The SAT

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FORMAT

COMPUTER

SECTION ADAPTIVE

MODULE 1 → MODULE 2-EASY
MODULE 1 → MODULE 2-HARD

Difficulty of Module 2 depends on performance on Module 1.

QUESTION FORMAT

MULTIPLE CHOICE	STUDENT-PRODUCED RESPONSE
4 answer choices	Math section only

TIME PER QUESTION

READING & WRITING	MATH
71s	95s

TEST DATES

8 PER YEAR

MARCH | MAY | JUNE | AUGUST | SEPTEMBER
OCTOBER | NOVEMBER | DECEMBER

SCORING

1600

Reading and Writing | **200-800**
Math | **200-800**
Total Score | **400-1600**

STRUCTURE

2 hr 14 min | **98 Questions**

32 min	Reading & Writing Module 1 — 27 Questions	64 min
32 min	Reading & Writing Module 2 — 27 Questions	
	10 min break	
35 min	Math Module 1 — 22 Questions	70 min
35 min	Math Module 2 — 22 Questions	

READING & WRITING SECTION

CONTENT BREAKDOWN

Craft and Structure | **28%**
Information and Ideas | **26%**
Standard English Conventions | **26%**
Expression of Ideas | **20%**

ORGANIZATION

Questions within each module are grouped by question type.

PASSAGES

- Each question will refer to its own short passage or pair of passages.
- Each passage will be between 25 and 150 words.

MATH SECTION

CONTENT BREAKDOWN

Algebra | **35%**
Advanced Math | **35%**
Problem Solving and Data Analysis | **15%**
Geometry and Trigonometry | **15%**

ORGANIZATION

Questions within each module are arranged in order of increasing difficulty.

CALCULATORS

- Calculators can be used on the entire section.
- Students may bring an approved calculator or use the integrated Desmos graphing calculator.

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