



I will also give you an idea about what a **good score is on the GRE** and also the preparation plan that I followed. Finally, I will give you an idea about how important GRE actually is for the grad school process.

Graduate school admission process seems like a daunting process in itself if you look at it from the outside, but when you get into doing it, it just gets simpler and you start enjoying it. The graduate schools in the US start opening their application portals for the Fall term in the mid of September and it remains open till the deadlines of each school.

To apply, you require:

- **Your test scores (GRE and TOEFL)**
- **Resume (not a CV)**
- **Statement of Purpose (SOP)**
- **Transcripts**
- **Letter of Recommendations (LOR)**



The admissions committee weighs in all the above mentioned factors to come to a decision. **The most important part of the application process is the SOP and LOR.** They persuade the admissions committee to make a decision in your favour. For the most part, the **Test Scores and your Undergrad GPA are used as a filtration criterion and nothing more.**