

FOR THE FIRST TIME EVER THE SAT WILL BE FULLY DIGITAL.

Here's what teachers and students can expect and what we're doing to prepare them.

TEST CONFIDENCE — THE COLLEGESPRING APPROACH

Test Confidence combines core lesson content and builds the motivation and mindset skills to help students achieve after high school and beyond.

- 40 subject lessons
- 6 Motivation and Mindset lessons
- 10 College Knowledge lessons
- 2 practice tests
- 1,000+ practice questions
- Flexible program implementation

EVERY LESSON CONTAINS:



WARM-UP: learning objectives, college connection, and collaboration question



LEARN: vocabulary by topic, direct instruction with example practice problems and clear explanations over core concepts



PRACTICE: a set of 10 practice questions over the content tied to standards



REFLECTION: collaboration question



ADDITIONAL PRACTICE: 20 extra practice problems teachers can choose to assign that are broken down by standards



TEACHER FACILITATION GUIDE: a robust presentation material with speaker notes that include differentiation strategies for ELL, above and below-grade level students

WHAT'S DIFFERENT ABOUT THE DIGITAL SAT?

Starting Spring 2024, the SAT will be delivered in an **adaptive digital format**. This is not the first time CollegeSpring has adjusted to changes in the SAT format- we are prepared to help students navigate the new format and build their academic toolbox. The new two-hour format will only have two sections (ELA and Math), include new tools (timer, calculator, reference sheet, and flagging tool), and adapt the level of difficulty to each student's performance.



1 IN 5 STUDENTS WHO TAKE THE SAT ARE MORE LIKELY TO STAY IN COLLEGE BEYOND THE FIRST YEAR

TESTS STILL MATTER

Students who choose to submit a test, even when optional, have a competitive advantage and are admitted at a higher rate.

TESTS ARE STILL REQUIRED

The SAT is a graduation requirement in 22 states and for many scholarships, colleges, and specialized programs.

TESTS ARE STILL COLLEGE AND CAREER INDICATORS

College Entrance exams are still used as an indicator of college and career readiness as high-stakes moments continue in post-secondary education and beyond.

NOT YOUR ORDINARY 'TEST PREP'

Our program model is grounded in the belief that building student confidence and a strong academic foundation unlocks lifelong opportunities.

1 WE TEACH ACADEMIC SKILLS, NOT JUST TEST-TAKING TRICKS.

Our program helps students prepare for the new Digital SAT format while learning strategies that will empower them with confidence for any test environment.

2 WE PARTNER WITH TEACHERS THROUGH TRAINING AND INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT.

Our Self-Paced Teacher Training Course offers virtual training on the SAT curriculum and instructional resources. We collaborate with you to design your instructional support, with options for individual or group coaching sessions, data review sessions, co-planning lessons, and lesson observations.

3 WE INDIVIDUALIZE OUR PROGRAM BASED ON OUR PARTNERS' NEEDS AND STUDENT PERFORMANCE.

Our program can be implemented as a stand-alone class offering (i.e. college readiness, SAT, or AVID prep class), embedded in core content areas, or as an after-school or summer program. Our curriculum includes scaffolding and additional practice that tailors to individual student performance.

4 WE PROVIDE MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO CAPTURE AND ANALYZE DATA.

- Teachers can monitor student progress with assigned lessons and utilize data to support students' needs.
- Our partners may offer up to two practice tests via the CollegeSpring Connect platform to help build student experience with testing stamina and confidence and help measure their progress.
- Our practice tests deliver unique questions (not repeated from any practice content) and represent approximately 30% more questions than what is required to answer on the official Digital SAT.



"The analytics that [CollegeSpring] provided, along with the diagnostics that are embedded in the program, [allow us]... to see what was responsible for the success and growth."

- DUSTIN LANGLEY,
HOUSTON ISD TEACHER

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CollegeSpring is a 501(c)(3), mission-driven nonprofit that helps students impacted by poverty demonstrate their full potential on college and career readiness assessments. Since 2008, CollegeSpring has helped level the playing field for more than 40,000 students by partnering with schools and school districts, charter networks, and nonprofits to provide equitable test preparation during the school day.

Interested in learning more about a fall partnership?

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