

Using Your College Board Scores to Prepare for College



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- PSAT for Students and Parents Help Desk: [\(866\)-433-7728](tel:(866)433-7728)
- Please contact the counseling office if you need more information about applying to colleges.

Troubleshooting Resources

- College Board Account Help: <https://pages.collegeboard.org/account-help>
-Recommended if a student cannot access their CB account.

For students having difficulties linking their accounts to Khan Academy, there are several options for customer support.

- Khan Academy User Support: <https://khanacademy.zendesk.com/hc/en-us>
-First stop if a student cannot access their Khan account.

How Do I Access My Scores and Reports?

1. Review your online score reports.
2. Review your downloaded paper score report.



Create your College Board Account or Login if you have an account

Before we start: Don't share scores, usernames or passwords. That is your private information.

1. Login to your Chromebook.
2. In Chrome go to: www.collegeboard.org
3. Select: [Create Account](#) or [Sign In](#) if you have an account
4. Sign in as a [Student](#)
5. Username will be your full school email
6. Enter Password – Use school password with the last character doubled to make it 9 characters.
Example: ISnt123\$\$
7. **Other fields needed:**
 - Name
 - Address – Ask for help if you need yours
Almont Middle School – type in and select from dropdown
8. Graduation - **June of your graduation year**
9. Zip Code –
10. **SKIP:** Ask parents for permission to enter later
 - Phone
 - Text or emails
 - Parent Information
11. **Next Page:** A page will show with your account connecting information. Select the box next to each item if it is correct.
12. **Student Search Service Page:**
Select **Not Now**
13. You will get a page listing the different test results
Select the 2nd line for [PSAT/NMSQT, PSAT 10 and PSAT 9](#)
14. **Select the tabs for detailed information on your scores**
15. If you have an account, but don't know your password:
Select **Need Help Signing In?** Then select **Forgot Password.**

What Will I Learn About My Scores?

The screenshot shows the CollegeBoard website's 'My Score Reports' page. The top navigation bar includes links for CollegeBoard, SAT, AP, College Planning, College Search, Store, and More. A search bar and a user profile icon are on the right. Below the navigation bar, the 'My Score Reports' tab is selected. The main content area displays a welcome message for 'Hillary' and her most recent score. The score is for the PSAT 8/9 Spring 2016, 8th Grade. The total score is 870, with sub-scores of 460 for Evidence-Based Reading and Writing, and 410 for Math. A 'View Details' button is provided for the total score. To the right of the score, there are four interactive cards: 'Make an Action Plan', 'Core Course Work', 'My Personality', and 'Majors and Career Profiles'. At the bottom, there is a section for 'Missing scores?' with a note about adding scores and a contact number for customer service, followed by an 'Add Score(s)' button.

CollegeBoard SAT AP College Planning College Search Store More

My Score Reports AP Potential Popular Tools

Welcome, **Hillary**. Here is your most recent score.

PSAT 8/9
Spring 2016 8th Grade

870
Total Score

460
Evidence-Based Reading and Writing

410
Math

View Details

Keep in mind, the PSAT 8/9, PSAT/NMSQT and SAT are on the same scale. Your score shows you how you would have scored that day on the PSAT/NMSQT and SAT. How well you do depends on what you do next!

Make an Action Plan

Core Course Work

My Personality

Majors and Career Profiles

Missing scores? If you've taken a College Board assessment but your score does not appear on this page, click on the button below to add it to this account. Please contact Customer Service at (866) 756-7346 for assistance or if you have any questions.

Add Score(s)

Understanding your Online Score Report

- Sample test score Demo
- [Watch this video to understand PSAT 8/9 score reports](#)
- [Take a tour of the online student score report](#)
- See the Popular Tools menu on the right of your screen.
- AP Potential may tell you what AP classes you are ready for.

Select the test you want to see.
Then select the tabs on your score report to see more information.



Look for the blue question mark for a description of items.

How Did My Score Measure Against the Benchmarks?

