

ACT vs NEW SAT

What's the Same?

No penalties for guessing
Curriculum-focused content
Score choice
Optional essay

What's Different?

	ACT	New SAT	
2 Hours 55 Minutes	<p>36 ← TOP SCORE</p>	<p>1600 ← TOP SCORE</p>	3 Hours
	<p>MATH SECTION No Formulas given Calculator for ALL sections No Grid-in Answers</p>	<p>MATH SECTION Lots of Formulas given Calculator for ONE section Grid-in Answers</p>	
	<p>TOPICS → Geometry Algebra Arithmetic Trigonometry</p>	<p>← TOPICS Some Geometry & Arithmetic Advanced Algebra Some Trigonometry Interpretation of Data</p>	
4 SECTIONS	<p>READING SECTION 8% Vocabulary</p> <p>ENGLISH/Writing SECTION 3% Vocabulary</p> <p>SCIENCE SECTION Interpretation of Data Graphs & Charts</p>	<p>READING/Writing SECTION 17% Vocabulary (Reading Questions) 7% Vocabulary (Writing Questions) Questions based on Graphs & Charts</p> <p>SCIENCE SECTION</p>	2 SECTIONS

Helpful Resources

Websites

www.ACTSTUDENT.org (ACT)
www.COLLEGEBOARD.org (SAT)
www.NUMBER2.com (SAT/ACT PREP)
www.KHANACADEMY.com (SAT PREP)
www.FAIRTEST.org (Test-Optional Schools)

Need Testing Accommodations?

ACT: www.actstudent.org/regist/disab/
SAT: www.collegeboard.org/students-with-disabilities

SAT Subject Tests

sat.collegeboard.org/about-tests/sat-subject-tests
*Subject tests are never offered in March