

Yale University
Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT) Scores for Freshmen Matriculants, 1975-1999

		Percentile Standing Verbal					Percentile Standing Mathematics				
Year	Class	10	25	50	75	90	10	25	50	75	90
1975	1979	539	607	666	713	747	563	623	681	835	765
1976	1980	530	610	670	720	750	560	630	690	740	770
1977	1981	540	600	670	710	750	560	620	690	740	770
1978	1982	530	600	660	710	750	560	620	680	730	760
1979	1983	546	609	672	722	752	555	619	678	733	765
1980	1984	537	609	674	708	753	572	618	694	745	775
1981	1985	537	602	668	720	756	567	622	688	725	757
1982	1986	540	600	660	710	740	570	630	680	730	760
1983	1987	540	600	660	710	740	570	630	680	730	760
1984	1988	550	610	660	720	750	580	640	700	740	760
1985	1989	550	620	670	720	750	590	640	690	730	760
1986	1990	560	610	670	710	740	600	650	700	740	770
1987	1991	550	610	660	710	740	600	650	700	740	770
1988	1992	550	610	660	710	740	600	650	700	740	780
1989	1993	550	600	670	710	730	600	650	710	740	780
1990	1994	550	610	670	710	740	610	660	710	750	780
1991	1995	550	610	670	710	740	610	660	710	750	780
1992	1996	540	600	660	700	740	600	650	700	740	770
1993	1997	550	600	660	710	730	600	650	710	750	780
1994	1998	550	620	670	710	740	610	670	720	750	780
1995	1999	570	620	670	710	740	640	680	720	760	770
1996 (a)	2000	620	680	730	770	800	630	680	720	780	800
1997	2001	620	670	720	770	800	630	670	720	760	790
1998	2002	630	680	730	780	800	630	680	720	760	800
1999	2003	630	690	740	780	800	640	690	730	770	800

Note:

(a) In 1995, the College Board decided to "recenter" the SAT I score scale. Recentering had the effect of reestablishing the average score on the SAT I at the midpoint of the 200-800 scale. This was done, according to the College Board, to make comparisons of an individual student's score to the whole group easier to understand and interpret, and easier to compare an individual student's own verbal and math scores. One consequence of the adjustment, however, was that fact that most students received scores on the verbal section that were higher than those that they would have received prior to recentering. The higher scores began with the students entering in 1996.

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