

ACT Average Composite Scores by State, 2017-2022

State	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Percent of Graduates Taking ACT 2022
Alabama	19.1	19.2	18.9	18.8	18.7	18.0	100
Alaska	20.0	19.8	20.1	20.1	20.6	20.4	14
Arizona	20.1	19.7	19.0	19.1	19.8	18.4	64
Arkansas	20.2	19.4	19.3	19.0	19.0	18.8	93
California	22.6	22.8	22.6	23.3	26.1	26.5	4
Colorado	20.6	20.8	23.8	23.7	23.6	23.2	15
Connecticut	24.5	25.2	25.5	25.9	27.2	26.3	9
Delaware	23.6	24.1	24.0	24.2	25.7	24.9	5
District of Columbia	22.2	24.2	23.5	23.1	25.6	26.9	18
Florida	19.9	19.8	20.1	20.6	20.4	19.0	46
Georgia	21.1	21.4	21.4	21.7	22.6	21.6	30
Hawaii	18.7	19.0	19.0	18.5	18.2	18.8	53
Idaho	22.7	22.3	22.5	22.7	23.0	22.8	15
Illinois	20.8	21.4	24.3	24.7	25.2	24.5	18
Indiana	22.3	22.6	22.5	22.6	23.1	22.8	13
Iowa	22.1	21.9	21.6	21.1	21.5	21.4	49
Kansas	21.9	21.7	21.2	20.4	19.9	19.9	73
Kentucky	20.0	20.0	19.8	19.5	19.2	18.6	96
Louisiana	19.5	19.5	18.8	18.7	18.4	18.1	100
Maine	23.6	24.3	24.3	24.9	25.6	25.1	2
Maryland	23.0	23.6	22.3	23.8	25.5	24.4	8
Massachusetts	24.8	25.4	25.5	26.0	27.6	26.5	9
Michigan	20.3	24.1	24.4	24.6	25.1	24.6	8
Minnesota	21.1	21.5	21.4	21.3	21.6	21.0	69
Mississippi	18.4	18.6	18.4	18.2	18.1	17.8	100
Missouri	20.2	20.4	20.8	20.7	20.6	20.2	66
Montana	20.3	20.3	19.8	19.9	20.4	19.3	94
Nebraska	21.4	21.4	20.0	19.9	20.0	19.4	94
Nevada	17.7	17.8	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.3	100
New Hampshire	24.5	25.5	25.0	25.7	26.6	25.7	5
New Jersey	23.1	23.9	24.2	24.4	25.1	24.6	12
New Mexico	19.9	19.7	19.3	19.3	20.7	19.8	20
New York	23.9	24.2	24.5	24.9	26.3	25.3	10
North Carolina	19.1	19.1	19.0	18.8	18.9	18.5	88
North Dakota	20.3	20.3	19.9	19.6	19.6	19.2	96
Ohio	22.0	22.0	20.0	19.9	19.6	19.4	82
Oklahoma	20.4	19.4	18.9	18.7	19.7	17.9	94
Oregon	21.7	21.8	21.1	21.0	20.6	23.0	7
Pennsylvania	23.1	23.7	23.6	23.7	25.0	24.4	7
Rhode Island	23.3	24.0	24.7	24.8	25.8	25.2	5
South Carolina	18.5	18.7	18.8	18.4	18.6	18.9	40
South Dakota	21.9	21.8	21.6	21.7	21.6	21.5	58
Tennessee	19.9	19.8	19.4	19.3	19.1	18.6	100
Texas	20.6	20.7	20.5	20.2	20.1	19.8	22
Utah	20.2	20.3	20.3	20.2	20.6	19.9	91
Vermont	23.4	23.6	24.1	23.3	24.7	23.7	8
Virginia	23.3	23.8	24.0	24.4	25.5	24.6	9
Washington	23.1	21.9	22.1	22.9	23.6	24.6	7
West Virginia	20.7	20.4	20.8	20.9	20.8	20.5	28
Wisconsin	20.5	20.5	20.3	20.1	20.0	19.4	93
Wyoming	20.0	20.2	19.8	19.7	19.8	19.2	100
United States	20.8	21.0	20.7	20.6	20.3	19.8	36

Source: ACT, ACT Newsroom, ACT National and State Scores, <https://www.act.org/> (accessed October 20, 2022).

Maximum composite score is 36.