside the U.S., U.S. territories, and Canada: **\$125** (fees may vary for exams at College Board–authorized test centers outside the U.S.)

Late order fee: **\$40 per exam in addition to the exam fee**

(applies to each exam ordered between November 14 and March 12)

Unused/canceled exam fee: **Not applicable in 2020-21**

(Submit known exam cancellations in AP Registration and Ordering by March 12, 2021 11:59 p.m. ET, or indicate as unused any exams that are ordered but not taken in AP Registration and Ordering before your school's invoice is generated.)

CONTACT US

AP Coordinator Hotline..... **877-274-6474**

International AP Coordinators..... **+1 212-632-1781**

Students/Parents/Teachers..... **888-Call4AP**

AP Course Audit Help Line..... **877-APHELP-0**

For the most up to date information about AP, visit collegeboard.org/ap.

CSS Profile

The CSS Profile is a common financial aid application. It is used by almost 400 colleges, universities, professional schools, and scholarship programs to award non-federal institutional funds. The application is available October 1 each year.

A College Board account is required to complete the CSS Profile; students are asked to use the College Board account they used when registering for the SAT or viewing scores online. Once students create an account, they can complete and submit the application at any time. Once submitted, the CSS Profile is sent to designated colleges or programs.

cssprofile.collegeboard.org

CONTACT US

Counselors.....finaid.collegeboard.org/hscounselors/s/

Students.....finaid.collegeboard.org/cssprofile-student/s/

DATES

CSS Profile begins accepting 2021-22 applications: **October 1**

FEE WAIVERS

CSS Profile fees are waived for first-year, first-time domestic undergraduates from low-income backgrounds. Students who are eligible for an SAT fee waiver also qualify for a CSS Profile fee waiver. Students who qualify for an SAT fee waiver should log into CSS Profile using the same credentials used for the SAT.

Fees

Initial application fee (first report): **\$27**

Each additional report: **\$16**

Services for Students with Disabilities (SSD)

College Board is committed to providing accommodations—such as large print, braille, or extended time—to students with disabilities. All testing accommodations must be approved by the College Board SSD office prior to the test. Schools can use SSD Online to request, manage, and track accommodation requests. For information on how to access SSD Online, visit collegeboard.org/ssdonline.

The accommodation approval process takes **approximately seven weeks** when document review is needed. To ensure enough time to process your students' requests, accommodation requests should be submitted as early as possible. A full calendar of deadlines can be found at collegeboard.org/ssd-calendar. If your school is offering the SAT, PSAT/NMSQT, PSAT 10, and PSAT 8/9 as part of a statewide testing initiative, please refer to the information provided by your State Department of Education for specific details regarding documentation deadlines.

collegeboard.org/ssd

CONTACT US

Phone (students/families).....**212-713-8333**

SSD Coordinators' Help Line.....**844-255-7728**

Fax.....**866-360-0114**

Email.....ssd@info.collegeboard.org

Access Initiatives

COLLEGE BOARD OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIPS

College Board Opportunity Scholarships is a new program that guides students through the college planning process and offers them a chance to earn money for college for each action they complete. This unique program is open to juniors and seniors attending high school in the United States, Puerto Rico, other U.S. territories, and U.S. Department of Defense Education Activity ("DoDEA") schools. By completing a series of simple steps that will move them closer to college, each student has the chance to earn up to \$40,000. There are monthly drawings for scholarships and if a student is selected, they will receive an email notification with instructions for how to claim their scholarship.

cb.org/opportunity

BIGFUTURE

BigFuture™ is the College Board free college planning tool, designed to support students from their first thoughts about college to their first day on campus. Created with the help of students, families, school counselors, and college admissions professionals, the BigFuture step-by-step approach makes the college planning process easier to navigate.

bigfuture.org

CAREER FINDER

A College Board and Roadtrip Nation® exploration tool, Career Finder™ helps students find careers of interest, view videos of people in those fields, and plan small steps to help build their future path.

collegeboard.org/careerfinder

ACCUPLACER

ACCUPLACER® is an integrated system of computer-adaptive assessments designed to evaluate students' skills in reading, writing, and mathematics. Administering more than 8.5 million tests per year, the ACCUPLACER system is used by more than 2,000 institutions to place students in the appropriate college courses where they can confidently meet classroom requirements. Placement exams are offered in Reading, Writing, Math, and ESL.

accuplacer.collegeboard.org

CONTACT US

Technical Support.....accuplacer.org/webtocase

General/Study App Inquiries..... accuplacer@collegeboard.org

Customer Service/Technical Support.....**866-607-5223**

Fees

Standard per-test cost: **\$2.30**

Per-test cost for College Board members/Volume Discount: **\$2.15**

Per-test cost for approved systems: **\$1.95**

CLEP

CLEP® exams provide students with the opportunity to earn college credit by passing exams in introductory college-level subjects. There are 34 CLEP exams within five subject areas—business, composition and literature, world languages, history and social sciences, and science and mathematics—and 2,900 colleges and universities grant credit for CLEP.

clep.collegeboard.org

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DATES

CLEP testing is available year-round, and scores are provided immediately*. All CLEP exams are computer based. For information on CLEP exam descriptions, test center locations, and colleges that grant credit for CLEP, visit

clep.collegeboard.org.

*Except for College Composition and Spanish with Writing

Fees

CLEP exams: **\$89**

Most test centers also charge an administration fee.

SpringBoard

SpringBoard® is a different kind of instructional program for English Language Arts and Mathematics in grades 6–12. Developed by teachers for teachers, SpringBoard offers core instructional materials in print and digital that are fully aligned to state standards, Advanced Placement coursework, and the SAT Suite of Assessments. The program features student materials, teacher resources, and formative and summative assessments, as well as professional learning for teachers and administrators.

springboard.collegeboard.org

CONTACT US

Phone.....877-999-7723

Pre-AP

Following two years of partnership with more than 200 schools, the Pre-AP® Program is now available to all schools, giving more students the opportunity to learn, grow, and succeed. Pre-AP courses deliver challenging, high-quality instruction through focused course frameworks, engaging instructional resources, and learning checkpoints that are back mapped from AP expectations and aligned to the SAT Suite of Assessments. With 11 courses across all content areas, Pre-AP provides all students with the opportunity to engage in grade-level content with built-in support for learners across varying levels of readiness. Schools that meet program requirements will earn the official Pre-AP designation from College Board.

For schools interested in learning more about offering Pre-AP, please visit our website and complete an interest form to receive more information.

pre-ap.collegeboard.org

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Email.....PreAP@collegeboard.org

To learn how to become a member of College Board, visit collegeboard.org/membership.

For general information, go to collegeboard.org.

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