

# SAT

2014 College-Bound Seniors

## Profile of SAT<sup>®</sup> Testers at Your School

BRANNOVER HIGH SCHOOL  
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## SAT® Data

Data in this report are for high school graduates in the year 2014. Information is summarized for seniors who took the SAT at any time during their high school years through June 2014. If a student took the test more than once, the most recent score is used.

Table 1: Overall Mean Scores

SAT	Test-Takers	Critical Reading		Mathematics		Writing*		Writing Subscores			
		Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Multiple Choice		Essay	
	Number							Mean	SD	Mean	SD
Total	186	507	92	510	98	493	92	48.7	9.2	7.4	1.4

Table 2: Mean Scores by Gender

SAT	Test-Takers	Critical Reading		Mathematics		Writing		Writing Subscores			
		Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Multiple Choice		Essay	
	Number							Mean	SD	Mean	SD
Female	98	507	79	498	89	496	87	48.5	8.8	7.7	1.2
Male	88	507	105	523	105	489	98	48.8	9.7	7.1	1.6

Table 3: Year in Which Seniors Last Took the SAT

Scores are from the last administration in which seniors took the SAT.

SAT	Test-Takers	Critical Reading		Mathematics		Writing		Writing Subscores			
		Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Multiple Choice		Essay	
	Number							Mean	SD	Mean	SD
Senior (2013-2014)	138	496	87	501	96	482	86	47.6	8.6	7.3	1.4
Junior (2012-2013)	47	537	99	534	97	523	102	51.6	10.3	7.7	1.5
Sophomore (2011-2012)	1										
Freshman (2010-2011)											
Total	186	507	92	510	98	493	92	48.7	9.2	7.4	1.4

Table 4: Mean Scores for State and Total Group

Mean scores for the state and total group may serve as points of reference when evaluating mean scores for the high school.

SAT	Test-Takers	Critical Reading		Mathematics		Writing		Writing Subscores			
		Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Mean	SD	Multiple Choice		Essay	
	Number							Mean	SD	Mean	SD
Massachusetts	60,451	516	115	531	117	509	117	50.7	11.8	7.3	1.6
Total	1,672,395	497	115	513	120	487	115	48.9	11.6	7.0	1.7

\*Writing data are based on students who took the current version of the SAT, first administered in March 2005. The Writing section contains one essay (30 percent of the total score) and 49 multiple-choice questions (70 percent of the total score). Essay scores range from 2 to 12, with a very small percentage of students (less than 0.3%) receiving scores of 0 on the essay, for essays written completely off topic. Multiple-choice scores range from 20 to 80.

Note: Mean scores are reported when there are five or more test-takers. Standard deviations are reported when there are 25 or more test-takers.

## SAT Subject Tests™ Data

Table 8: Number of Test-Takers and Tests for SAT Subject Tests

Students Who Took SAT Subject Tests		Students Who Took an SAT Subject Test and Also Took the SAT			
Number of Test-Takers	Number of Tests	Number of Test-Takers	Critical Reading	Mathematics	Writing
23	60	23	628	657	611
Students Who Took One or More Different SAT Subject Tests					
Number of Tests Taken	Number of Test-Takers	Percentage of Total Test-Takers Who Took One or More Tests			
1	8	35			
2	4	17			
3	4	17			
4 or More	7	30			

Table 9: Mean Scores for SAT Subject Tests and for Students Who Also Took the SAT

Most, but not all, students who take SAT Subject Tests also take the SAT. This table provides SAT Subject Test scores for students who took SAT Subject Tests. It also provides the SAT scores for those students who also took the SAT.