Section scores report scores in performance zones that indicate whether you are on track to meet the college readiness benchmarks on the SAT®.

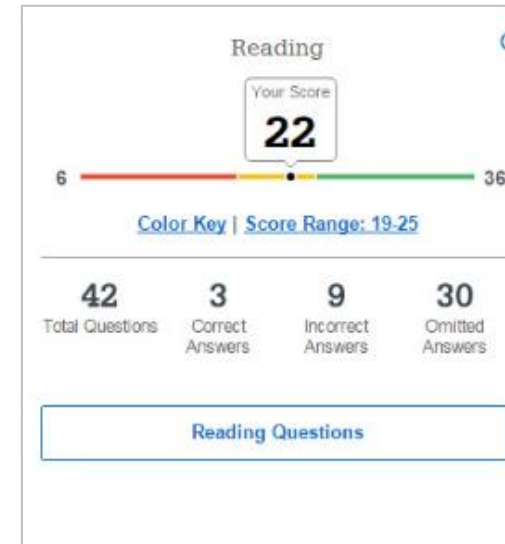
For section scores

Need to Strengthen Skills = below grade-level benchmark by more than one year

Approaching Benchmark = below grade-level benchmark by one year or less

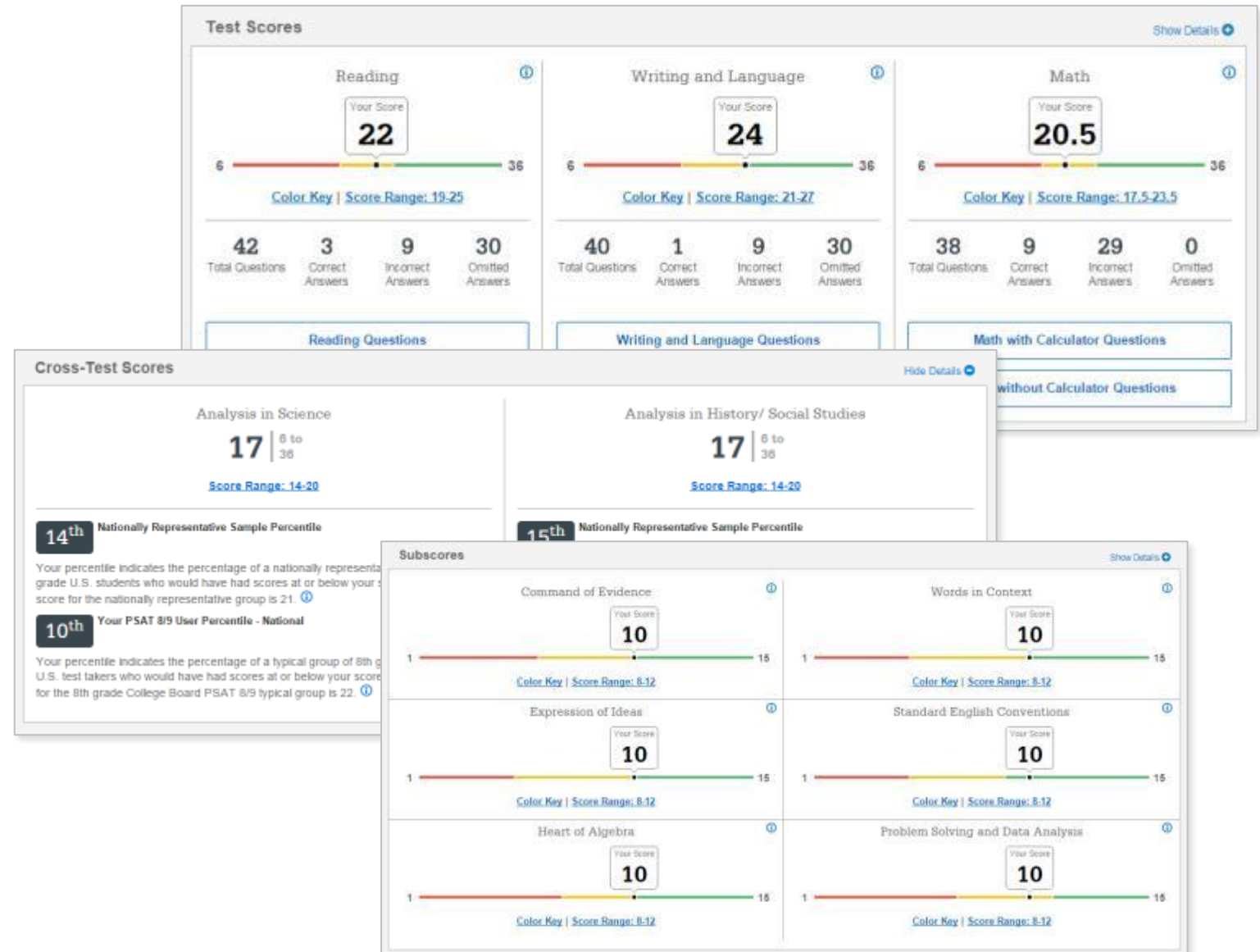
Meets or Exceeds Benchmark = at or above grade-level benchmark

