SCORING YOUR TESTS

To score your tests, first use the answer key to mark each of your responses right or wrong. Then, calculate your **raw score** for each section by counting up the number of correct responses. For the Extended Thinking question in the Math Calculator Section, give yourself 2 points for each part answered correctly. Use the tables below to help you calculate your scores:

Raw Score

Section	# of Questions Correct		Total Points
1. Reading	_____	× 1 =	_____
2. Math: No-Calculator	_____	× 1 =	_____
3. Writing	_____	× 1 =	_____
4. Math: Calculator			
Questions #1-36	_____	× 1 =	_____
Question #37: Parts 1 & 2	_____	× 2 =	+ _____
			= _____

Raw Score for Reading (Section 1): _____

Raw Score for Writing (Section 3): _____

Raw Score for Math (Section 2 + 4): _____

SCALED SCORES

Once you have found your raw score for each section, convert it into an approximate **scaled test score** using the charts below. These charts provide an estimate for your SAT scaled scores based on your performance on each practice test. To find a scaled test score for each section, find the row in the Raw Score column which corresponds to your raw score for that section, then check the column for the section you are scoring in the same row. For example, if you had a raw score of 48 for reading, then your scaled reading test score would be 37. Keep in mind that these scaled scores are estimates only. Your actual SAT score will be scaled against the scores of all other high school students taking the test on your test date.

The scaled scores below have been adjusted for Edition 1.1 of this guide.

Raw Score	Math Scaled Score	Reading Scaled Score	Writing Scaled Score	Raw Score	Math Scaled Score	Reading Scaled Score	Writing Scaled Score
60	40			29	23	26	26
59	40			28	22	26	25
58	40			27	22	25	24
57	39			26	21	25	24
56	38			25	21	24	23
55	37			24	20	24	23
54	36			23	20	23	22
53	35			22	19	22	21
52	35	40		21	19	22	21
51	34	40		20	18	21	20
50	34	40		19	18	20	20
49	33	39		18	17	20	19
48	33	39		17	16	19	19
47	32	38		16	15	19	18
46	32	37		15	14	18	18
45	31	36		14	14	17	17
44	30	35	40	13	13	16	16
43	30	34	39	12	12	16	15
42	29	34	38	11	11	14	14
41	29	33	37	10	10	13	13
40	28	33	35	9	10	12	12
39	28	32	34	8	10	11	11
38	27	31	33	7	10	10	10
37	27	31	32	6	10	10	10
36	26	30	31	5	10	10	10
35	26	30	30	4	10	10	10
34	25	29	29	3	10	10	10
33	25	29	28	2	10	10	10
32	24	28	27	1	10	10	10
31	24	28	27	0	10	10	10
30	23	27	26				

Use the table below to record your scaled scores:

Scaled Score for Reading (Out of 40):   _____

Scaled Score for Writing (Out of 40):   _____

Scaled Score for Math (Out of 40):   _____

ESSAY SCORE

Review the essay scoring criteria in Chapter 4. Then, estimate your essay score by assigning your essay a score out of 1-4 in each scoring area, using the following charts as a guide. Have a trusted reader check your work.

Essay Score		
Scoring Area	**Reader 1 Score (1-4)**	**Reader 2 Score (1-4)**
Reading	_____	_____
Analysis	_____	_____
Writing	_____	_____

AREA SCORE CONVERSION

You can look up your area score out of 800 below. To find your overall score, combine your area score for Reading + Writing with your area score for Math to get your total score out of 1600.

READING + WRITING

Scaled Score	Area Score	Scaled Score	Area Score	Scaled Score	Area Score
80	760-800	59	550-630	39	350-430
79	750-800	58	540-620	38	340-420
78	740-800	57	530-610	37	330-410
77	730-800	56	520-600	36	320-400
76	720-800	55	510-590	35	310-390
75	710-790	54	500-580	34	300-380
74	700-780	53	490-570	33	290-370
73	690-770	52	480-560	32	280-360
72	680-760	51	470-550	31	270-350
71	670-750	50	460-540	30	260-340
70	660-740	49	450-530	29	250-330
69	650-730	48	440-520	28	240-320
68	640-720	47	430-510	27	230-310
67	630-710	46	420-500	26	220-300
66	620-700	45	410-490	25	210-290
65	610-690	44	400-480	24	200-280
64	600-680	43	390-470	23	200-270
63	590-670	42	380-460	22	200-260
62	580-660	41	370-450	21	200-250
61	570-650	40	360-440	20	200-240
60	560-640				

MATH

Total Points	Area Score	Total Points	Area Score
40	760-800	**24**	440-520
39	740-800	**23**	420-500
38	720-800	**22**	400-480
37	700-780	**21**	380-460
36	680-760	**20**	360-440
35	660-740	**19**	340-420
34	640-720	**18**	320-400
33	620-700	**17**	300-380
32	600-680	**16**	280-360
31	580-660	**15**	260-340
30	560-640	**14**	240-320
29	540-620	**13**	220-300
28	520-600	**12**	200-280
27	500-580	**11**	200-260
26	480-560	**10**	200-240
25	460-540		

Use the table below to record your area scores and to calculate your overall score:

Reading + Writing Area Score		Math Area Score		Overall Score (400-1600)
_____	+	_____	=	_____

CROSS-TEST SCORES AND SUBSCORES

Starting in 2016, the College Board will report a couple of new types of scores. In addition to receiving scores that show your performance on each section, in the areas of Math and English, and overall, you will also receive scores based on particular aspects of your performance within and across test sections.

You will receive **cross-test scores** for Analysis in Science and Analysis in History/Social Studies. The scores are based on your performance on questions in their respective subject domains across all sections of the exam. These scores will be reported on a scale of 10-40.

You will also receive **subscores** based on your performance on certain question types within each test section. Subscores will be reported on a scale of 1-15. There will be seven subscores, for the following areas:

- **Words in Context:** this subscore will be based on your performance on questions related to determining the meanings of words in the context of a passage in the English area.

- **Command of Evidence:** this subscore will be based on your performance on questions that ask you to identify the best evidence in the Reading and Writing tests.

- **Expression of Ideas:** this subscore will be based on your performance on questions that ask you to identify clear, stylistically appropriate choices in writing passages.

- **Standard English Conventions:** this subscore will be based on your performance on questions that ask you to identify and correct errors of grammar, punctuation, usage, and syntax in writing passages.

- **Heart of Algebra:** this subscore will be based on your performance on Math questions testing key concepts in Algebra.

- **Problem Solving and Data Analysis**: this subscore will be based on your performance on Math questions testing your ability to analyze sets of data, the meanings of units and quantities, and the properties of different objects and operations.

- **Passport to Advanced Math:** this subscore will be based on your performance on Math questions that test the skills you'll build on as you continue to learn more advanced math including rewriting expressions, solving quadratic equations, working with polynomials and radicals, and solving systems of equations.

As of our publication date, the College Board had not released detailed information on how these scores will be calculated.