Level Up:
2025-2026 Test Dates

ACT

Test Date	Regular Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline (fees apply)
SEP. 6	AUG. 1	AUG. 19
OCT. 18	SEP. 12	SEP. 30
DEC. 13	NOV. 7	NOV. 24
FEB. 14	JAN. 9	JAN. 23
APR. 11	MAR. 6	MAR. 24
JUN. 13	MAY 8	MAY 29
JUL.* 11	JUN. 5	JUN. 24

*No test centers are scheduled in New York for the July test date.

No Time To Register?

Sign up to receive a reminder of registration deadlines!

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Power Up Your Test Prep

ACT offers test prep for every learning style with live video lessons, interactive practice questions, full-length practice tests, and on-demand tutorials. Explore your test prep options, including a free practice test, at **act.org/prep.**

SAVE YOUR COINS!

Your ACT score can increase your chances of earning scholarships that can fuel your future and help with college costs. Even schools that are test optional may still require or recommend an ACT score to qualify for merit awards.

SHOW YOUR STRENGTHS

The ACT is designed to reflect what you've learned in school — no surprise questions or tricky logic games. You'll be tested in core subjects (English, math, reading) and can choose to take the optional science and writing sections.

GET A SIDEKICK WHEN YOU NEED ONE

If you are enrolled in your school's English Learner (EL) program, or have an IEP/504 plan, you may quality for additional support when taking the ACT. Work with your school counselor to request accommodations after you register.

UNLOCK THE TREASURE CHEST - GET YOUR ACT ANSWER KEY!

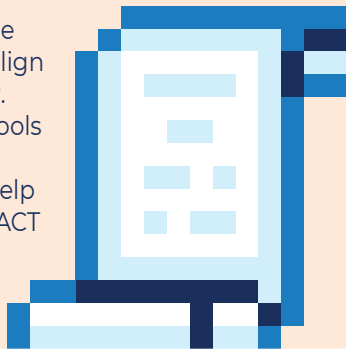
Your ACT My Answer Key provides valuable insights into your performance, helping you understand your strengths and areas for improvement. For three tests per year, you can order your ACT My Answer Key and have personal test prep matched to your performance. Learn more at **act.org/myanswerkey.**

CHOOSE YOUR GEAR

Depending on what you are more comfortable with, you can choose paper and pencil or online testing. You can also choose to take the ACT with science to receive your STEM score, and taking the ACT with writing will provide you with an ELA score. Customize your test to showcase even more of your strengths!

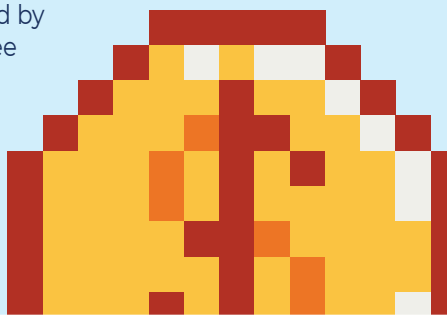
MORE THAN A TEST

The ACT includes a profile and education/career planning section to help you plan for life after high school. In MyACT you can complete your interest inventory and see how well your interests align with your planned major. You can also explore schools and majors, or find free online practice tests to help you do your best on the ACT and beyond.



FEE WAIVERS

Ask your counselor if you qualify for a fee waiver to take the ACT test for free. Fee waivers cover registration fees for up to two national tests, unlimited score reports, free access to The Official ACT® Self-Paced Course, Powered by Kaplan®, and free ACT My Answer Key on eligible test dates.



GET YOUR NAME IN THE GAME

When you register for the ACT, you can choose to sign up for ACT Recruit Me. Find your perfect college match, make it easier for your perfect match to reach out to you, and get connected with scholarship and financial aid opportunities. Visit **act.org/recruitme** to learn more

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