

2017

SAT Suite of Assessments Annual Report

SAT[®]

PSAT/NMSQT[®]

PSAT[®] 10

PSAT[®] 8/9

California

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About This Report

This report presents data on students in the class of 2017 who took the new SAT® during high school, as well as takers of PSAT-related assessments—the PSAT/NMSQT®, PSAT™ 10, and PSAT™ 8/9—across the 2016-17 school year.

Within each assessment, test takers are counted only once and only their latest scores and most recent demographic responses are summarized. (Most students supply optional demographic information when they register for or take tests in the SAT Suite of Assessments, which provides valuable contextual information to aid in interpreting and understanding individual and group scores.)

Score Ranges

Here are the ranges for reported scores for the Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (ERW) and Math sections of each test in the SAT Suite:

- SAT sections: 200–800
- PSAT/NMSQT and PSAT 10 sections: 160–760
- PSAT 8/9 sections: 120–720

Recent Changes to Data Collection and Reporting

In June 2015, the College Board aligned its collection and reporting of race/ethnicity categories with U.S. Department of Education guidelines. In addition, while previous SAT cohort assignment reflected self-reported information collected during SAT or SAT Subject Test registration only, it now leverages the most recent information from the SAT, PSAT-related assessment, or AP programs in an effort to more closely align with school, district, and state data systems. For these reasons, we advise caution when comparing data points in this report to those in previous reports.

Caveat on Using the Data

The College Board strongly discourages using scores to compare or evaluate teachers, schools, districts, or states, because of differences in participation and test taker populations. Relationships between test scores and other background or contextual factors are complex and interdependent.

Statistical Definitions

Mean score: The mean score is the arithmetic average of a defined set of test scores. Mean score statistics are reported here if there are ten or more students in a group or subgroup.

Scaled score: A scaled score is the result of adjusting a raw score (the number of questions answered correctly) in ways that ensure that results across different test forms are comparable. The scores shown here and reported to educators, students, and institutions are scaled scores.

Standard deviation (SD): The standard deviation is a measure of the variability of a set of scores. If test scores cluster tightly around the mean score, as they do when the group tested is relatively homogeneous, the standard deviation is smaller than it would be with a more diverse group and a more widely dispersed distribution of scores.

College and Career Readiness Benchmarks

Each assessment in the SAT Suite has an associated set of metrics called the College and Career Readiness Benchmarks.

- The SAT Math benchmark is the section score associated with a 75% chance of earning at least a C in first-semester, credit-bearing, college-level courses in algebra, statistics, precalculus, or calculus.
- The SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (ERW) benchmark is associated with a 75% chance of earning at least a C in first-semester, credit-bearing, college-level courses in history, literature, social science, or writing.

The grade-level benchmark scores for PSAT-related assessments are based on expected student growth toward the SAT benchmarks at each grade. While SAT benchmarks indicate likelihood of success in college, grade-level benchmarks indicate whether a student is on track for college and career readiness for their grade. The benchmarks are set to reflect typical annual growth from year to year from 8th through 12th grades.

College and Career Readiness Benchmarks

Assessment/ Grade level	ERW Section Score	Math Section Score
SAT	480	530
Grade 11	460	510
Grade 10	430	480
Grade 9	410	450
Grade 8	390	430

The new SAT Suite benchmark outcomes should not be compared against results from the old SAT or PSAT/NMSQT, as the score scale and benchmark definitions have changed.

Benchmark statistics are reported if there are ten or more students in a group or subgroup.

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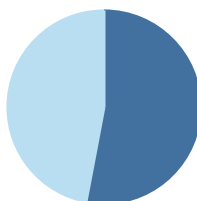
SAT Suite Participation Summary

The SAT Suite of Assessments — the SAT (grades 12 and 11), PSAT/NMSQT and PSAT 10 (grades 11 and 10), and PSAT 8/9 (grades 9 and 8) — measures a student's college and career readiness. Together, these assessments provide a comprehensive solution that systematically and progressively measures the knowledge, skills, and understandings essential for success in college and career.

988,438 test takers completed the SAT or a PSAT-related assessment (PSAT/NMSQT, PSAT 10, or PSAT 8/9) in the 2016-17 school year.