The red, yellow, and green ranges in the test scores and subscores reflect areas of strengths and weaknesses compared to the typical performance of students.



What Do My Scores Tell Me?

Section, test, and subscores all report scores in performance zones that indicate whether you are on track for meeting the college readiness benchmarks on the SAT®.

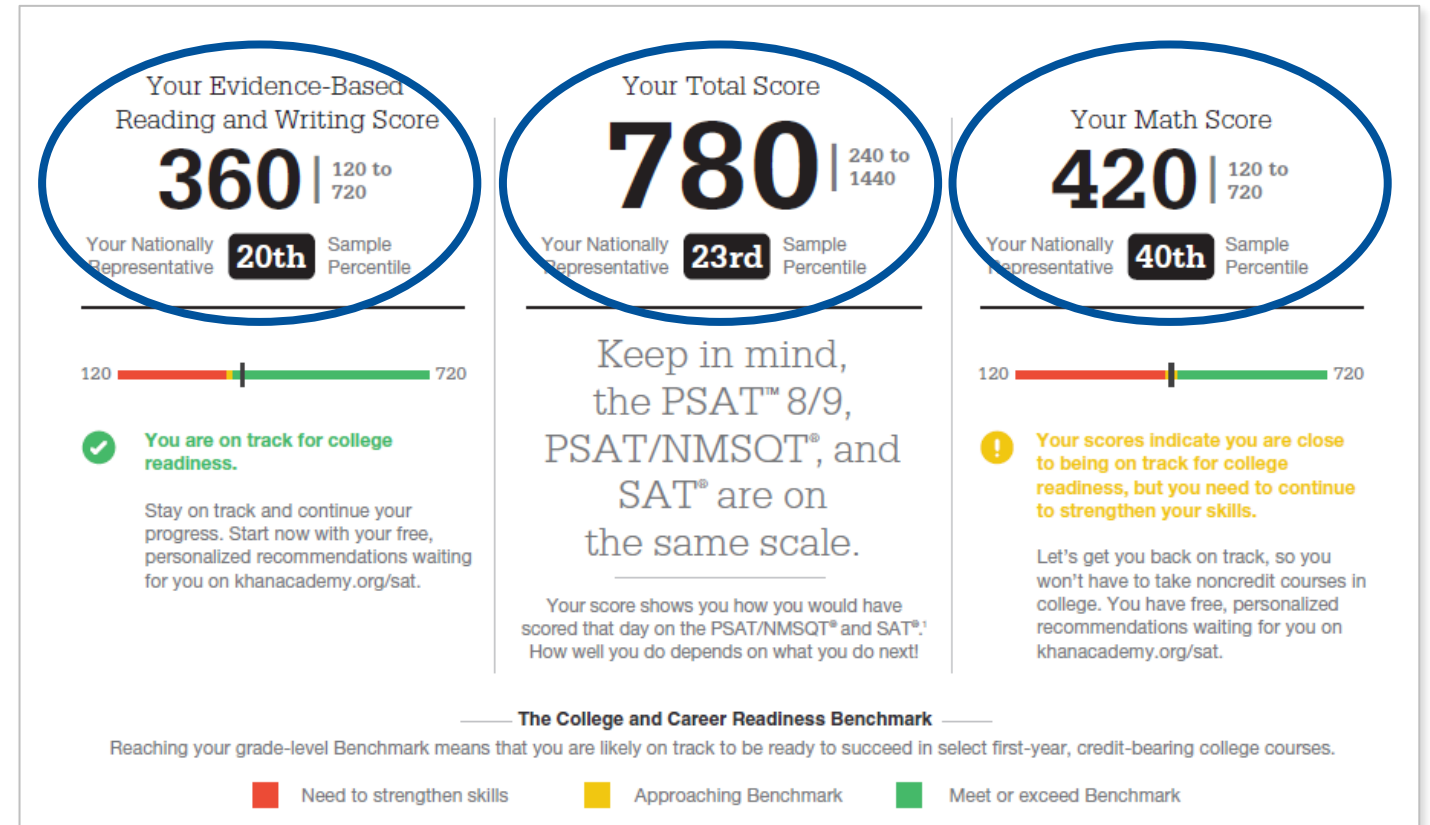
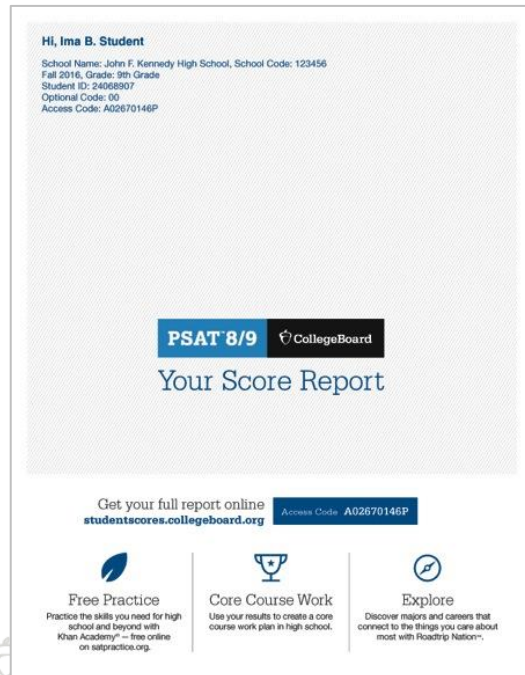