SAT Subject Test				SAT			
English	N	Mean	SD	N	Critical Reading Mean	Mathematics Mean	Writing Mean
Literature	4			4			
History and Social Studies							
U.S. History	12	628		12	633	662	621
World History	2			2			
Mathematics							
Mathematics Level 1	12	676		12	638	689	626
Mathematics Level 2	9	669		9	644	698	603
Science							
Biology E	3			3			
Biology M	8	661		8	655	681	660
Chemistry	8	634		8	633	691	633
Physics	1			1			
Foreign and Classical Languages							
Chinese with Listening							
French	1			1			
French with Listening							
German							
German with Listening							
Modern Hebrew							
Italian							
Japanese with Listening							
Korean with Listening							
Latin							
Spanish							
Spanish with Listening							

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# Big changes are coming to the SAT<sup>®</sup>

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The College Board, makers of the SAT, will be launching a revised version of the test in the spring of 2016. There's no question that the SAT in 2016 will look significantly different from the current version. Our chart below will help you understand these differences.

Changes to the SAT	Current SAT (Class of 2014–2016)	New SAT (Class of 2017–beyond)
<b>Scoring</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ 1/4-point penalty for wrong answers</li> <li>▶ Score is based out of 2400; 800 for Math, 800 for Reading Comprehension, and 800 for Writing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ No wrong-answer penalty</li> <li>▶ Score is based out of 1600; 800 for Math, 800 for Evidence-Based Reading and Writing, optional essay will receive a separate score</li> <li>▶ Subscores and insight scores available</li> </ul>
<b>Anatomy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ 3 Critical Reading tests (20-25 minutes each)</li> <li>▶ 3 Math tests (10-25 minutes each)</li> <li>▶ 3 Writing tests (10-25 minutes each)</li> <li>▶ 1 Essay test (25 minutes)</li> <li>▶ 1 Experimental test</li> <li>▶ 5 answer choices for multiple-choice questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ 1 Evidence-Based Reading and Writing test; 65-minute Reading section, 35-minute Language and Writing section</li> <li>▶ 1 Math test; 55-minute section with calculator, 25-minute section without calculator</li> <li>▶ 1 Essay test (optional; 50 minutes)</li> <li>▶ 4 answer choices for multiple choice questions</li> </ul>
<b>Timing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ 3 hours 45 minutes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ 3 hours; 3 hours 50 minutes with optional essay</li> </ul>
<b>Administration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Only available in print</li> <li>▶ Focus on broad range of content and skills</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Available in print and digitally*</li> <li>▶ Fewer questions with a greater focus on in-depth analysis of content and evidence</li> </ul>
<b>Essay</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Essay is required</li> <li>▶ Students have 25 minutes to draft a response</li> <li>▶ Quality of reasoning and accuracy of data not assessed</li> <li>▶ Score combined with multiple-choice Writing section</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Essay is optional</li> <li>▶ Students have 50 minutes to analyze a 650-750 word document and draft an essay</li> <li>▶ Tests reading, analysis, and writing skills; requires students to analyze a source document and explain how the author builds an argument</li> <li>▶ Facts matter</li> </ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Focus on wide array of topics</li> <li>▶ More emphasis on computational skills</li> <li>▶ Calculators permitted for all sections</li> <li>▶ Multiple choice and grid-in questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Concentrated focus on problem-solving and data analysis, "The Heart of Algebra", "Passport to Advanced Math"</li> <li>▶ Real-world problem-solving accompanied by informational graphics</li> <li>▶ Calculator permitted for 37 questions, not permitted for 20 questions</li> <li>▶ Multiple choice and grid-in questions, 1 enhanced grid-in question</li> </ul>
<b>Reading and Writing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Critical Reading is in two parts: sentence completions and passage-based questions</li> <li>▶ Passage-based questions from short (100-150 words) and long (400-850 words) passages</li> <li>▶ Writing combines score of writing multiple-choice questions and essay</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Reading and Writing combined into "Evidence-Based Reading and Writing"</li> <li>▶ Reading section does not contain sentence completions</li> <li>▶ Tests understanding of passages from U.S. and World Literature, History/Social Studies, and Sciences (500-850 words)</li> <li>▶ Writing and Language section tests "Expression of Ideas" and "Standard English Conventions" through passages relating to Careers, History/Social Studies, Humanities, and Science</li> <li>▶ Questions pull from extended prose (400-450 words)</li> </ul>

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