Class of 2017

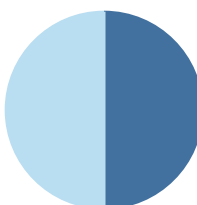
SAT Takers ¹	226,699
High School Graduates ²	425,864
SAT Participation Rate	53%



53% of graduates in the class of 2017 took the SAT during high school

Class of 2018

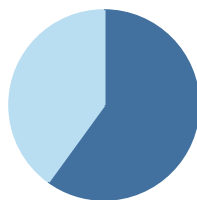
PSAT/NMSQT Takers ³	253,325
11th-Grade Enrollment ²	503,782
Participation Rate	50%



50% of 11th graders took the PSAT/NMSQT last fall

Class of 2019

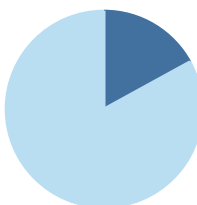
PSAT/NMSQT or PSAT 10 Takers ³	307,662
10th-Grade Enrollment ²	512,913
Participation Rate	60%



60% of 10th graders took the PSAT/NMSQT or PSAT 10 in 2016-17

Class of 2020

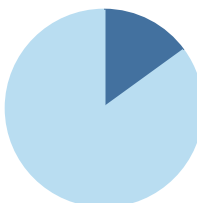
PSAT 8/9 Takers ³	90,860
9th-Grade Enrollment ²	525,437
Participation Rate	17%



17% of 9th graders took the PSAT 8/9 in 2016-17

Class of 2021

PSAT 8/9 Takers ³	79,067
8th-Grade Enrollment ²	510,155
Participation Rate	15%



15% of 8th graders took the PSAT 8/9 in 2016-17

¹ Reflects 2017 high school graduates who took the new SAT during high school.

² Knocking at the College Door, WICHE, December 2016.

³ PSAT-related assessment data reflect students who tested during the 2016-17 school year.

SAT Participation and Performance

Data reflect 2017 high school graduates who took the new SAT during high school. If a student took the SAT more than once, the most recent score and self-reported SAT questionnaire responses are summarized.

Total	Test Takers		Mean Score				Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
Total	226,699		1055	531	524	45%	70%	47%	27%
Took Essay ¹	193,238	85%	1067	537	530	48%	72%	50%	25%

Race / Ethnicity	Test Takers		Mean Score				Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
American Indian/Alaska Native	802	0%	997	504	494	33%	63%	35%	35%
Asian	33,123	15%	1145	561	584	65%	81%	70%	14%
Black/African American	12,509	6%	961	492	470	23%	55%	25%	43%
Hispanic/Latino	111,675	49%	992	502	490	31%	60%	33%	38%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	979	0%	1022	513	508	38%	67%	41%	30%
White	52,080	23%	1153	583	570	67%	89%	68%	10%
Two or More Races	8,924	4%	1139	575	564	63%	86%	64%	12%
No Response	6,607	3%	988	501	488	31%	58%	34%	40%

Sex	Test Takers		Mean Score				Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
Female	125,088	55%	1041	529	512	40%	70%	42%	28%
Male	101,611	45%	1073	534	540	51%	71%	54%	26%

First Language Learned	Test Takers		Mean Score				Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
English Only	112,861	50%	1094	554	541	54%	79%	55%	19%
English and Another Language	71,064	31%	1016	511	505	36%	63%	38%	35%
Another Language	39,698	18%	1023	507	516	38%	61%	42%	35%
No Response	3,076	1%	961	483	478	28%	47%	31%	51%

Highest Level of Parental Education	Test Takers		Mean Score				Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
No High School Diploma	40,716	18%	961	483	478	24%	51%	27%	46%
High School Diploma	75,834	33%	1021	515	506	37%	67%	40%	31%
Associate Degree	14,780	7%	1055	533	522	44%	75%	47%	23%
Bachelor's Degree	50,976	22%	1135	570	565	63%	86%	65%	12%
Graduate Degree	32,698	14%	1186	597	589	71%	90%	73%	9%
No Response	11,695	5%	898	451	446	15%	34%	18%	63%

SAT Fee Waiver	Test Takers		Mean Score				Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
Used at any point	101,207	45%	992	500	492	30%	59%	33%	38%
Did not use	125,492	55%	1107	557	550	57%	80%	59%	19%

¹ Reflects test takers who completed the SAT Essay at any point, not necessarily on the most recent test administration date.