PSAT 8/9 Score Ranges

PSAT 8/9 Score Reported	Details	Score Range
Total score	Sum of the two section scores.	240–1440
Section scores (2)	Evidence-Based Reading and Writing, and Math.	120–720
Test scores (3)	Reading, Writing and Language, and Math.	6–36
Cross-test scores (2)	Analysis in History/Social Studies and Analysis in Science. Based on selected questions in the Reading, Writing and Language, and Math Tests.	6–36
Subscores (6)	Reading and Writing and Language: Command of Evidence and Words in Context. Writing and Language: Expression of Ideas and Standard English Conventions. Math: Heart of Algebra, and Problem Solving and Data Analysis.	1–15

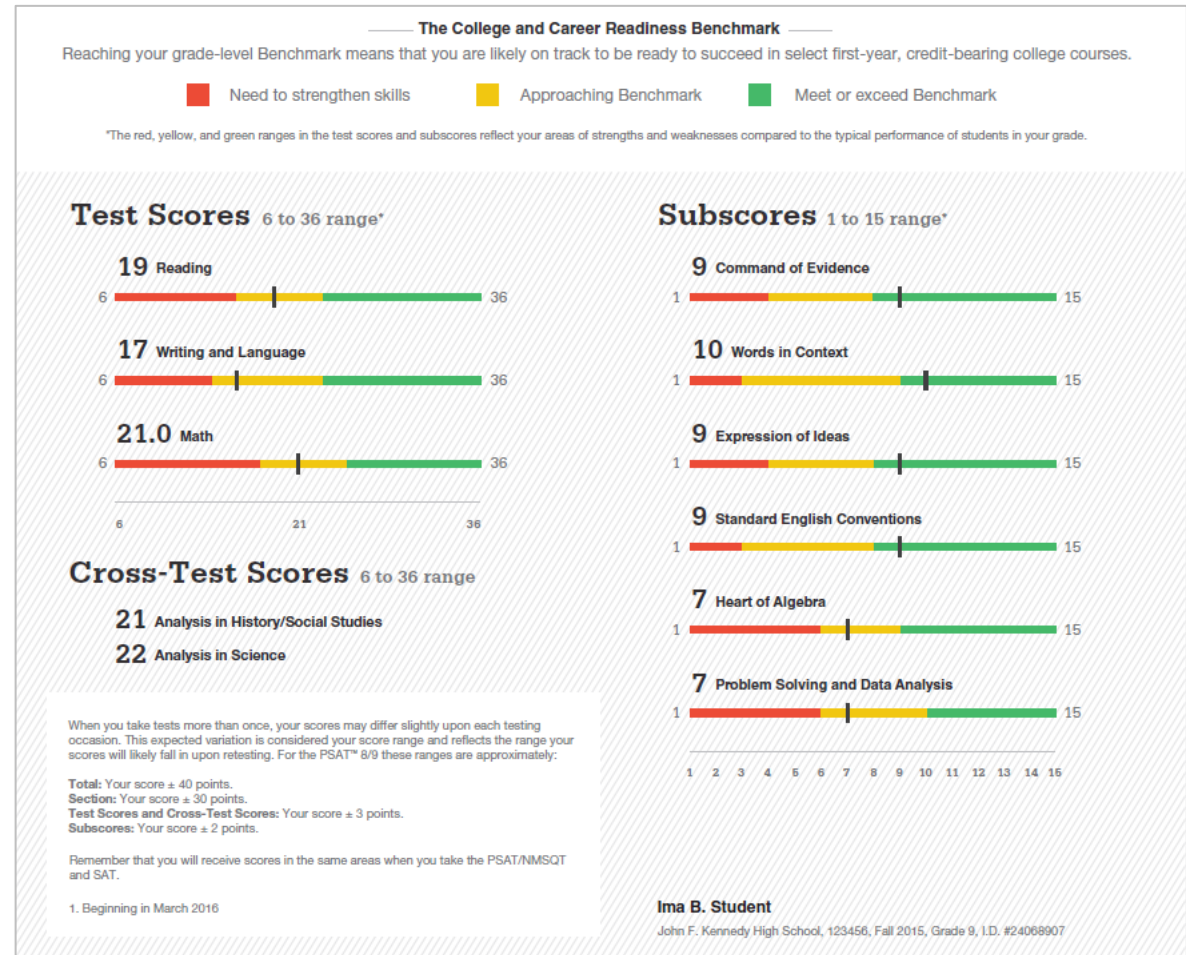
What Are My Scores?

Scores for the assessments in the SAT® Suite are vertically equated. Download your Score Report for more details. Select Download Report in the upper right corner of your online report to see your paper report.



What Are My Scores? *(cont.)*

Test scores, cross-test scores, and subscores give students insightful information about their strengths and areas for improvement.



Score ranges by grade.

Score Range Values for Red/Yellow/Green Indicators on Section, Test, and Subscores

