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THE SAT

Registration and Test Day Guide

Online Registration Requirements

When you register for the SAT®, you'll need to supply:

1. Your full legal name as it appears on your photo ID, your date of birth, gender, mailing address, phone number, and current grade level. College Board uses your legal name on test day to confirm your identity. If you have a preferred first name, you can provide it in your College Board account. We'll use your preferred first name in all other communications.
2. An acceptable photo of yourself that closely resembles the photo on your ID and will match how you look on test day. Your photo won't appear on your admission ticket, but testing staff will have access to it on their roster. See details at **sat.org/photo**.
3. The name of your high school.
4. Acceptance of our Testing Rules at **sat.org/testing-rules**.
5. The type of testing device you'll use.
6. Payment or a fee waiver. See details at **sat.org/fee-waivers**.

Registration Deadlines

Register before the deadline for an upcoming test to avoid late fees. If you need to change or cancel your registration, you must do so before the late registration deadline to avoid higher fees. Find more information about deadlines at **sat.org/dates-deadlines**.

If you need to borrow a device from College Board to take the SAT, you'll need to complete your registration and request your device at least 30 days in advance of test day to allow time for shipping. Find more information at **satsuite.collegeboard.org/sat/device-lending**.

Before Test Day

☐ **Prepare for the SAT:**

- Download the Bluebook™ exam app from **bluebook.app.collegeboard.org** on the device you'll use on test day. Your device should be either a personal or school-managed Windows laptop or tablet, personal or school-managed Mac laptop or iPad, or school-managed Chromebook. If you're testing with a school-managed device and you can't complete the download, contact someone at your school for help or fill out this form: **form.collegeboard.org/f/managed-devices-exams**.
- After you sign in to Bluebook, read and accept the application Testing Rules.
- Visit **sat.org/practice** for free practice resources. Take a full-length practice test, build a study plan that works for you, and boost your confidence. After you take a practice test, you can view your results at **mypractice.collegeboard.org** to determine your strengths and areas for growth.

☐ **Get your admission ticket:**

- 5 days before test day, go to the Bluebook homepage and find your SAT under Your Tests.
- Complete the short exam setup and get your admission ticket. You can take a picture of your admission ticket, print it, or email it to yourself.
- If you need to make any changes to your admission ticket, you can update your admission ticket until 5 days before your test by contacting customer service at **collegeboard.org/contact-us**.

☐ **Check your photo ID**

You need to bring an acceptable physical photo ID—visit **sat.org/id** to get the ID requirements and recent changes that apply to you.

☐ **Check the latest Testing Rules online**

You'll be agreeing to the SAT Testing Rules as they exist on test day. Go to **sat.org/terms** prior to test day to review any updates.

☐ **Check the SAT Test Center Closings page**

Always check **sat.org/test-center-closings** to make sure your test center is open. Check on the Friday night before the test and again on Saturday morning.

On Test Day

☐ **Bring these things:**

- An acceptable, fully charged testing device with Bluebook already downloaded and exam setup completed.
- Admission ticket (accessed in Bluebook after exam setup). You can use your mobile phone to show your admission ticket, but it will be collected before the test.
- Acceptable photo ID.
- A power cord and/or a portable charger. We cannot guarantee you'll have access to an outlet during testing. Your device should be able to hold a charge for 3 hours.
- A pen or pencil for scratch work. (Don't bring paper—your proctor will provide it.)
- An acceptable calculator for use on the Math section (if you prefer a handheld calculator instead of the embedded calculator in Bluebook). Check **sat.org/calculator** to see which calculators are prohibited and view the full list of approved devices.
- An external mouse if you use one.
- An external keyboard if you use one (you can only use external keyboards with tablets—not laptops).

☐ **Don't bring these things:**

- Smartwatches, wearable technology such as fitness trackers, or detachable privacy screens—these will be collected and held during testing.
- Mobile phone—you may bring your phone with you, but you must turn it in to the proctor to be stored away from your desk during testing.
- Bluetooth devices (such as wireless earbuds/headphones).
- Other prohibited items—see the full list at **sat.org/digital-prohibited-devices**.

☐ **Arrive on time:**

- Plan to arrive by 7:45 a.m.
- If you're approved to borrow a testing device from College Board, arrive by 7:15 a.m. to pick up your device, sign in to Bluebook, and set up your test. Complete exam setup to generate your admission ticket.

See **sat.org** for more information.

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