SAT Participation and Performance Continued

Data reflect 2017 high school graduates who took the new SAT during high school. If a student took the SAT more than once, the most recent score and self-reported SAT questionnaire responses are summarized.

High School Grade Point Average	Test Takers		Mean Score			Met Benchmarks			
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
A+ (97–100)	10,311	5%	1226	614	612	79%	92%	81%	7%
A (93–96)	36,677	16%	1179	590	589	72%	89%	73%	10%
A- (90–92)	40,353	18%	1125	564	561	62%	84%	64%	13%
B (80–89)	103,314	46%	1009	509	499	34%	65%	37%	32%
C (70–79)	22,539	10%	914	463	451	15%	41%	17%	57%
D, E, or F (below 70)	688	0%	840	428	412	7%	25%	8%	74%
No Response	12,817	6%	983	497	486	30%	56%	32%	42%

High School Rank	Test Takers		Mean Score			Met Benchmarks			
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
Highest Tenth	27,033	12%	1219	608	611	80%	92%	81%	6%
Second Tenth	25,524	11%	1098	550	548	57%	80%	60%	17%
Second Fifth	19,638	9%	1043	524	519	43%	72%	46%	25%
Final Three-Fifths	21,428	9%	967	488	479	24%	55%	27%	42%
No Response	133,076	59%	1030	520	510	39%	66%	41%	31%

Took the PSAT/NMSQT ¹	Test Takers		Mean Score			Met Benchmarks			
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
As a Junior and Sophomore or Younger	94,311	42%	1083	545	538	51%	75%	53%	24%
As a Junior	55,419	24%	1067	537	530	47%	73%	50%	24%
As a Sophomore or Younger	37,280	16%	1028	518	511	40%	66%	43%	31%
Never Took PSAT/NMSQT	39,689	18%	999	502	496	33%	60%	36%	37%

¹ Derived from College Board records of student test-taking history. Previously, these data were based on self-reported information collected during registration.

SAT Participation and Performance: Score Distributions

Data reflect 2017 high school graduates who took the new SAT during high school. If a student took the SAT more than once, the most recent score is summarized.

Total and Section Scores

Total Score			ERW			Math		
1400–1600	9,331	4%	700–800	10,468	5%	13,443	6%	
1200–1390	43,687	19%	600–690	48,818	22%	40,148	18%	
1000–1190	84,347	37%	500–590	83,294	37%	83,428	37%	
800–990	72,005	32%	400–490	67,603	30%	66,125	29%	
600–790	17,088	8%	300–390	16,062	7%	22,604	10%	
400–590	241		200–290	454		951		
Mean	1055		Mean	531		524		
SD	186		SD	95		103		

Cross-Test Scores

	Analysis in History/Social Studies	Analysis in Science
35–40	14,541	14,351
30–34.5	49,284	51,887
25–29.5	85,610	83,369
20–24.5	58,937	62,202
15–19.5	16,954	14,169
10–14.5	1,373	721
Mean	27	27
SD	5	5

Test Scores

	Reading	Writing and Language	Math
35–40	14,071	12,370	13,443
30–34.5	49,690	52,551	40,148
25–29.5	84,673	80,357	83,428
20–24.5	62,667	60,803	66,125
15–19.5	14,812	19,620	22,604
10–14.5	786	998	951
Mean	27	26	26
SD	5	5	5

Subscores

	Words in Context	Command of Evidence	Expression of Ideas	Standard English Conventions	Heart of Algebra	Problem Solving and Data Analysis	Passport to Advanced Mathematics
13–15	19,813	19,342	22,389	20,835	18,785	18,141	26,136
10–12	82,922	64,073	72,284	55,649	60,126	62,905	60,478
7–9	79,588	104,052	90,149	83,128	102,919	81,379	92,342
4–6	35,449	37,426	38,114	57,670	39,724	50,478	42,914
1–3	8,927	1,806	3,763	9,417	5,145	13,796	4,829
Mean	9	9	9	8	9	8	9
SD	3	2	3	3	3	3	3

Essay¹

	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	Mean	SD
Reading	2,650	13,066	60,300	53,193	44,988	12,970	6,071	5	1
Analysis	1,260	6,242	24,060	38,302	47,943	34,113	41,318	4	1
Writing	2,545	12,169	61,082	51,664	46,327	13,343	6,108	5	1

¹ Reflects the most recent essay of test takers who completed the SAT Essay at any point, not necessarily on the most recent test administration date.