		Section Scores		Test Scores		
		Evidence-Based Reading and Writing	Math	Reading	Writing and Language	Math
SAT	Red	200–450	200–500	10–20	10–20	10–22
	Yellow	460–470	510–520	21–29	21–30	22.5–31
	Green	480–800	530–800	30–40	31–40	31.5–40
11th grade	Red	160–420	160–470	8–19	8–18	8–20.5
	Yellow	430–450	480–500	20–28	19–28	21–29.5
	Green	460–760	510–760	29–38	29–38	30–38
10th grade	Red	160–400	160–440	8–18	8–17	8–19.5
	Yellow	410–420	450–470	19–26	18–26	20–27.5
	Green	430–760	480–760	27–38	27–36	28–38
9th grade	Red	120–380	120–420	6–18	6–16	6–18
	Yellow	390–400	430–440	19–25	17–25	18.5–25.5
	Green	410–720	450–720	26–36	26–36	26–36
8th grade	Red	120–360	120–400	6–17	6–16	6–17.5
	Yellow	370–380	410–420	18–23	17–23	18–24
	Green	390–720	430–720	24–36	24–36	24.5–36

Subscore Ranges by Grade

Subscores								
		Command of Evidence	Words in Context	Expression of Ideas	Standard English Conventions	Heart of Algebra	Problem Solving and Data Analysis	Passport to Advanced Math
SAT	Red	1-6	1-6	1-6	1-5	1-6	1-6	1-6
	Yellow	7-10	7-11	7-10	6-10	7-11	7-11	7-11
	Green	11-15	12-15	11-15	11-15	12-15	12-15	12-15
11th grade	Red	1-6	1-5	1-6	1-6	1-6	1-7	1-7
	Yellow	7-10	6-10	7-10	7-10	7-11	8-11	8-11
	Green	11-15	11-15	11-15	11-15	12-15	12-15	12-15
10th grade	Red	1-6	1-5	1-6	1-5	1-6	1-6	1-6
	Yellow	7-9	6-9	7-9	6-9	7-10	7-10	7-10
	Green	10-15	10-15	10-15	10-15	11-15	11-15	11-15
9th grade	Red	1-5	1-4	1-5	1-5	1-6	1-6	N/A
	Yellow	6-9	5-10	6-10	6-9	7-10	7-10	N/A
	Green	10-15	11-15	11-15	10-15	11-15	11-15	N/A

College Freshman Class Profiles for Some Michigan Schools

These are not requirements, but average Freshmen class data.

Contact your college to verify their requirements

This information came from the blue link below:

[Guide to Admissions | Michigan Public Universities](#)

FRESHMAN CLASS PROFILES

SCHOOL	CLASS SIZE	AVG GPA	AVG TEST SCORES	REPORTING CODES
CENTRAL MICHIGAN	2,300	3.41	ACT: 23 SAT: 1130	ACT: 1972 SAT: 1106
EASTERN MICHIGAN	2,000	3.31	ACT: 22 SAT: 1100	ACT: 1990 SAT: 1220
FERRIS	1,897	3.30	ACT: 22 SAT: 1056	ACT: 1994 SAT: 1222
GRAND VALLEY	4,100	3.50	ACT: 21-26 SAT: 1050-1230	ACT: 2005 SAT: 1258
LAKE SUPERIOR STATE	350	3.21	ACT: 22	ACT: 2031 SAT: 1421
MICHIGAN STATE	8,725	3.73	ACT: 23-29 SAT: 1110-1280	ACT: 2032 SAT: 1465
MICHIGAN TECH	1,301	3.78	ACT: 26.7 SAT: 1260	ACT: 2030 SAT: 1464
NORTHERN MICHIGAN	1,601	3.30	ACT: 22 SAT: 1120	ACT: 2038 SAT: 1560
OAKLAND	2,667	3.50	ACT: 24 SAT: 1130	ACT: 2033 SAT: 1497
SAGINAW VALLEY	1,470	3.46	ACT: 22 SAT: 1090	ACT: 2057 SAT: 1766
U-M ANN ARBOR	7,188	3.90	ACT: 32-35 SAT: 1380-1550	ACT: 2062 SAT: 1839
U-M DEARBORN	1,014	3.68	ACT: 25 SAT: 1190	ACT: 2074 SAT: 1861
U-M FLINT	605	3.46	SAT: 1099	ACT: 2063 SAT: 1853
WAYNE STATE	3,000	3.34	ACT: 24 SAT: 1130	ACT: 2064 SAT: 1898
WESTERN MICHIGAN	2,945	3.48	ACT: 20-26 SAT: 1000-1210	ACT: 2066 SAT: 1902

Early/Middle College programs offer students a unique opportunity to earn college credit while in high school. The public universities in Michigan welcome students participating in Early/Middle College programs to apply and enroll. The public universities in Michigan classify students who complete college-level work prior to receiving their high school diploma as entering freshmen. Early/Middle College students are considered entering freshmen even if an associate's degree is earned prior to high school graduation.

