



COLLEGE TESTPLAN

PURSUE PERFECTION

EDUCATIONAL SERVICES
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SAT & ACT SERVICES

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PRIVATE TUTORING

The tests are standardized. Our one-on-one tutoring is anything but.

At its core, the SAT is a reading test—even the two math sections are full of word problems and questions about experimental design. And while the ACT has a reputation as the more student-friendly college admissions test, it requires students to be superstars at time management. For more than fifteen years, I've studied the ins and outs of both the SAT and the ACT and I've developed innovative strategies and essential tactics to help students read as effectively as possible and to help students manage time, reduce stress, and recall content. At COLLEGE TESTPLAN, I'll customize these strategies and tactics to distinct learning styles so that students achieve—and ideally exceed—their target scores.

After an initial, complimentary Diagnostic SAT and/or Diagnostic ACT (or evaluation of previous scores), I will devise a customized TESTPLAN leading into a targeted test date that caters to a student's respective strengths, needs, schedule, and colleges of interest. These TESTPLANS are highly focused yet flexible, highly demanding yet practicable.

Our **SIGNATURE TESTPLAN** consists of twelve 90-minute meetings (18 hours). For a first-try SAT, four meetings (6 hours) are typically centered on Reading, four meetings (6 hours) on Writing & Language, and four meetings (6 hours) on Math. For a first-try ACT, three meetings (4.5 hours) are typically centered on English, three meetings (4.5 hours) on Math, three meetings (4.5 hours) on Reading, and three meetings (4.5 hours) on Science. All customizable Signature TESTPLANS **INCLUDE** an Essential Final Review on the eve of the test (\$150 value), a fully proctored Actual Conditions SAT or ACT the weekend prior to test day (\$30 value), the *Official SAT Study Guide* (\$28.99 value) or the *Official ACT Prep Guide* (\$32.95 value), and all proprietary curriculum.

Because the SAT and the ACT are now so closely aligned, prepping for one test indirectly prepares a student for the other. Once most students are fully prepared for either the SAT or the ACT, it typically takes no more than four to six meetings (6 to 9 hours) to fully prepare for the “other” test.

SEMI-PRIVATE TUTORING

Same as the above except in a semi-private environment of two, three, or four students. Ideal for siblings, friends, and teammates who share comparable baseline numbers. At COLLEGE TESTPLAN, parents and/or students themselves typically initiate and arrange most semi-private tutoring.



CUSTOMIZABLE TESTPLAN PACKAGES

Private & Semi-Private

SIGNATURE TESTPLAN

2090/student

Ideal for the student looking to “pursue perfection” and to earn admissions-altering score increases. Twenty-four total hours (not including weekly homework assignments). Package sessions can be used for any combination of test preparation, admissions matters, or academic enrichment.

- Twelve 90-minute tutorials (18 hours)
- Essential Final Review (2 hours)
- Actual Conditions SAT or ACT (4 hours)

\$600+
SAVINGS

SIGNATURE+ TESTPLAN

3490/student

Ideal for the student looking to “pursue perfection” and to earn admissions-altering score increases PLUS prepare for a second test PLUS receive assistance with Admissions Matters. Forty-two total hours (not including weekly homework assignments). Package sessions can be used for any combination of test preparation, admissions matters, or academic enrichment.

- Twenty 90-minute tutorials (30 hours)
- Two Essential Final Reviews (4 hours)
- Two Actual Conditions SATs or ACTs or one of each (8 hours)

\$1000+
SAVINGS

TARGETED TESTPLAN

1190/student

Ideal for the student with specific needs and with target scores just out of reach. Fifteen total hours (not including weekly homework assignments). Package sessions can be used for any combination of test preparation, admissions matters, or academic enrichment.

- Six 90-minute sessions (9 hours)
- Essential Final Review (2 hours)
- Actual Conditions SAT or ACT (4 hours)

\$250
SAVINGS



SMALL GROUP OFFERINGS

Courses, Reviews, Exams

SIGNATURE SERIES

790/student

Our six-week Signature Series is ideal for mid-range scoring students who thrive in small, interactive settings. Research shows that students master skills faster and retain them longer when they are actively involved in the learning process. Our Signature Series—capped at 10 students—is designed to engage. This interactive environment provides an opportunity to tackle tough questions outside the range of a standard SAT or ACT classroom curriculum.

