

I'D LIKE TO GET A 4-YEAR DEGREE AND I HAVE MY HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA.

Many colleges require that students submit test results as part of the admission application process.

Both the ACT and the SAT are nationally administered standardized tests that help colleges evaluate candidates. All schools accept either test interchangeably. As you begin to think about college and creating the best application package possible, your admissions plan should begin with the question, "Which test should I take?"



The SAT is a globally recognized college admission test that lets you show colleges what you know and how well you can apply that knowledge. It tests your knowledge of reading, writing and math—subjects that are taught every day in high school classrooms. You can take the general SAT, or the SAT Subject, which many colleges use for admission, for course placement, and to advise students about course selection.

Reimbursement and Eligibility

The SAT exam is only funded when taken at a DANTES Test Site. Visit your military education center for scheduling information or contact DANTES at exams@navy.mil to locate a DANTES Test Site near you. DANTES does not fund or reimburse SATs taken at National Test Centers.

Stateside civilians may not take the SAT at DANTES Test Sites (includes Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico).

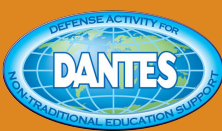
Overseas "logistically supported" civilians cannot routinely take the SAT at DANTES Test Sites. They must test at an International SAT Test Center or Department of Defense Dependent Schools (DODDS). Requests for exceptions must be submitted to the DANTES Test Site prior to testing.

Registration

The quickest and easiest way to register is online, where you can choose your test date and test center in real time, receive immediate registration confirmation, and get 24-hour access to registration for printing or correcting your Admission Ticket.

You need to register by mail if you:

- Pay by check or money order (payable to "The College Board").



- Are younger than 13 years old.
- Register for Sunday testing for the first time due to a religious observance.
- Request that we open a test center nearer to your home.
- Cannot upload a digital photo as part of the online registration process.
- Take the test in Cameroon, Ghana, or Nigeria
- Register through an SAT representative (required in Kenya).

For additional information and requirements for registering, please visit the SAT website.

Retest Policies

Service members cannot retest within the same calendar month or on the same form within the testing year as this will result in an invalid score. Only two forms are available to DANTES Test Sites each testing year. Examinees wishing to test more than twice in any one year must do so at a civilian test center. Unfunded retesting is authorized on a (self-pay basis) for any other reason.

Authorization for a funded retest is not based on the score of a previously funded SAT (or ACT). Funded retests are only authorized when a “current” SAT score is required by a Service or education regulation which varies with individual programs. For example;

- **Officer Ascension Programs:** *STA-21, MECP and AECP define a “current” score as not older than 3 years. Members with a funded SAT score less than 3 years old are not eligible for a funded retest or funded ACT administration.*
- **The Physician’s Assistance Program:** *defines a “current” score as not older than 1 year. Members with a funded SAT score less than 1 year old are not eligible for a funded retest.*

Scoring and Reporting:

Scores are available online to Service members who create an account on the College Board website. Visit the DANTES website for additional score receipt and reporting information