

Test Dates for 2008

Test dates current as of 01/04/08

January 2008

Jan 19 PCAT
Jan 25 MCAT
Jan 26 MCAT
Jan 26 SAT/SAT Subject Tests

February 2008

Feb 2 LSAT
Feb 4 LSAT alternative
Feb 9 ACT (no NY)

March 2008

Mar 1 SAT only

April 2008

Apr 5 MCAT
Apr 12 ACT
Apr 18 MCAT
Apr 19 MCAT

May 2008

May 3 SAT/SAT Subject Tests
May 5 AP (U.S. Government & Politics)
May 6 AP (Statistics)
May 7 AP (Calculus)
May 8 AP (English Literature)
May 9 AP (U.S. History)
May 10 MCAT

May 2008 (continued)

May 12 AP (Biology/Physics)
May 13 AP (Environmental Science/
Chem/Psychology)
May 14 AP (English Language)
May 15 AP (Macroeconomics/
Microeconomics/World History)
May 16 AP (Human Geography)
May 23 MCAT
May 27 MCAT
May 31 MCAT

June 2008

Jun 7 SAT/SAT Subject Tests
Jun 13 MCAT
Jun 14 ACT
Jun 16 LSAT

July 2008

July 8 MCAT
July 10 MCAT
July 18 MCAT

August 2008

Aug 5 MCAT
Aug 7 MCAT
Aug 15 MCAT
Aug 22 MCAT
Aug 26 MCAT

September 2008

Sept 3 MCAT
Sept 5 MCAT
Sept 6 MCAT
Sept 12 MCAT
Sept 13 MCAT
Sept 13 ACT

October 2008

Oct 4 SAT/SAT Subject Tests
(proposed)
Oct 4 LSAT
Oct 6 LSAT alternative
Oct 15 PSAT[®]
Oct 18 PSAT[®]
Oct 25 ACT

December 2008

Dec 6 SAT/SAT Subject Tests
(proposed)
Dec 6 LSAT
Dec 8 LSAT alternative
Dec 13 ACT

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Computerized tests offered year-round by appointment: ASVAB, DAT, GED, GMAT, GRE, MAT, NCLEX-RN, TOEFL iBT, USMLE

Additional tests:

COOP: administered once a year in October or November

GRE Subject Tests: administered three times a year, usually in April, November, and December

HSPT: test dates vary; students should contact the school to find out when the test is offered

ISEE: given by appointment

MAT: offered by appointment as both a paper- and computer-based exam; test dates vary by geographic location

PCAT: administered three times a year, usually in January, October, and November

PRAXIS: paper exam is offered six times a year in January, March, April, June, September, and November; computerized exam is offered year-round by appointment

SSAT: test dates are January 12, February 9 (US and Canada only), March 8, April 12, and June 14 (US and Canada only)

TACHS: administered once a year in October or November

TOEIC: paper exam with tests varying by location; exams may be administered either at ETS centers, at companies, or at language schools

Alternate/restricted test dates:

ACT: Testing is not available in the state of New York for the February 9, 2008 administration. The September 13, 2008 test date is available only in Arizona, California, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Michigan, Missouri, Nevada, New York, North Carolina, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Washington, and West Virginia.

LSAT: The alternate LSAT dates for Saturday Sabbath observers are February 4, October 6, and December 8.

MCAT: Exams on the following test dates will be administered in the morning: January 25, April 5, April 18, May 10, May 23, May 31, July 8, July 10, July 18, August 5, August 7, September 3, September 5, September 6, and September 13. Exams on the following test dates will be administered in the afternoon: January 26, April 19, May 27, August 22, August 26, and September 12.

Two exams will be administered on each of the following test dates, one in the morning and one in the afternoon: June 13 and August 15. Since January 2007, the MCAT has been administered as a computer-based test (or CBT) and is offered 22 times a year.

SAT: As is customary, Sunday administrations will occur the day after each Saturday test date for students who cannot test on Saturday for religious reasons.

ACT or SAT: Which Test Should You Take?



| | ACT | SAT |
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| Length | 3 hours, 25 minutes (including the 30-minute optional Writing Test) | 3 hours, 45 minutes |
| Sections | 4 Test Sections (5 with the optional Essay): English, Math, Reading, Science, Writing (Optional) | 10 Sections: 3 Critical Reading, 3 Math, 3 Writing (includes the Essay), 1 Experimental (unscored) |
| Reading (ACT)/ Critical Reading (SAT) | 4 reading comprehension passages, 10 questions per passage | Mix of reading comprehension and sentence completion questions which require vocabulary expertise |
| Science | Science reasoning (analysis, interpretation, evaluation, problem solving) | Science not included |
| Math | Math accounts for 1/4 of overall score <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arithmetic, algebra, geometry, trigonometry (4 questions) | Math accounts for 1/3 of overall score <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arithmetic, algebra, geometry and algebra II |
| Essay | Last thing you do (optional); 30 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not included in composite score | First thing you do; 25 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Factored into overall score |
| Scoring | Total composite score of 1-36 (based on average of 4 tests) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 scores of 1-36 for each test • Score of 2-12 for the optional Essay | Total score out of 2400 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 scores of 200-800 for each section • 2 sub-scores: 20-80 for writing multiple choice and 2-12 for the Essay |
| Wrong Answer Penalty | No wrong answer penalty | Yes, 1/4 point per wrong answer (except for Math Grid-in questions) |
| Sending Score History | You decide which score is sent | Your entire score history will be sent automatically |