Quick Reference Guide 2021-22
EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT COLLEGE BOARD PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

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SAT Suite of Assessments

The SAT® Suite of Assessments reflects what students are already learning in their classrooms and gives you benchmarks for assessing students’ progress as they enter and move through high school. The tests share a common score scale, making it easier to measure growth. SAT, PSAT/NMSQT®, and PSAT™ 10 scores open doors to over $300 million in college scholarships.

SAT
The SAT is a globally recognized college admission test that is widely accepted at U.S. colleges and universities. Millions of students take the test each year as a step on their path to college. The SAT is one of the most accessible, affordable, and fair ways for students from all backgrounds to show what they know and stand out to colleges. Students most often take the SAT for the first time in the spring of their junior year and again in the fall of their senior year. See the full 2021-22 SAT administration calendar and register at sat.org/registration.

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 (SAT, PSAT/NMSQT, PSAT 10, and PSAT™ 8/9).

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

SAT WEEKEND FEES
Registration Fee
SAT: $55

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
Manage registration (change center): $25
Cancel registration (required for change date): $25
Late cancel registration: $35
Additional administrative fee**: $24

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

FEE WAIVERS
Eligible students who demonstrate financial need can take two free SAT tests. 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.

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

For Counselors:
Email .......................................................... sateducator@collegeboard.org
SAT Educator Help Line .................................... 888-SAT-HELP (728-4357)
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Our top priorities are the health and safety of students and educators. Visit sat.org/covid19 for more information.

IMPORTANT:
To see administration 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, see sat.org/register.
Sunday test dates immediately follow the Saturday test dates except for June 26, which is shifted later to avoid conflict with holidays.
SAT Suite of Assessments (continued)

Students register themselves to take the SAT on a weekend at a test center; however, schools also can test their students in their own school. The entire SAT Suite of Assessments—including the SAT, PSAT/NMSQT, PSAT 10, and PSAT 8/9—is available for schools to order online, all in one place, with multiple test day options for each assessment. [ordering.collegeboard.org](http://ordering.collegeboard.org)

Research shows students can get ready for college and improve their score by taking an assessment from the SAT Suite in 9th, 10th, and 11th grades.

SAT SCHOOL DAY
SAT School Day supports equity and access. When students have the opportunity to test at their own school, on a weekday, they’re more likely to take the test. Research shows that offering SAT School Day to all students increases four-year college-going rates, with students from underrepresented backgrounds benefitting most.

SAT School Day is offered to juniors in the spring and seniors in the fall with the option to test any number of students.

PSAT/NMSQT
Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test
The 2021 PSAT/NMSQT is the qualifying test students take to enter the National Merit® Scholarship Program and to compete for recognition and college scholarships to be awarded in 2023. Historically, students who took the PSAT/NMSQT scored higher on the SAT, on average, than those who didn’t take the test. [collegeboard.org/psat](http://collegeboard.org/psat)

PSAT 10 AND PSAT 8/9
For both the PSAT 10 and the PSAT 8/9, schools may test on any weekday during the testing periods. (Deadlines and dates may vary.) The PSAT 10 covers the same content areas as the PSAT/NMSQT. The PSAT 10 serves as a check-in on progress, allowing students and teachers to pinpoint areas for focused practice as students progress through high school. The PSAT 8/9 sets a readiness baseline. U.S. schools can give the PSAT 8/9 digitally or on paper.  [collegeboard.org/psat](http://collegeboard.org/psat) [collegeboard.org/psat-8-9](http://collegeboard.org/psat-8-9)

The AP Potential™ tool uses SAT, PSAT/NMSQT, PSAT 10, and PSAT 8/9 scores to help you identify students likely to succeed in AP. In addition, student score reports recommend AP courses that might be good matches.

PRACTICE FOR PSAT/NMSQT AND PSAT 10
To get ready for the PSAT/NMSQT or PSAT 10, students can visit [collegeboard.org/psatpractice](http://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](http://satpractice.org) to get ready for the tests.

