The SAT

Created by the College Board, the SAT is an entrance exam used by most colleges and universities to make admissions decisions. As of March 2016, there are two SAT sections: Math, Evidence-Based Reading and Writing, plus an optional Essay. The Essay results are reported separately. Start to finish, the test will take you three hours and 50 minutes. Each section of the SAT is scored on a 200 to 800 point scale, making the “perfect” score 1600. Learn more about your SAT Score Report.
Upcoming SAT Dates:
August 25, 2018 Register by July 27, 2018
October 6, 2018 Register by September 7, 2018
November 3, 2018 Register by October 5, 2018
December 1, 2018 Register by November 2, 2018
March 9, 2019 Register by February 8, 2019
May 4, 2019 Register by April 5, 2019
June 1, 2019 Register by May 3, 2019

The ACT

Created by ACT Inc., the ACT is an entrance exam used by most colleges and universities to make admissions decisions. The ACT has four sections: English, Reading, Math and Science, as well as an optional 40-minute writing test. Some schools may require the writing test, so be sure to ask before you take it. Learn more about what’s on the ACT.
You’ll earn one ACT score (1 to 36) on each test (English, Math, Reading and Science) and a composite ACT score, which is an average of these four tests. Usually, when people ask about your score, they’re referring to your composite ACT score. The composite score falls between 1 and 36. The national average is about 21. If, for example, you scored 31 on the English, 30 on the Math, 29 on the Reading and 30 on the Science, your composite ACT score would be 30.

The ACT includes an optional essay, known as the writing test. If you take the writing test, you will receive a writing test subscore and a combined English/writing score.
Upcoming ACT Dates:
September 8, 2018       Register by August 12, 2018
October 27, 2018        Register by September 28, 2018
December 8, 2018        Register by November 2, 2018
February 9, 2019        Register by January 11, 2019
April 13, 2019          Register by March 8, 2019
June 8, 2019            Register by May 3, 2019
July 13, 2019           Register by June 14, 2019

Please see your high school counselor for assistance with registration for the SAT and ACT exams.