

SAT: "The ROADS Way"

At ROADS, your trainer will design a personalized curriculum based on your needs and wants - whatever schedule fits your busy demands (including weekends). After an initial diagnostic assessment of strengths and weaknesses, your trainer will work with you to design an individualized study plan that makes the most of the time frame that you specify and the score that you need.

Our goal is to set you on the ROAD to SAT Success. Therefore, we ensure the overall development of aspirants - SAT Coaching, Efficient Time Management, Mock Tests, Planning and Organizing of Applications.

The Roads Difference: Our team of experienced trainers, alumni and management have devised an innovative course structure that attempts to help you to achieve high SAT scores by looking at the reasoning behind each question type (i.e. Why am I being asked this?). You will be taught to answer questions with a completely fresh approach which has proven to be very successful for our past candidates.

SAT Test Preparation @ ROADS

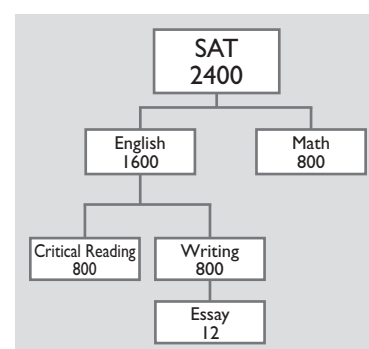
- Intensive and focused classroom coaching is provided for 2-3 months. The class schedule is divided in modules. Each module will be focusing on a specific topic or related topics. Enough flexibility is provided in terms of course duration, class timetables, weekend classes so that YOU can fit the SAT Test Preparation around your busy day-to-day life.
- Frequency of classes ranges from 2 to 4 classes per week.
- Thoroughly researched, updated and customised study material will be provided. SAT Study & Reference Material and Test Papers are included in the course fees. Additionally there is also scope for extra material to be provided that addresses your problem areas specifically. For instance your trainer will provide you with extra questions/conceptual clarity sheets for a particular topic on which you might have underperformed in your mocks/diagnostic test.
- Faculties are the best in industry. Furthermore our management team and strong alumni network constantly give us feedback so that we can continuously update our course structure/material and find ways to innovate in the classroom - as a result of this, we believe our candidates approach the SAT test with a greater level of confidence and a renewed approach to answering challenging questions.
- Online practice material and simulated tests to give you a feel of the actual SAT besides basic content drills and timed drills.
- The use of our in-house Library facilities and round the clock self study assistance is also included in the course. We encourage our trainers to build a very friendly rapport with you and provide you with all the assistance to conquer the SAT.

Sections	Mathematics Section	Critical Reading Section	Writing Section
Time	70 Minutes	70 Minutes	60 minutes
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Content	- Number & operations; - Algebra & Functions; - Geometry; - Statistics, - Probability, & - Data Analysis	- Critical Reading - Reading comprehension, - Sentence completions, & - paragraph-length	Grammar, usage, and word choice
Marks	800	800	800

SAT Syllabus at Roads:

English: (1600 Marks) - 25 to 30 Hours

- Part 1 - Orientation and Introduction
- Part 2 - Self Assessment
- Part 3 - Sentence Completion Questions
- Part 4 - Reading Comprehension Questions
- Part 5 - Vocabulary Building
- Part 6 - Writing Skills Questions
- Part 7 - Writing an Essay
- Part 8 - Extensive Practice in Class, Home and Mock Test





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Math: (800 Marks) - 20 to 25 Hours

These sections of the SAT contain questions that require understanding of the following mathematical concepts:

Arithmetic: Applications Involving Computation, Data Interpretation (including Mean, Median, and Mode), Percent, Prime Numbers, Odd and Even Numbers, Ratio and Proportion, Divisibility, Average.

Algebra: Factoring, Linear equations and inequalities, Positive integer exponents, Sequences, Quadratic equations, Algebra word problems, Simplifying algebraic expressions, Substitution.

Geometry: Area and perimeter of a polygon, Area and Circumference of a circle, Volume of a box, cube, and cylinder, Pythagorean theorem and special properties of Isosceles, Equilateral and Right triangles, 300 - 600 - 900 and 450 - 450 - 900 triangles, Properties of parallel and perpendicular lines, Co-ordinate Geometry, Geometric Visualization, Slope, Similarity.

Other: Logical Reasoning, New defined symbols based on commonly used operation, Probability and counting, Arithmetic and Algebraic concepts.

About New SAT: More of algebra, co-ordinate geometry, trigonometry and related topics will be included. The emphasis will be on functions, direct and inverse variations, transformations and elaborate co-ordinate geometry. Quantitative comparisons will cease to exist.