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PSAT-Related Assessments Phone: 888-477-PSAT
International PSAT-Related Assessments Phone: +1 212-237-1335
Email: psat@info.collegeboard.org

Test Fees
SAT: $55 (fee reduction can be requested during invoicing)
PSAT/NMSQT or PSAT 10: $18 (fee waivers for PSAT/NMSQT can be requested during invoicing)
PSAT 8/9: $14

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

IMPORTANT DATES
You’ll find all dates and deadlines for SAT School Day at [sat.org/schoolday-timeline](http://sat.org/schoolday-timeline) and PSAT-related assessments at [sat.org/important-dates](http://sat.org/important-dates). For additional updates, see [sat.org/covid19](http://sat.org/covid19).

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](http://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](http://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](http://collegeboard.org/ssd)

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SSD Coordinators’ Help Line: 844-255-7728
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Email: ssd@info.collegeboard.org
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.

2022 FEE REDUCTIONS

College Board provides a $34 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.

2022 EXAM FEES

- Standard: $96 per exam (schools in the U.S., U.S. territories, Canada, and all DoDEA schools)
- Outside the U.S., U.S. territories, and Canada: $126 (fees may vary for exams at College Board–authorized test centers outside the U.S.)
- AP Capstone™: $144 per exam (AP Seminar or AP Research)
- Late order fee: $40 per exam in addition to the exam fee (Applies to each exam ordered between November 16 and March 15; doesn’t apply to exams for courses that begin after November 15 or for students who transfer to your school)
- Unused/canceled exam fee: $40 per exam (The original exam fee is removed from the invoice. AP coordinators submit known exam cancellations in AP Registration and Ordering by March 15, 2022, 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.)

2022 EXAM ORDERING DEADLINES

- November 15, 2021, by 11:59 p.m. ET: Deadline for AP coordinators to submit the exam order for all full-year and first-semester AP courses and all exam-only sections.
- March 15, 2022, by 11:59 p.m. ET: Deadline for AP coordinators to submit the exam order for all AP courses that begin after November 15 and to update fall orders (fees may apply for changes made to fall orders).

CONTACT US

For AP Coordinators/Teachers:
Phone: 877-274-6474 (for international +1 212-632-1781)
Inquiry Form: apeducatorinquiry@collegeboard.org
AP Course Audit Help Line: 877-APHELP-0 (274-3570)

For Students/Parents:
Phone: 888-Call4AP (225-5427)
Inquiry Form: apstudentinquiry@collegeboard.org

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

Pre-AP

Pre-AP® courses deliver grade-level appropriate instruction through focused course frameworks, instructional resources, classroom assessments for learning, and collaborative educator workshops. They’re designed to support all students across varying levels of abilities. They’re not honors or advanced courses. The program components provide educators and their students the space and time for deep engagement with the most essential and relevant concepts and skills. Across Pre-AP courses, students experience shared instructional practices and routines that develop the critical thinking skills they need to succeed in AP and other college-level coursework.

Participating schools receive an official Pre-AP designation for each course and the opportunity to bring engaging, meaningful, foundational coursework to all their students across varying levels of abilities. This designation signals consistent, high standards in focused courses that build, strengthen, and reinforce students’ content knowledge and critical thinking skills.

To learn more about Pre-AP or place an order, visit our website. pre-ap.collegeboard.org

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CSS Profile

The CSS Profile is a common financial aid application. It’s used by hundreds of colleges, universities, professional schools, and scholarship programs to award over $9 billion annually in 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.org

CONTACT US
Counselors................. finaid.collegeboard.org/hscounselors/s/
Students................. finaid.collegeboard.org/cssprofile-student/s/

DATES
CSS Profile begins accepting 2022-23 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 in to CSS Profile using the same credentials used for the SAT.