SAT Participation and Performance: Intended College Major and Degree-Level Goal

Data reflect 2017 high school graduates who took the new SAT during high school. If a student took the SAT more than once, the most recent score and self-reported SAT questionnaire responses are summarized.

Intended College Major	Test Takers	Percent	Total	Mean Score	
				ERW	Math
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations, and Related Sciences	2,066	1%	1018	516	502
Architecture and Related Services	2,596	1%	1054	523	531
Area, Ethnic, Cultural, and Gender Studies	353	0%	1075	555	520
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	17,926	9%	1120	564	556
Business, Management, Marketing, and Related Support Serv...	20,423	10%	1068	533	534
Communication, Journalism, and Related Programs	3,880	2%	1071	552	520
Computer and Information Sciences and Support Services	7,412	4%	1152	570	582
Military Technologies	776	0%	999	501	498
Construction Trades, General	57	0%	963	479	483
Education	6,176	3%	1025	520	505
Engineering	20,393	10%	1129	554	574
Engineering Technologies/Technicians	3,606	2%	1059	520	539
English Language and Literature/Letters	2,267	1%	1112	583	529
Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences	541	0%	974	494	479
Foreign Languages and Literatures, General	1,048	1%	1062	544	518
Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences	36,018	18%	1030	520	510
History, General	1,479	1%	1072	552	519
Legal Studies, General	3,882	2%	1073	548	525
Liberal Arts and Sciences, General Studies and Humanities	1,112	1%	1099	568	530
Library Science/Librarianship	17	0%	1161	591	570
Mathematics and Statistics	1,657	1%	1194	575	618
Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians	396	0%	943	469	474
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	311	0%	1141	573	568
Natural Resources and Conservation	1,044	1%	1125	573	552
Parks, Recreation and Leisure Studies	1,240	1%	968	486	483
Personal And Culinary Services, General	413	0%	976	494	482
Philosophy and Religious Studies	405	0%	1106	563	543
Physical Sciences	3,082	2%	1162	578	584
Precision Production	2	0%			
Psychology, General	11,120	6%	1042	534	508
Public Administration and Social Service Professions	1,156	1%	974	498	476
Security and Protective Services	8,732	4%	965	489	477
Social Sciences	4,599	2%	1103	565	538
Theology and Religious Vocations	210	0%	1106	570	535
Transportation and Materials Moving	58	0%	999	498	500
Visual and Performing Arts, General	15,132	8%	1047	536	511
Other	2,871	1%	967	487	479
Undecided	15,281	8%	1074	540	534
Degree-Level Goal					
Certificate Program	1,030	1%	941	472	469
Associate Degree	1,720	1%	892	450	442
Bachelor's Degree	49,955	26%	1035	522	513
Master's Degree	65,977	35%	1083	545	538
Doctoral or Related Degree	43,902	23%	1115	562	553
Other	980	1%	913	456	457
Undecided	25,434	13%	1053	531	522

SAT Score Sending: Institutions That Received the Most SAT Score Reports from California

Of the 226,699 students from California who took the SAT, 168,215 designated that their score reports be sent to institutions. Students may designate more than one institution to receive scores. This list includes only the institutions that received the most score reports. A total of 2,884 institutions received score reports from California students.