- Twenty-one hours of classroom instruction centered on core content, personalized strategies, and proven “tactics” (not tricks) from COLLEGE TESTPLAN’s *SAT Essentials* or *ACT Essentials*
 - Weekly homework assignments derived from our comprehensive Self-Study Plans
 - Access to unlimited practice tests
 - Fully proctored Actual Conditions SAT or ACT the weekend prior to test day
 - Comprehensive Essential Final Review on the eve of the test
- Signature Series for **August SAT** — Mondays (6:00 to 8:30 PM) on 7/16, 7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13 & 8/20
 - Signature Series for **September ACT** — Tuesdays (6:00 to 8:30 PM) on 7/31, 8/7, 8/14, 8/21, 8/28 & 9/4
 - Signature Series for **December SAT** — Saturdays (9:00 to 11:30 AM) on 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10 & 11/17
 - Signature Series for **December ACT** — Thursdays (6:30 to 9:00 PM) on 10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/29 & 12/6

ESSENTIAL PRIMER

490/student

Our four-week Essential Primer is ideal for mid-range scoring students and mid-range striving students who desire a comprehensive yet time efficient overview of core content, general strategies, and essential tactics.

- Sixteen hours of classroom instruction centered on core content, personalized strategies, and proven “tactics” (not tricks) from COLLEGE TESTPLAN’s *SAT Essentials* or *ACT Essentials*
 - Weekly homework assignments derived from our comprehensive Self-Study Plans
 - Access to unlimited practice tests
 - Fully proctored Actual Conditions SAT or ACT the weekend prior to test day
 - Comprehensive Final Review on the eve of the test
- Essential Primer for **October SAT** — Thursdays (6:30 to 9:00 PM) on 9/6, 9/13, 9/20 & 9/27
 - Essential Primer for **October ACT** — Thursdays (6:30 to 8:30 PM) on 10/4, 10/11, 10/18 & 10/25
 - Essential Primer for **November SAT** — Thursdays (6:30 to 8:30 PM) on 10/11, 10/18, 10/25 & 11/1



ESSENTIAL FINAL REVIEW — SAT

150/student

A comprehensive two-hour group review of Reading, Writing & Language, Math, and the Essay designed for students who desire one final “walk through” before test day. All major content, concepts, and problem solving methods necessary to succeed on the SAT will be covered. These reviews are ideal for all students, even those not already enrolled in private or group tutoring. During these comprehensive reviews, students will . . .

- Review all strategic and tactical approaches to Reading, Writing & Language, and Math questions via excerpts from COLLEGE TESTPLAN’s *SAT Essentials*
 - Hone timing, reading, and reasoning on varied question sets
 - Briefly address COLLEGE TESTPLAN’s “How to Write the SAT Essay”
 - And address—in detail—our “essential” test day checklist
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- Essential Final Review for **August SAT** — Thursday, August 23 (6:00 to 8:00 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **October SAT** — Friday, October 5 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **November SAT** — Friday, November 2 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **December SAT** — Friday, November 30 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **March SAT** — Friday, March 8 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **May SAT** — Friday, May 3 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **June SAT** — Friday, May 31 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)

ESSENTIAL FINAL REVIEW — ACT

150/student

A comprehensive two-hour group review of English, Math, Reading, Science, and Writing designed for students who desire one final “walk through” before test day. All major content, concepts, and problem solving methods necessary to succeed on the ACT will be covered. These reviews are ideal for all students, even those not already enrolled in private or group tutoring. During these comprehensive reviews, students will . . .

