

REALITY CHECK – SAT AND ACT RANGES, 25TH-75TH PERCENTILE FOR ENROLLED STUDENTS AT VARIOUS SELECTED UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES NATIONWIDE

Data based on college Class of 2021 (entered college fall 2017) and include only those students who ENROLLED—not those who APPLIED or those who were ACCEPTED. Data for the Class of 2022 (those who enter fall 2018) is not released until the spring so that schools can report both fall and spring cohort results. Once again—these are figures for students who just completed their first year in college and will enter sophomore year this fall. Can you get more recent scores on individual college websites? You may be able to do so—but watch what you are getting... Are these results from students who APPLIED? Students who were ACCEPTED? Students who ENROLLED? It is not always clear what you are reading—be careful... The numbers here are for students who are ENROLLED at these colleges

For institutions in bold, submission of standardized testing is OPTIONAL. Do note, however, that some schools so designated may have minimum GPA requirements or other conditions by which test-optional may be used. ALWAYS CHECK WITH EACH SCHOOL!

For institutions in *italics*, TEST-FLEXIBLE is the school policy—students may submit other examinations such as AP, IB or Subject Tests. ALWAYS CHECK WITH EACH SCHOOL!

(The University of Delaware is test-optional only for residents of Delaware and is consequently not highlighted below)

SOURCES: The College Board; National Center for Education Statistics (College Navigator program); the wonderful work by Compass Prep; various school websites; and the occasional call to admissions to inquire specifically about test results

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SCHOOL and STATE	SAT	ACT
Adelphi University (NY)	1060-1240	22-27
Agnes Scott College (GA)	1110-1300	24-30
Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences (NY)	1110-1270	23-28
Allegheny College (PA)	1140-1320	23-29
American University (DC)	1180-1350	26-30
Amherst College (MA)	1430-1560	31-34
Appalachian State University (NC)	1100-1270	23-27
Arcadia University (PA)	1060-1240	22-27
Arizona State University	1120-1350	22-29
Auburn University (AL)	1130-1310	24-30
Augustana College (IL)	1100-1340	23-28

Austin College (TX)	1160-1360	23-29
Babson College (MA)	1230-1410	27-32
Bard College (NY)	1230-1450	28-31
Barnard College (NY)	1310-1500	30-33
Bates College (ME)	1270-1450	29-32
Baylor University (TX)	1190-1360	26-31
Belmont University (TN)	1140-1310	24-29
Beloit College (WI)	1150-1410	24-30
Bennington College (VT)	1210-1390	27-31
Bentley University (MA)	1210-1380	27-31
Berea College (KY)	970-1200	22-27
Berry College (GA)	1120-1300	24-29
Binghamton University (NY)	1290-1430	28-31
Birmingham Southern College (AL)	1030-1260	23-29
Boston College (MA)	1320-1490	31-33
Boston University (MA)	1300-1480	29-32
Bowdoin College (ME)	1290-1510	30-34
Bradley University (IL)	1060-1300	22-28
Brandeis University (MA)	1280-1470	29-33
Brigham Young University (UT)	1210-1410	27-32
Brown University (RI)	1410-1570	31-35
Bryn Mawr College (PA)	1310-1500	29-33
Bucknell University (PA)	1250-1420	28-31
Butler University (IN)	1150-1320	25-30
California Institute of Technology	1530-1590	34-35
California Polytechnic at San Luis Obispo	1220-1400	26-31
Calvin College (MI)	1100-1330	23-30
Carleton College (MN)	1360-1530	31-34
Carnegie Mellon University (PA)	1430-1560	32-35
Carroll College (MT)	1080-1270	22-28
Case Western Reserve University (OH)	1340-1520	30-33
Catholic University of America (DC)	1120-1320	23-29
Cedarville University (OH)	1130-1350	23-29
Centre College (KY)	1170-1410	26-31
Chapman University (CA)	1190-1360	25-30
Christopher Newport University (VA)	1130-1300	23-29
City U of New York (CUNY) Baruch Campus	1190-1350	24-29
City U of New York (CUNY) Hunter Campus	1070-1260	21-27
Claremont McKenna College (CA)	1340-1510	30-34
Clark University (MA)	1180-1280	27-31
Clarkson University (NY)	1140-1330	24-29
Clemson University (SC)	1220-1390	27-31
Coe College (IA)	1070-1330	22-28
<i>Colby College</i> (ME)	1340-1500	31-33
Colgate University (NY)	1310-1500	31-33
College of Charleston (SC)	1700-1230	22-27
College of the Holy Cross (MA)	1270-1410	28-31

