### STANDARDIZED TESTS AND COLLEGE ADMISSIONS



RECOMMENDED TIMELINE

SOPHOMORE YEAR

preparation

• Ideal time to begin SAT/ACT

Possible first AP Exams

(for strong students)

Spring

JUNIOR YEAR

Autumn

- · PSAT at schools in October
- Begin intensive preparation for **AP Exams**

# JUNIOR YEAR Spring

- Typical first SAT in March or first ACT in April
- Typical SAT retake in May or ACT retake in June
- AP Exams in May

### Main test: SAT or ACT

### $\begin{array}{c} \text{JUNIOR} \rightarrow \text{SENIOR YEAR} \\ \text{Summer} \end{array}$

- Typical SAT or ACT retakes
- College application essays
- Work experience/internships
- Public service

#### SENIOR YEAR

Autumn

- Typical **SAT or ACT retakes**
- Last ACT for early applications: September or possibly October
- Last SAT for early applications: October or possibly November

## **SENIOR YEAR**Application Dates

• Early Action/Early Decision deadline: 1 November

**AP Exams**: Recommended for many students

- Early notifications: mid December
- Regular application deadline: 1 January
- Regular notifications: begin at the end of March

SAT Registration: mysat.collegeboard.org

ACT Registration: my.act.org

AP Registration: apstudents.collegeboard.org/register-for-ap-exams

#### **SAT DATES**

TEST DATE	REGISTRATION DEADLINE	LATE REGISTRATION DEADLINE
August 26, 2023	July 28, 2023	August 15, 2023
October 7, 2023	September 7, 2023	September 26, 2023
November 4, 2023	October 5, 2023	October 24, 2023
December 2, 2023	November 2, 2023	November 21, 2023
March 9, 2024	February 23, 2024	February 27, 2024
May 4, 2024	April 19, 2024	April 23, 2024
June 1, 2024	May 17, 2024	May 21, 2024
Note that the SAT will fully transition to a digital test in March 2024 in the U.S. and in March 2023 in other countries.		

#### **ACT DATES**

TEST DATE	REGISTRATION DEADLINE	LATE REGISTRATION DEADLINE	
September 9, 2023	August 4, 2023	August 18, 2023	
October 28, 2023	September 22, 2023	October 6, 2023	
December 9, 2023	November 3, 2023	November 17, 2023	
February 10, 2024	January 5, 2024	January 19, 2024	
April 13, 2024	March 8, 2024	March 22, 2024	
June 8, 2024	May 3, 2024	May 17, 2024	
July 13, 2024*	June 7, 2024	June 21, 2024	
*No test centers are scheduled in New York for the July test date.			

WWW.ADVANTAGETESTING.COM