- Review all strategic and tactical approaches to English, Math, Reading, and Science questions via excerpts from COLLEGE TESTPLAN’s *ACT Essentials*
 - Hone timing, reading, and reasoning on varied question sets
 - Briefly address COLLEGE TESTPLAN’s “Writing ACT Writing”
 - And address—in detail—our “essential” test day checklist
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- Essential Final Review for **July ACT** — Friday, July 13 (4:00 to 6:00 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **September ACT** — Friday, September 7 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **October ACT** — Friday, October 26 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **December ACT** — Friday, December 7 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **February ACT** — Friday, February 8 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **April ACT** — Friday, April 12 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)
 - Essential Final Review for **June ACT** — Friday, June 7 (4:00 to 6:00 PM & 6:30 to 8:30 PM)



ACTUAL CONDITIONS EXAMS

30/student

Taking the SAT and the ACT under Actual Conditions is a great way to boost skills and to test new strategies and essential tactics. Our Actual Conditions testing provides students with the invaluable opportunity to hone pacing, to fine-tune analytical skills, and to strengthen strategic guessing. Although students can achieve some of these objectives by completing tests at home or online, taking the SAT or the ACT under Actual Conditions documents student performance without equivocation and familiarizes and desensitizes students to the “act” of taking standardized tests in a classroom setting.

- **Actual Conditions ACT** — Saturday, July 7 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions SAT** — Saturday, August 18 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions ACT** — Saturday, September 1 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions SAT** — Saturday, September 29 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions ACT** — Saturday, October 20 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions SAT** — Sunday, October 27 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions SAT** — Saturday, November 24 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions ACT** — Saturday, December 1 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions ACT** — Saturday, February 2 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions SAT** — Saturday, March 2 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions ACT** — Saturday, April 6 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions SAT** — Sunday, April 27 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions SAT** — Saturday, May 25 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)
- **Actual Conditions ACT** — Sunday, June 1 (9:00 AM to 12:30 PM)

ESSENTIAL PSAT & PreACT PRIMER

490/student

Our four-week Essential PSAT & PreACT Primer is ideal for students who desire a comprehensive primer to the PSAT and to the PreACT. In addition to improving students’ standardized test-taking skills, these sessions build confidence, comfort, and familiarity. And since the PSAT and the PreACT simulate the SAT and the ACT experience within a shorter test window, the preparation and subsequent results document both current achievement and projected future success. Our Essential PSAT & PreACT Primer is offered annually every fall.



ADMISSIONS MATTERS

Application Essays

ESSAYS THAT MATTER

590/student

For the Common or Coalition Application Essay, no one pedagogical approach fits all. Some students need to be walked through the entire process step-by-step: from brainstorming and mapping to drafting and refining to inputting and uploading content onto the application itself. Other students only need a diverse set of templates and an experienced proofreader. A handful of students simply need to fully understand the assignment and to be pushed in the best direction.

At COLLEGE TESTPLAN, we typically start our comprehensive Essays That Matter package with a 90-minute meeting during which we overview the writing assignment and emphasize the need to “control the argument” and to “direct the takeaways.” We also address what college admissions officers typically embrace and what they regularly shun. We discuss what to do and—more importantly—what not to do. At COLLEGE TESTPLAN, all students will critically read at least two dozen actual Common and Coalition Application Essays (some strong, some not so strong).

After that initial meeting, students will read through the supplemental materials provided and then brainstorm their “takeaways”—the characteristics, values, likes, dislikes, passions, talents, idiosyncrasies—they wish to showcase. Students will then brainstorm potential “vehicles”—experiences they have had, places they have been, people they have met, successes they have achieved, losses they have endured—that showcase these prioritized takeaways. Once done, we typically sit down together again to select and to map out a vehicle or two.

From that point, we will go back and forth via Google Docs—writing, editing, refining. For most students, the most challenging part of the process is deciding upon their takeaways and then selecting the best vehicle to showcase those takeaways. Once those decisions are made, however, the pieces typically write themselves—with the proper guidance, of course.

We will then do a final proof of the Common or Coalition Application Essay—and often the application itself—prior to submission.

In the end, we are often looking at two physical 90-minute meetings and then the final proof. Everything else will be conducted online or via FaceTime/Skype. If a third physical meeting is necessary to finalize the Common or Coalition Application Essay, there is no additional charge.