A blue-tinted photograph of three students walking past a brick wall. The student in the center is a young man with dark hair, wearing a plaid shirt and a backpack, looking towards the right. To his left is another student, and to his right is a young woman with long hair, also wearing a backpack and looking towards the right. The background is a brick wall.

What Are My Next Steps?

- **Continue to take challenging courses**
- **Link scores with Khan Academy®**
- **Utilize other resources to research and prepare for college**

Official SAT[®] Practice with Khan Academy[®] — It's FREE!

- Go to satpractice.org and create a free account.
- Get personalized recommendations. Link your Khan Academy account to your College Board account to import past SAT Suite results, or take diagnostic quizzes to get personalized recommendations.
- Create a study plan. Select a test date and set up a practice schedule.

8th and 9th Grade are recommended to learn through their coursework and then use Khan Academy as a 10th or 11th grader.



What Steps Will I Follow to Link My College Board Account to Khan Academy®?



Step 1

Log in or create a Khan Academy account.

Step 2

When prompted, agree to link your Khan Academy and College Board accounts. You will then be directed to collegeboard.org.

Step 3

Sign in or create a College Board Account.

Step 4

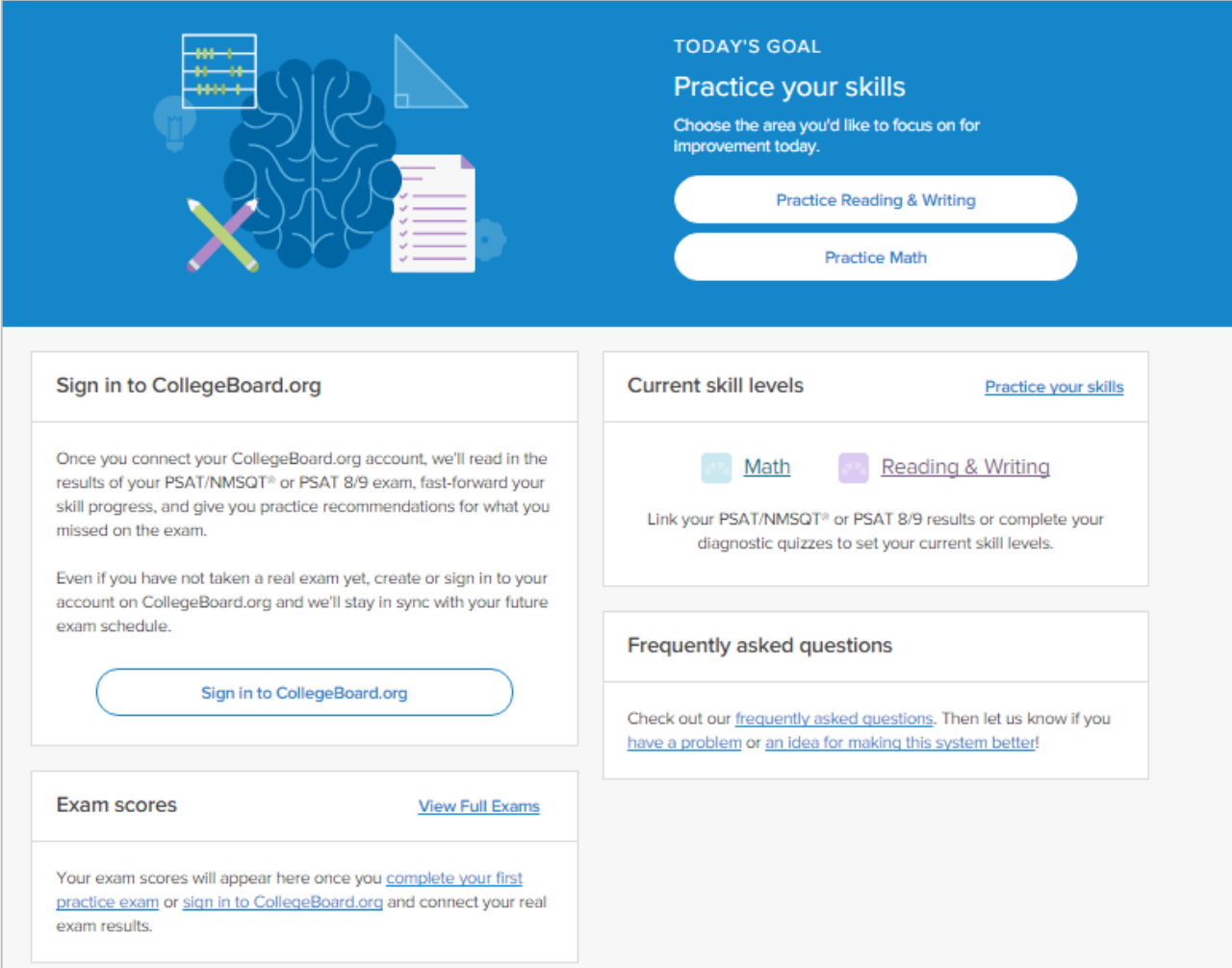
When prompted, hit “Send” to authorize the account linking.