Homework: Assigned weekly. Approximately 45 minutes each night.

Mock Tests: 10 Mock Tests are included in the course.



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Verbal Course Structure

Class	Session Name	Content Covered	Time	Material Given
1	Writing 1	Orientation Diagnostic test feed back	2 hrs	Course material
2	Writing 2	Writing Introduction Basic grammar drills	2 hrs	Worksheets
3	Writing 3	Writing worksheet	2 hrs	Worksheets
4	Writing 4	Error identification & Improving paragraphs	2 hrs	Worksheets
5	Writing 5	Essay 1 (Brainstorming)	2 hrs	Worksheets
6	Writing 6	Essay 2 (Writing)	2 hrs	
7	Critical Reading 1	Passage based reading- Introduction and strategies Vocabulary drill	2 hrs	Worksheets
8	Critical Reading 2	Long passages- Practice Vocabulary drill	2 hrs	Worksheets
9	Critical Reading 3	Dual passages- Practice Vocabulary drill	2 hrs	Worksheets
10	Critical Reading 4	Sentence Completion	2 hrs	Worksheets
11	Critical Reading 5	Sentence Completion Extra Practice	2 hrs	Worksheets
12	Verbal wrap- up	Timed verbal drills	2 hrs	Test booklet

Quantitative Course Structure

Session	Topic Covered	Duration	Material given
1	Number theory, Fractions, Decimals, Percentages	2 hrs	Worksheet
2	Ratio and Proportion, Profit and Loss, Time and Work, Time and Distance	2 hrs	Worksheet
3	Word problems practice, Statistics (Mean, Median, Mode, Standard Deviation and Graphs)	2 hrs	Worksheet
4	Word problems practice, Statistics (Mean, Median, Mode, Standard Deviation and Graphs)	2 hrs	Worksheet
5	Algebra (Inequality and Absolute value, Functions and their graphs)	2 hrs	Worksheet
6	Equations (Linear and quadratic)	2 hrs	Worksheet
7	Sequences and Series	2 hrs	Worksheet
8	Counting and Probability- 1	2 hrs	Worksheet
9	Counting and Probability- 2	2 hrs	Worksheet
10	Geometry and Mensuration- 1 (Lines, Polygons)	2 hrs	Worksheet
11	Geometry and Mensuration-2 (Cube, Cuboid, Cylinder, Cone)	2 hrs	Worksheet
12	Math wrap-up- Extra practice, Doubt clearance	2 hrs	Worksheet

Few General SAT Insights

Taking the Test:

The SAT is offered six times a year in India, in October, November, December, January, May, and June. The test is typically offered on the first Saturday of the month for the November, December, May, and June administrations. For January, it is the last Saturday of the month. For further details regarding exam dates, please visit <http://www.collegeboard.org>

Problems faced:

- Students do not realize that SAT has negative marking (1/4 marks).
- Sometimes, too much time is wasted on answering a few questions, especially in Critical Reading, which results in loss of time.
- Language usage in the Critical Reading section is a problem for some.

Overcoming Barriers:

At **Roads**, we prepare the students in a way, which includes strategic learning, and we provide them with various techniques so they can tackle problems in an effective manner. Furthermore, we make them **solve papers** and give **mock exams**, so as to let them understand the importance of time management while giving the exam.

Preparation for SAT English:

Critical Reading + Writing + Strategies + Paper Solving

Preparation for SAT Math:

Paper Solving + More Paper Solving + Intense Paper Solving + Strategies + Golden Tricks

How much effort should a student actually put in so as to maximize his SAT Scores?

- 70 Hours of dedication and determined study at Roads, is what you need
- 7 Weeks of thorough preparation, which includes a complete training program, vocabulary improvement, paper solving, mock tests and the overall development of skills and competencies.
- At Roads, we manage your time efficiently. 1.5 Hours at Roads and 2 Hours at home will help you ace SAT.

About the SAT Subject Tests (SAT II)

Subject Tests (formerly SAT II: Subject Tests) are designed to measure your knowledge and skills in particular subject areas, as well as your ability to apply that knowledge.

Students take the Subject Tests to demonstrate to colleges their mastery of specific subjects like English, history, mathematics, science, and language. The tests are independent of any particular textbook or method of instruction. The tests' content evolves to reflect current trends in high school curricula, but the types of questions change little from year to year.

Many colleges use the Subject Tests for admission, for course placement, and to advise students about course selection. They are used in combination with other background information (your high school record, the SAT Reasoning Test score, teacher recommendations, etc.) to provide a dependable measure of your academic achievement and are a good predictor of future college performance in specific subject areas.