College of the Ozarks (MO)	1100-1230	21-26
College of William and Mary (VA)	1340-1480	29-33
College of Wooster (OH)	1150-1380	24-30
<i>Colorado College</i>	1300-1490	29-33
Colorado School of Mines	1310-1450	28-32
Colorado State University	1100-1300	22-28
Columbia University (NY)	1450-1580	32-35
Concordia College (MN)	1250-1390	22-28
Connecticut College (CT)	1270-1400	29-31
Cooper Union (NY)	1310-1530	28-34
Cornell College (IA)	1110-1370	23-29
Cornell University (NY)	1390-1550	31-34
Covenant College (GA)	1130-1350	24-30
Creighton University (NE)	1070-1290	25-30
Dartmouth College (NH)	1430-1560	30-34
Davidson College (NC)	1310-1470	30-33
Denison University (OH)	1200-1380	28-31
DePaul University (IL)	1080-1310	22-28
DePauw University (IN)	1110-1330	24-29
Dickinson College (PA)	1230-1420	27-32
DigiPen Institute of Technology (WA)	1140-1350	25-30
Drake University (IA)	1100-1350	24-30
Drew University (NJ)	1100-1300	23-28
<i>Drexel University</i> (PA)	1140-1340	24-30
Duke University (NC)	1450-1580	31-34
Duquesne University (PA)	1120-1270	24-29
Earlham College (IN)	1180-1450	25-31
Eckerd College (FL)	1060-1260	23-29
Elon University (NC)	1140-1330	25-29
Emerson College (MA)	1200-1360	26-30
Emory University (GA)	1350-1520	30-33
Eugene Lang College (NY)	1010-1280	24-29
Fairfield University (CT)	1180-1320	25-29
Flagler College (FL)	950-1160	21-26
Florida Institute of Technology	1130-1320	24-29
Florida International University	1100-1260	23-27
Florida Southern College	1070-1250	23-28
Florida State University	1190-1330	26-30
Fordham University (NY)	1230-1410	27-31
Franciscan University of Steubenville (OH)	1080-1300	23-28
Franklin & Marshall College (PA)	1260-1420	28-32
Franklin Olin College of Engineering (MA)	1450-1570	33-35
Furman University (SC)	1190-1380	26-31
George Mason University (VA)	1100-1290	24-30
George Washington University (DC)	1280-1440	29-32
Georgetown University (DC)	1350-1520	30-34
Georgia Institute of Technology	1350-1500	30-34

Georgia Southern University	1100-1230	22-26
Gettysburg College (PA)	1270-1410	26-30
Gonzaga University (WA)	1180-1350	26-30
Goucher College (MD)	1050-1260	23-29
Grinnell College (IA)	1310-1510	30-34
Grove City College (PA)	1070-1250	23-32
Gustavus Adolphus College (MN)	1170-1430	24-30
<i>Hamilton College</i> (NY)	1360-1510	31-33
Hampden-Sydney College (VA)	1050-1270	21-27
Hampshire College (MA)	no longer considered	
Hampton University (VA)	980-1120	20-24
Harvard University (MA)	1460-1590	32-35
Harvey Mudd College (CA)	1470-1570	33-35
Haverford College (PA)	1390-1530	31-34
Hendrix College (AR)	1100-1410	24-29
High Point University (NC)	1050-1240	21-27
Hillsdale College (MI)	1280-1440	28-32
Hobart and William Smith Colleges (NY)	1210-1360	25-30
Hofstra University (NY)	1130-1310	24-29
Hollins University (VA)	1110-1300	23-28
Hope College (MI)	1090-1320	24-29
Howard University (DC)	1070-1290	21-27
Illinois Institute of Technology	1230-1410	25-31
Illinois Wesleyan University	1230-1440	24-29
Indiana University Bloomington	1140-1370	24-30
Ithaca College (NY)	1150-1330	25-29
James Madison University (VA)	1100-1260	23-28
Jewish Theological Seminary of America (NY)	1320-1440	29-32
Johns Hopkins University (MD)	1460-1580	33-35
Kalamazoo College (MI)	1180-1380	26-30
Kenyon College (OH)	1260-1460	29-33
Kettering University (MI)	1190-1350	24-29
Knox College (IL)	1140-1370	23-30
Lafayette College (PA)	1260-1440	28-31
Lake Forest College (IL)	1080-1320	24-29
Lawrence University (WI)	1220-1460	25-32
Lehigh University (PA)	1270-1430	29-32
Lewis and Clark College (OR)	1210-1390	27-31
Lipscomb University (TN)	1060-1330	23-29
Louisiana State University	1060-1290	23-28
Loyola Marymount University (CA)	1180-1360	26-31
Loyola University Chicago (IL)	1120-1310	24-29
Loyola University in Maryland	1140-1310	25-30
Loyola University New Orleans (LA)	1080-1270	22-28
Macalester College (MN)	1300-1480	29-32
Manhattan College (NY)	1050-1240	23-28
Marist College (NY)	1140-1320	24-29

