

## **SAT & ACT INFORMATION: WHAT YOU NEED FOR COLLEGE**

### ***What Are The SATs And ACTs?***

- In order to meet entrance requirements for the UC and CSU systems, as well as most other 4yr private colleges and universities, students must take the SAT and/or the ACT.
- These tests are used by colleges and universities to determine whether or not a student will be successful in college, and to determine eligibility for entrance into individual colleges or universities. Although they are not the only factor in the admissions process, they are a necessary requirement for all students who apply to a four year institution.

### ***Which Test Should I Take?***

- While students should check with each college/university in which they plan to apply for testing requirements, students applying to a UC campus must take either the SAT with writing and/or ACT with writing and some even require that you take the SAT II (subject test). Check here:  
<http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/freshman/requirements/examination-requirement/SAT-subject-tests>

### ***Are Practice Tests Available?***

- SAT practice tests and preparation books are available both online and in most libraries for little to no cost. Links are provided below for more information on online SAT practice.  
SAT Test Preparation: <http://sat.collegeboard.com/practice>  
SAT II (Subject Test) Preparation: <http://sat.collegeboard.com/practice/sat-subject-test-preparation>
- ACT practice tests and preparation books are available both online and in most libraries for little to no cost. Links are provided below for more information on online ACT practice.  
ACT Test Preparation: [http://www.testprepreview.com/act\\_practice.htm](http://www.testprepreview.com/act_practice.htm)

### ***How Do I Register?***

- Online registration forms for the SAT and SAT II can be found by clicking on this hyperlink: [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)
- Online registration forms for the ACT can be found by clicking on this hyperlink: [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org)

### ***\*For More Information***

- Links are provided below for additional information and FAQ's about the SAT and SAT II tests.  
Learn More About The SAT Reasoning Test ....  
<http://sat.collegeboard.com/practice/sat-practice-questions>  
Learn More About The SAT Subject Tests....  
<http://sat.collegeboard.com/practice/sat-subject-test-preparation>
- Links provided below contain more information and FAQ's about the ACT test.  
What is the ACT?... <http://www.actstudent.org/regist/dates.html>  
ACT Frequently Asked Questions... <http://www.actstudent.org/faq/faq.html>