Step 5

Start practicing on Official SAT® Practice on Khan Academy!

How can I Link My College Board and Khan Academy® Accounts?

- After successfully logging in to your College Board account, you will be asked to authorize the account linking.
- After clicking “Send,” you will be redirected to SAT® Practice on the Khan Academy site.
- You can remove the link at any time by clicking on “Revoke,” which is found in your College Board account settings.



The image shows a screenshot of the Khan Academy SAT Practice interface. At the top, there's a blue header with a brain icon and various study-related icons. Below the header, there's a section titled "TODAY'S GOAL" with the text "Practice your skills" and a prompt to choose an area for improvement. Two buttons are visible: "Practice Reading & Writing" and "Practice Math". Below this, there's a "Sign in to CollegeBoard.org" section with a description of how linking accounts works and a "Sign in to CollegeBoard.org" button. To the right, there's a "Current skill levels" section with links for "Math" and "Reading & Writing", and a prompt to link PSAT/NMSQT or PSAT 8/9 results. Below that, there's a "Frequently asked questions" section with a link to "frequently asked questions" and a prompt to provide feedback. At the bottom, there's an "Exam scores" section with a link to "View Full Exams" and a prompt to complete a first practice exam or sign in to CollegeBoard.org to see scores.

TODAY'S GOAL
Practice your skills
Choose the area you'd like to focus on for improvement today.

Practice Reading & Writing
Practice Math

Sign in to CollegeBoard.org

Once you connect your CollegeBoard.org account, we'll read in the results of your PSAT/NMSQT® or PSAT 8/9 exam, fast-forward your skill progress, and give you practice recommendations for what you missed on the exam.

Even if you have not taken a real exam yet, create or sign in to your account on CollegeBoard.org and we'll stay in sync with your future exam schedule.

Sign in to CollegeBoard.org

Current skill levels [Practice your skills](#)

[Math](#) [Reading & Writing](#)

Link your PSAT/NMSQT® or PSAT 8/9 results or complete your diagnostic quizzes to set your current skill levels.

Frequently asked questions

Check out our [frequently asked questions](#). Then let us know if you [have a problem](#) or [an idea for making this system better!](#)

Exam scores [View Full Exams](#)

Your exam scores will appear here once you [complete your first practice exam](#) or [sign in to CollegeBoard.org](#) and connect your real exam results.

Email me at tdeneweth@almontschools.org if you have any questions.

Thank You!