

SAT® VS. ACT®

The SAT and ACT are standardized tests used in college admissions, but which test should you take? Let's take a look at how they compare:

SAT®	ACT®
Topics Covered	
Evidence-Based Reading and Writing Math	English Math Reading Science Reasoning Essay (Optional)
Timing	
2 hours 14 minutes	2 hours, 55 minutes (without essay) 3 hours, 40 minutes (with essay)
Scoring	
400 - 1600 total Computer-Adaptive Scoring	1 - 36 composite score Traditional scoring
Format	
Computer based test (Bluebook app)	Computer based and paper & pencil options



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