Marquette University (WI)	1130-1310	24-29
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	1490-1570	33-35
McDaniel College (MD)	1060-1230	21-28
Mercer University (GA)	1170-1340	25-30
Messiah College (PA)	1100-1310	22-29
Miami University (OH)	1190-1380	26-31
Michigan State University	1100-1320	23-28
Michigan Technological University	1160-1340	25-30
<i>Middlebury College</i> (VT)	1320-1510	30-34
Mills College (CA)	970-1260	23-29
Millsaps College (MS)	1110-1320	22-28
Milwaukee School of Engineering (WI)	1150-1360	25-30
Missouri University of Science and Technology	1100-1340	25-31
Montana State University	1090-1300	21-28
Morehouse College (GA)	950-1160	18-23
Mount Holyoke College (MA)	1270-1470	29-33
Muhlenberg College (PA)	1140-1340	25-30
New College of Florida	1190-1380	25-30
New Jersey Institute of Technology	1190-1370	24-30
New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology	1160-1470	23-29
<i>New York University</i>	1290-1490	29-33
North Carolina State University	1230-1390	27-31
North Dakota State University	1060-1330	21-26
Northeastern University (MA)	1370-1520	32-34
Northwestern University (IL)	1420-1560	32-34
Oberlin College and Conservatory (OH)	1280-1450	28-33
Occidental College (CA)	1280-1440	27-32
Oglethorpe University (GA)	1110-1310	23-29
Ohio State University	1260-1450	27-31
Ohio University	1080-1260	22-26
Ohio Wesleyan University	1040-1270	22-28
Oregon State University	1070-1300	22-28
Pennsylvania State University	1160-1340	25-30
Pepperdine University (CA)	1200-1390	25-30
Pitzer College (CA)	1310-1490	29-32
Point Loma Nazarene University (CA)	1100-1290	23-28
Pomona College (CA)	1330-1510	30-34
Pratt Institute (NY)	1090-1310	25-29
Prescott College (AZ)	1060-1190	19-27
Princeton University (NJ)	1430-1570	31-35
Providence College (RI)	1160-1330	26-30
Purdue University (IN)	1080-1330	25-31
Quinnipiac University (CT)	1080-1260	23-27
Randolph-Macon College (VA)	1050-1230	21-27
Reed College (OR)	1310-1500	30-33
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (NY)	1320-1500	28-32
Rhode Island School of Design	1130-1370	25-31