Institution	State	Type	Number of Students	% of Score Senders¹
California State University Mentor	CA	Public College	56,986	33.9%
University of California: Irvine	CA	Public College	28,343	16.8%
University of California: Los Angeles	CA	Public College	27,641	16.4%
California State University: Long Beach	CA	Public College	24,161	14.4%
San Diego State University	CA	Public College	23,033	13.7%
University of California: Davis	CA	Public College	21,147	12.6%
University of California: Berkeley	CA	Public College	20,379	12.1%
University of California: Santa Barbara	CA	Public College	20,344	12.1%
University of California: San Diego	CA	Public College	19,306	11.5%
California State University: Fullerton	CA	Public College	19,301	11.5%
University of Southern California	CA	Private College	16,224	9.6%
University of California: Riverside	CA	Public College	16,024	9.5%
California Polytechnic State Univ San Luis Obispo	CA	Public College	15,781	9.4%
University of California: Santa Cruz	CA	Public College	15,439	9.2%
San Francisco State University	CA	Public College	14,634	8.7%
California State University: Los Angeles	CA	Public College	13,947	8.3%
California State Polytechnic University: Pomona	CA	Public College	13,570	8.1%
San Jose State University	CA	Public College	13,104	7.8%
California State University: Northridge	CA	Public College	12,831	7.6%
California State University: Sacramento	CA	Public College	11,863	7.1%
Stanford University	CA	Private College	11,090	6.6%
California State University: Chico	CA	Public College	9,934	5.9%
California State University: Fresno	CA	Public College	9,531	5.7%
University of California: Merced	CA	Public College	8,828	5.2%
University of San Diego	CA	Private College	8,111	4.8%
California State University: San Marcos	CA	Public College	7,877	4.7%
California State University: San Bernardino	CA	Public College	7,659	4.6%
California State University: East Bay	CA	Public College	6,872	4.1%
University of Washington	WA	Public College	6,443	3.8%
Sonoma State University	CA	Public College	6,255	3.7%
California State University: Dominguez Hills	CA	Public College	6,245	3.7%
California State University: Monterey Bay	CA	Public College	6,216	3.7%
NCAA Eligibility Center	IN	Public College	6,118	3.6%
Loyola Marymount University	CA	Private College	5,938	3.5%
University of Oregon	OR	Public College	5,705	3.4%
University of San Francisco	CA	Private College	5,487	3.3%
University of the Pacific	CA	Private College	5,247	3.1%
Chapman University	CA	Private College	5,155	3.1%
New York University	NY	Private College	5,104	3.0%
Santa Clara University	CA	Private College	4,909	2.9%
Pepperdine University	CA	Private College	4,803	2.9%
Azusa Pacific University	CA	Private College	4,590	2.7%
Humboldt State University	CA	Public College	4,544	2.7%
Arizona State University	AZ	Public College	4,501	2.7%
California State University: Channel Islands	CA	Public College	4,320	2.6%

¹ Of students who designated that their SAT score reports be sent to institutions, the 'Percent of Score Senders' indicates the percent of those students who had their scores sent to each institution listed.

PSAT/NMSQT and PSAT 10 Participation and Performance

Data reflect students who took the PSAT/NMSQT and/or PSAT 10 during the 2016-17 school year. If a student tested more than once, the most recent score and self-reported questionnaire responses are summarized.

Total	Test Takers		Mean Score		
	Number	Total	ERW	Math	
Total	595,235	943	475	468	
PSAT/NMSQT	560,999	946	476	469	
PSAT 10	36,001	908	457	451	

Sex	Test Takers		Mean Score		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math
Female	303,261	51%	947	482	465
Male	286,442	49%	942	469	472

Grade Level	Test Takers		Mean Score			Met Benchmarks ¹			
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
10th Grade	307,662	52%	907	456	451	33%	57%	35%	40%
11th Grade	253,467	43%	994	501	492	39%	63%	41%	35%
Other/No Response	34,106	6%	893	448	446				

Total	Test Takers		Mean Score		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math
American Indian/Alaska Native	2,591	0%	863	435	429
Asian	84,031	14%	1094	539	555
Black/African American	26,076	4%	851	433	418
Hispanic/Latino	291,525	49%	873	440	433
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	2,931	0%	901	454	447
White	123,241	21%	1043	532	512
Two or More Races	25,740	4%	1023	521	503
No Response	39,100	7%	846	424	423

10th Grade	Test Takers		Mean Score			Met Benchmarks ¹			
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
American Indian/Alaska Native	1,274	0%	837	421	417	19%	43%	22%	53%
Asian	40,366	13%	1048	518	530	63%	79%	68%	16%
Black/African American	13,500	4%	825	419	407	16%	42%	18%	56%
Hispanic/Latino	151,164	49%	846	425	421	19%	45%	21%	53%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	1,516	0%	872	438	434	23%	51%	25%	47%
White	59,623	19%	1006	513	493	55%	80%	57%	18%
Two or More Races	12,896	4%	986	502	485	50%	75%	52%	23%
No Response	27,323	9%	832	417	416	18%	39%	21%	58%

11th Grade	Test Takers		Mean Score			Met Benchmarks ¹			
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
American Indian/Alaska Native	1,139	0%	900	456	444	22%	47%	23%	52%
Asian	38,782	15%	1148	564	583	68%	82%	72%	14%
Black/African American	10,902	4%	889	454	435	18%	47%	19%	52%
Hispanic/Latino	124,866	49%	911	461	450	22%	50%	23%	49%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	1,261	0%	940	475	465	28%	54%	30%	44%
White	57,106	23%	1088	555	534	59%	84%	61%	14%
Two or More Races	11,394	4%	1072	546	526	54%	80%	56%	18%
No Response	8,017	3%	905	455	450	23%	43%	25%	56%

¹ Based on grade-level benchmarks.

