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## STANDARDIZED TESTING

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The ACT and the SAT are standardized tests used for college admissions decisions. Most colleges do not prefer one test over the other and different students tend to do better on one than the other. Due to the nature of COVID-19, many colleges have chosen to go test-optional.

**All juniors at OHS will take the SAT on April 17, 2024.**

### What are the benefits of taking the SAT?

- You may fulfill additional graduation requirements in English/Math
- Certain minimum scores are required by select Colleges/Universities
- Certain minimum scores are required by large (local) scholarships
- It helps improve overall test taking skills

### Here are a few ways to study (all of which are FREE):

1. Free practice problems on each of the tests website
  - a. ACT [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)
  - b. SAT [www.satsuite.collegeboard.org/sat](http://www.satsuite.collegeboard.org/sat)
2. Khan Academy [www.khanacademy.org](http://www.khanacademy.org)
3. Methodize (formerly Method Test Prep)  
create a free account <https://methodize.methodlearning.com/join/lez8zfd>
4. Study & Prep Sessions for SAT  
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### **Additional Testing Dates for the 2023-2024 school year (You must sign up on your own)**

**SAT:** October 7, November 4, December 2, \*March 9, \*May 4, \*June 1

**ACT:** October 28, December 9, \*February 10, \*April 13, \*June 8, \*July 13

*\*These dates are digital tests and may not be offered at OHS*