Rhodes College (TN)	1220-1410	27-32
Rice University (TX)	1490-1580	33-35
Rochester Institute of Technology (NY)	1190-1380	26-32
Rollins College (FL)	1200-1350	25-30
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology (IN)	1260-1450	27-32
Rutgers University (NJ)	1190-1400	24-31
Sacred Heart University (CT)	1060-1200	23-27
Saint Anselm College (NH)	1140-1300	24-28
Saint John's College (MD)	1280-1450	26-32
Saint John's College (NM)	1190-1350	23-32
Saint John's University (NY)	1050-1250	23-29
Saint Joseph's University (PA)	1110-1290	23-28
Saint Lawrence University (NY)	1170-1360	25-30
Saint Louis University (MO)	1170-1390	25-31
Saint Mary's College of California	1060-1240	22-27
Saint Mary's College of Maryland	1070-1280	22-28
Saint Michael's College (VT)	1150-1310	25-29
Saint Olaf College (MN)	1150-1400	25-31
San Diego State University (CA)	1090-1290	23-28
Santa Clara University (CA)	1270-1440	28-32
Sarah Lawrence College (NY)	1240-1410	27-31
Scripps College (CA)	1270-1470	29-33
Seattle University (WA)	1070-1300	25-30
Seton Hall University (NJ)	1120-1300	23-27
Sewanee: The University of the South (TN)	1210-1380	27-30
Siena College (NY)	1060-1250	23-27
Simmons College (MA)	1130-1330	24-29
Skidmore College (NY)	1210-1400	27-31
Smith College (MA)	1290-1490	30-33
Soka University of America (CA)	1200-1390	27-31
Southern Methodist University (TX)	1270-1440	28-32
Southwestern University (TX)	1100-1320	23-29
Spelman College (GA)	1070-1220	22-26
Stanford University (CA)	1390-1540	32-35
State University of New York (SUNY) Buffalo	1140-1310	24-28
State University of New York (SUNY) Geneseo	1120-1300	24-29
Stetson University (FL)	1110-1290	23-29
Stevens Institute of Technology (NJ)	1320-1470	29-33
Stonehill College (MA)	1080-1270	23-28
Stony Brook University (NY)	1210-1410	26-31
Susquehanna University (PA)	1070-1240	22-28
Swarthmore College (PA)	1420-1560	29-34
Syracuse University (NY)	1160-1350	25-30
Taylor University (IN)	1050-1290	22-29
Temple University (PA)	1130-1310	24-29
Texas A&M University	1140-1360	25-30
Texas Christian University	1130-1330	25-30

Texas Tech University	1070-1240	22-27
The Citadel (SC)	1020-1220	20-25
The College of New Jersey	1170-1330	25-30
Thomas Aquinas College (CA)	1200-1380	25-30
Towson University (MD)	1060-1210	21-25
Transylvania University (KY)	1180-1360	25-30
Trinity College (CT)	1230-1420	26-30
Trinity University (TX)	1230-1410	27-32
Truman State University (MO)	1190-1430	24-30
Tufts University (MA)	1410-1540	31-34
Tulane University (LA)	1330-1490	30-33
Union College (NY)	1270-1430	29-32
United States Air Force Academy (CO)	1230-1390	28-33
United States Coast Guard Academy (CT)	1180-1340	26-31
United States Merchant Marine Academy (NY)	1190-1350	26-30
United States Military Academy (NY)	1190-1400	23-28
United States Naval Academy (MD)	1150-1370	24-30
University of Alabama	1050-1280	23-32
University of Arizona	1100-1340	21-28
University of Arkansas	1110-1280	23-29
University of California Berkeley	1300-1530	29-34
University of California Davis	1120-1360	25-31
University of California Irvine	1170-1410	23-31
University of California Los Angeles	1240-1490	27-33
University of California San Diego	1270-1490	26-32
University of California Santa Barbara	1240-1470	26-32
University of California Santa Cruz	1160-1370	24-30
University of California Sunnyvale	666-666	6-6
University of Central Florida	1150-1320	24-29
University of Chicago (IL)	1480-1580	32-35
University of Cincinnati (OH)	1120-1340	23-28
University of Colorado	1150-1350	25-30
University of Connecticut	1210-1390	26-31
University of Dallas (TX)	1140-1370	24-31
University of Dayton (OH)	1130-1320	24-29
University of Delaware	1180-1380	24-29
University of Denver (CO)	1160-1350	25-30
University of Florida	1220-1390	27-32
University of Georgia	1200-1370	26-31
University of Hartford (CT)	1030-1230	21-27
University of Hawai'i	980-1240	21-26
University of Houston (TX)	1110-1280	23-27
University of Illinois	1270-1480	27-33
University of Iowa	1140-1370	23-28
University of Kentucky	1090-1320	22-28
University of Louisville (KY)	960-1200	22-29
University of Mary Washington (VA)	1080-1260	22-27