PSAT/NMSQT and PSAT 10 Participation and Performance

Data reflect students who took the PSAT/NMSQT and/or PSAT 10 during the 2016-17 school year. If a student tested more than once, the most recent score and self-reported questionnaire responses are summarized.

First Language Learned

10th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks ¹		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
English Only	132,140	43%	948	481	467	42%	68%	44%	30%
English and Another Language	98,219	32%	885	444	442	27%	51%	30%	46%
Another Language	47,986	16%	873	432	441	25%	46%	30%	49%
No Response	29,317	10%	851	427	424	23%	45%	25%	53%

11th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
English Only	119,795	47%	1035	526	509	47%	74%	49%	25%
English and Another Language	84,203	33%	963	484	479	32%	56%	33%	42%
Another Language	43,508	17%	956	474	482	31%	52%	35%	44%
No Response	5,961	2%	862	432	429	17%	34%	18%	64%

Highest Level of Parental Education

10th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
No High School Diploma	53,472	17%	817	407	410	13%	36%	16%	61%
High School Diploma	93,146	30%	873	440	434	24%	53%	27%	44%
Associate Degree	15,453	5%	912	461	451	33%	64%	36%	33%
Bachelor's Degree	57,255	19%	1004	508	496	55%	79%	57%	18%
Graduate Degree	41,732	14%	1063	537	525	65%	84%	67%	14%
No Response	46,604	15%	818	409	409	16%	36%	18%	62%

11th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
No High School Diploma	44,425	18%	875	439	436	15%	39%	17%	59%
High School Diploma	79,385	31%	940	475	465	27%	57%	29%	41%
Associate Degree	14,490	6%	983	498	485	36%	67%	38%	31%
Bachelor's Degree	56,951	22%	1083	547	535	58%	82%	60%	16%
Graduate Degree	43,078	17%	1156	583	573	69%	88%	71%	11%
No Response	15,138	6%	833	416	417	11%	28%	13%	70%

High School Grade Point Average

10th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
A+ (97–100)	9,982	3%	1077	544	533	68%	81%	69%	17%
A (93–96)	51,530	17%	1056	533	523	66%	85%	68%	13%
A- (90–92)	46,905	15%	990	500	490	53%	79%	56%	18%
B (80–89)	107,356	35%	871	439	432	22%	53%	26%	44%
C (70–79)	47,073	15%	784	392	392	6%	27%	8%	71%
D, E, or F (below 70)	7,598	2%	743	369	374	2%	15%	4%	84%
No Response	37,218	12%	845	424	421	22%	42%	24%	55%

11th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
A+ (97–100)	10,089	4%	1189	599	590	77%	89%	78%	10%
A (93–96)	42,159	17%	1158	582	576	71%	88%	73%	10%
A- (90–92)	44,749	18%	1083	546	537	59%	83%	61%	15%
B (80–89)	105,671	42%	944	478	466	27%	59%	29%	39%
C (70–79)	35,629	14%	834	420	414	7%	29%	9%	69%
D, E, or F (below 70)	3,068	1%	775	387	388	2%	15%	3%	84%
No Response	12,102	5%	887	446	441	21%	41%	23%	58%

¹ Based on grade-level benchmarks.

PSAT 8/9 Participation and Performance

Data reflect students who took the PSAT 8/9 during the 2016-17 school year. If a student took the PSAT 8/9 more than once during the school year, the most recent score and self-reported questionnaire responses are summarized.