ADDITIONAL ACADEMIC SERVICES

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ADMISSIONS MATTERS

College Consulting & College Selection
Common Application
Application Essays
Supplemental Essays
Mock Interviews

SAT SUBJECT TESTS

Biology E/M
Literature
Mathematics Level 1 & Level 2
United States History
World History

AP COURSES & EXAMS

Biology
English Language & Composition
English Literature & Composition
Statistics
United States Government & Politics
United States History
World History

HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE EXAMS

High School Placement Test (HSPT)
Independent School Entrance Exam (ISEE)
Secondary School Admission Test (SSAT)

GRADUATE ENTRANCE EXAMS

Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT)
Graduate Record Examination (GRE)

ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT

Academic Writing Skills
Homework Help



PRIVATE TUTORING & GROUP PRICING

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PRIVATE TUTORING	140/hr	(210/90-minute session)
SEMI-PRIVATE TUTORING	160/hr	(80/hr two students, 53/hr three, etc.)
SIGNATURE TESTPLAN	2090	(custom, pre-paid, discount package)
SIGNATURE+ TESTPLAN	3490	(custom, pre-paid, discount package)
TARGETED TESTPLAN	1190	(custom, pre-paid, discount package)
SIGNATURE GROUP SERIES	790/student	(8 meetings, 21 hours)
ESSENTIAL GROUP PRIMER	540/student	(6 meetings, 16 hours)
ESSENTIAL FINAL REVIEW	150/student	(1 meeting, 2 hours)
ACTUAL CONDITIONS EXAMS	30/student	
ESSAYS THAT MATTER	590/student	

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- All pre-paid packages and all group offerings must be paid in full prior to the first meeting via cash, check, or credit card.
- All non-pre-paid private and semi-private sessions may be paid in advance or session by session via cash, check, or credit card.
- Unless otherwise agreed upon, all private and semi-private sessions and all group offerings will be conducted on site at COLLEGE TESTPLAN, 100 TradeCenter, Suite G-700, Woburn, MA 01801.
- Detailed directions to COLLEGE TESTPLAN—including pictures—are on the following page.





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@ TRADECENTER 128

100 TradeCenter, Suite G-700

Woburn, MA 01801

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FROM WEST & CENTRAL: Take the Mass Pike East (I-90) or Route 2 East to I-95 North (Route 128 North). From I-95 North, take Exit 34 (Winn Street). At the bottom of the exit ramp, turn left onto Winn Street. Travel 0.2 miles and turn right onto Beacon Street (just after the exit ramp for Route 128 South). Follow Beacon Street, which becomes Sylvan Road, for 0.8 miles. Turn left onto TradeCenter Drive. Access map of property [HERE](#).

FROM NORTH: Take I-93 South to I-95 South (Route 128 South). Travel 1.6 miles to Exit 35 (Route 38 / Main Street). At the end of the exit ramp, enter rotary and take the first right onto Main Street (Route 38 North). Turn left at first stoplight onto Elm Street. Turn left onto Sylvan Road and proceed 0.3 miles past shopping plaza. Turn right onto TradeCenter Drive. Access map of property [HERE](#).

FROM BOSTON: Take I-93 North to I-95 South (Route 128 South). Follow above directions from Exit 35.

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION: MBTA Bus Route 134 provides regular service to TradeCenter 128 via Wellington Station (Orange Line) and Winchester Center (via Lowell Commuter Rail). The MBTA Information Line is 617.222.3200 or 800.392.6100 or click [HERE](#). The hearing impaired may call the MBTA TDD Line at 617.222.5146.

PARKING: Garage and surface parking is available. Parking is free.

GPS NAVIGATION: Please use **100 Sylvan Road, Woburn, MA, 01801**.

TRADECENTER 128 is separated into four buildings—100, 200, 300, 400.

Our suite is in **100 TRADECENTER**, north of the large 300-400 building that houses Strega Prime.

When entering TRADECENTER 128 from Sylvan Road, pass under the 300-400 archway with Strega Prime on your right. Drive toward and then around the pond, keeping the pond on your right and the five-story parking garage on your left. Follow signage to 100 TRADECENTER & 100 South.

The **Century Suites** entrance pictured below—**South A G-700**—is on the far right side of the building facing the pond.