University of Maryland Baltimore County	1140-1360	24-29
University of Maryland College Park	1290-1470	29-33
University of Massachusetts Amherst	1180-1360	26-31
University of Miami (FL)	1190-1380	26-31
University of Michigan	1330-1500	30-33
University of Minnesota	1270-1480	26-31
University of Mississippi	1070-1290	22-29
University of Missouri	1120-1350	23-29
University of New Hampshire	1080-1260	23-28
University of North Carolina Chapel Hill	1260-1440	27-32
University of North Carolina Charlotte	1110-1260	22-26
University of North Carolina Wilmington	1180-1310	23-27
University of North Florida	1090-1280	21-26
University of Notre Dame (IN)	1370-1520	32-35
University of Oklahoma	1150-1380	23-29
University of Oregon	1080-1270	22-28
University of Pennsylvania	1420-1560	32-35
University of Pittsburgh (PA)	1240-1420	27-32
University of Portland (OR)	1140-1320	23-29
University of Puget Sound (WA)	1150-1370	25-31
University of Redlands (CA)	1020-1220	22-28
University of Rhode Island	1080-1250	23-27
University of Richmond (VA)	1270-1460	29-32
<i>University of Rochester (NY)</i>	1250-1490	29-33
University of Saint Thomas (MN)	1110-1330	24-29
University of San Diego (CA)	1180-1350	26-30
University of San Francisco (CA)	1100-1290	22-28
University of Scranton (PA)	1080-1280	23-28
University of South Carolina	1170-1330	25-30
University of South Florida	1150-1310	24-29
University of Southern California	1300-1500	30-34
University of Tampa (FL)	1070-1230	22-27
University of Tennessee	1140-1310	24-30
University of Texas Austin	1230-1460	26-33
University of the Pacific (CA)	1070-1330	22-30
University of the Sciences (PA)	1130-1300	24-29
University of Tulsa (OK)	1150-1440	25-32
University of Utah	1100-1350	22-29
University of Vermont	1180-1350	25-30
University of Virginia	1290-1470	29-33
University of Washington	1190-1420	27-32
University of Wisconsin Madison	1280-1450	27-31
Ursinus College (PA)	1110-1310	24-30
Vanderbilt University (TN)	1400-1550	32-35
Vassar College (NY)	1370-1510	31-33
Villanova University (PA)	1250-1440	30-33
Virginia Commonwealth University	1080-1290	21-28

Virginia Military Institute	1100-1280	23-28
Virginia Tech	1180-1360	25-30
Wabash College (IN)	1070-1280	23-28
Wagner College (NY)	1070-1250	23-30
Wake Forest University (NC)	1260-1440	28-32
Warren Wilson College (NC)	1140-1290	25-29
Washington and Jefferson College (PA)	1120-1290	22-28
Washington and Lee University (VA)	1350-1490	31-33
Washington College (MD)	1090-1300	23-29
Washington University in Saint Louis (MO)	1470-1570	32-34
Webb Institute of Naval Architecture (NY)	1440-1540	30-34
Wellesley College (MA)	1310-1500	30-33
Wesleyan University (CT)	1300-1500	29-33
Westmont College (CA)	1130-1380	23-30
Wheaton College (IL)	1230-1410	27-32
Wheaton College (MA)	1150-1350	26-30
Whitman College (WA)	1290-1480	27-32
Whittier College (CA)	1010-1220	21-27
Willamette University (OR)	1170-1370	26-31
Williams College (MA)	1400-1570	31-35
Wofford College (SC)	1120-1310	24-30
Worcester Polytechnic Institute (MA)	1280-1440	28-32
Xavier University (OH)	1060-1240	22-28
Yale University (CT)	1420-1590	32-35
Yeshiva University (NY)	1200-1430	24-30

Please recall that these figures are standardized test ranges—they are NOT “cut-off” scores or lines of demarcation. Please also recall that standardized testing is never the most important aspect of college admissions—they are not *unimportant*, but they are not the end-all and be-all of acceptance. These figures do not imply or infer in any fashion whether a student will be accepted or denied at the schools to which s/he applies. And remember—if you have specific or more detailed questions or concerns, call the admissions office(s) of the college(s) to which you apply!

AND—most importantly—these are not measures of a student’s self-worth