Total	Test Takers		Mean Score		
	Number	Total	ERW	Math	
Total	174,934	803	402	400	
Fall	150,961	801	402	399	
Spring	24,229	815	408	407	

Sex	Test Takers		Mean Score		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math
Female	85,907	50%	812	412	400
Male	86,036	50%	796	394	401

Grade Level	Test Takers		Mean Score			Met Benchmarks ¹			
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
8th Grade	79,067	45%	778	389	389	23%	45%	27%	50%
9th Grade	90,860	52%	827	416	411	29%	49%	33%	46%
Other / No Response	5,007	3%	760	380	379				

Total	Test Takers		Mean Score		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math
American Indian/Alaska Native	1,085	1%	754	376	378
Asian	13,186	8%	930	460	469
Black/African American	7,924	5%	748	378	370
Hispanic/Latino	88,813	51%	773	387	386
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	745	0%	793	395	398
White	23,550	13%	897	456	441
Two or More Races	6,655	4%	880	447	433
No Response	32,976	19%	764	381	383

8th Grade	Test Takers		Mean Score			Met Benchmarks ¹			
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
American Indian/Alaska Native	582	1%	744	371	373	16%	37%	20%	60%
Asian	6,313	8%	899	446	453	54%	73%	59%	23%
Black/African American	3,381	4%	731	368	363	12%	36%	15%	62%
Hispanic/Latino	34,816	44%	747	373	375	15%	37%	20%	59%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	348	0%	786	394	393	23%	50%	29%	45%
White	9,275	12%	856	434	422	42%	69%	46%	27%
Two or More Races	2,872	4%	848	428	419	39%	66%	43%	30%
No Response	21,480	27%	757	376	380	19%	39%	23%	57%

9th Grade	Test Takers		Mean Score			Met Benchmarks ¹			
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
American Indian/Alaska Native	470	1%	767	383	384	16%	33%	20%	64%
Asian	6,558	7%	960	474	486	60%	74%	68%	18%
Black/African American	4,265	5%	762	386	376	15%	36%	18%	61%
Hispanic/Latino	51,509	57%	792	398	394	20%	41%	24%	54%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	380	0%	802	398	404	24%	40%	30%	54%
White	13,789	15%	926	471	455	53%	76%	56%	21%
Two or More Races	3,629	4%	907	462	445	47%	71%	50%	26%
No Response	10,260	11%	783	392	391	20%	38%	24%	57%

¹Based on grade-level benchmarks.

PSAT 8/9 Participation and Performance

Data reflect students who took the PSAT 8/9 during the 2016-17 school year. If a student took the PSAT 8/9 more than once during the school year, the most recent score and self-reported questionnaire responses are summarized.

First Language Learned

8th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks ¹		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
English Only	28,004	35%	806	406	400	30%	55%	33%	41%
English and Another Language	21,811	28%	768	382	386	21%	42%	25%	54%
Another Language	8,838	11%	761	376	385	19%	38%	24%	57%
No Response	20,414	26%	756	376	379	19%	39%	23%	56%

9th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
English Only	35,616	39%	866	440	427	38%	61%	42%	36%
English and Another Language	28,705	32%	808	405	403	23%	44%	28%	51%
Another Language	13,091	14%	803	397	405	22%	40%	29%	53%
No Response	13,448	15%	784	393	390	20%	39%	24%	57%

High School Grade Point Average

8th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
A+ (97–100)	3,413	4%	918	461	456	59%	76%	63%	20%
A (93–96)	11,138	14%	879	442	437	49%	73%	53%	22%
A- (90–92)	7,745	10%	830	416	414	35%	64%	40%	32%
B (80–89)	19,409	25%	759	380	379	16%	42%	20%	54%
C (70–79)	9,535	12%	700	348	352	5%	21%	8%	76%
D, E, or F (below 70)	2,698	3%	662	328	334	2%	13%	3%	86%
No Response	25,129	32%	755	375	379	19%	39%	23%	57%

9th Grade	Test Takers			Mean Score			Met Benchmarks		
	Number	Percent	Total	ERW	Math	Both	ERW	Math	None
A+ (97–100)	3,303	4%	982	494	488	65%	77%	68%	19%
A (93–96)	13,916	15%	950	480	470	60%	79%	64%	18%
A- (90–92)	11,344	12%	903	456	447	48%	72%	53%	23%
B (80–89)	27,923	31%	806	405	400	21%	46%	26%	48%
C (70–79)	13,465	15%	730	365	365	6%	22%	9%	74%
D, E, or F (below 70)	2,829	3%	688	344	344	2%	12%	4%	86%
No Response	18,080	20%	781	392	389	19%	38%	23%	58%

¹ Based on grade-level benchmarks.