Fees
Initial application fee (first report): $25
Each additional report: $16

BigFuture

BigFuture™ helps students discover their post-high school ambitions and build a clear path to achieve them. Our free tools and resources guide students along the journey to their own big future, from discovering career interests and finding the right college, to exploring scholarships and navigating the financial aid process. Created with the help of students, families, school counselors, and college admissions professionals, BigFuture makes the college planning process easier to navigate.

bigfuture.org

COLLEGE SEARCH
All students can use College Search to find the right college for them. This free tool connects students with thousands of colleges. Students can filter by location, size, and major, and explore college profiles to learn about admissions requirements. Throughout high school, students can build a list of schools that interest them and eventually strengthen that list during senior year with a balance of reach, match, and safety schools.
collegesearch.collegeboard.org

OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIPS
The College Board Opportunity Scholarships guide students through the college planning process with chances to earn money for college for each action they complete. This program is open to all juniors and seniors who attend high school in the United States, Puerto Rico, other U.S. territories, and U.S. Department of Defense Education Activity (DoDEA) schools. When students complete a step to plan for college, they’ll earn a chance at a $500 scholarship. When they complete all six steps, they’ll earn a chance at $40,000. The program awards more than 7,000 scholarships every year with at least half for students whose families earn less than $60,000 per year. Winners will receive an email when they’re selected through monthly drawings.
opportunity.collegeboard.org

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Student and Counselor Support.......................... 844-298-3554
or opportunityscholarships@collegeboard.org
Winner Instructions: collegeboard.org/scholarshipwinners

SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH
Scholarship Search is a free tool that matches students to a personalized list of scholarships based on their background, education level, talents, and achievements. Students can connect to billions of dollars in scholarships, internships, grants, and loans they may be qualified for, select scholarship providers, and use the “Auto-fill” function to automatically transfer saved information from one application to another.
scholarships.collegeboard.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

STUDENT SEARCH SERVICE
Student Search Service® connects high school students with colleges and scholarship programs looking for students like them. By joining, students have the opportunity to hear from over 1,500 four-year colleges along with scholarship partners who offer $300 million in scholarships each year. Research shows that students who connect with colleges through Student Search Service are 25% more likely to enroll in college and 31% more likely to graduate college in four years than similar students who weren’t identified through Student Search. The program is free for students and students can join anytime at studentsearch.collegeboard.org.
College Board National Recognition Programs

The College Board National Recognition Programs create pathways to college for underrepresented students by awarding them academic honors and connecting them with universities across the country. Students recognized by the programs can include this information on college and scholarship applications and colleges use these honors to actively recruit recognized students.

Eligible students: Sophomores and juniors, who are African American/Black, Hispanic/Latinx, Indigenous, and/or attend school in a rural area or small town and have taken the PSAT/NMSQT, PSAT 10, or AP Exams may be invited to apply for the recognition programs.

Visit the National Recognition Program site for more information: psat.org/recognition

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 at more than 2,000 CLEP test centers worldwide or with remote proctoring. Scores are provided immediately.

*Except for College Composition and Spanish with Writing

Fees

CLEP exams: $89
CLEP remote proctoring fee: $30

Most test centers also charge an administration fee.

ACCUPLACER

ACCUPLACER® is an integrated system of computer-adaptive tests designed to evaluate students’ skills in reading, writing, and mathematics. The primary function of ACCUPLACER is to assist institutions in determining students’ college and career readiness and to inform concerning college placement. In addition, ACCUPLACER provides a seamless platform for the inclusion of locally authored departmental exams, allowing for specialized institutional input into the placement decision process. The ACCUPLACER Program is used by more than 3,000 institutions, with several million tests being administered each year.

accuplacer.collegeboard.org

CONTACT US

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General/Study App Inquiries....................accuplacer@collegeboard.org
Customer Service/Technical Support..................866-607-5223

Unit Pricing

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

SpringBoard

Designed by teachers for teachers, SpringBoard® offers student-centered instructional materials in math and ELA for students in grades 6–12. SpringBoard puts students in charge of what they learn, preparing them with the skills and knowledge that matter most for college and career readiness. We structure classroom activities to engage active learning through discussion and collaboration—encouraging students to take ownership of their learning. SpringBoard offers both print and digital core instructional materials 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

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For general information, go to collegeboard.org.