

SAT: Scholastic Assessment Test Result – 1975-1994

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Table 126.--Scholastic Assessment Test\1\ score averages, by race/ethnicity: 1975-76 to 1994-95

Racial/ethnic background	1975-76	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1986-87	1987-88	1988-89
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
SAT-Verbal												
All students ...	431	429	427	424	424	426	425	426	431	430	428	427
White	451	446	444	442	442	444	443	445	449	447	445	446
Black	332	332	330	330	332	341	339	342	346	351	353	351
Mexican-American .	371	370	370	372	373	377	375	376	382	379	382	381
Puerto Rican	364	349	345	350	353	360	358	358	368	360	355	360
Asian-American ...	414	401	396	396	397	398	395	398	404	405	408	409
American Indian ..	388	387	386	390	391	388	388	390	392	393	393	384
Other	410	399	393	394	388	392	386	388	391	405	410	414
SAT-Mathematical												
All students ...	472	468	467	466	466	467	468	471	475	476	476	476
White	493	485	483	482	483	483	484	487	490	489	490	491
Black	354	354	358	360	362	366	369	373	376	377	384	386
Mexican-American .	410	402	410	413	415	416	417	420	426	424	428	430
Puerto Rican	401	388	388	394	398	403	403	405	409	400	402	406
Asian-American ...	518	510	511	509	513	513	514	519	518	521	522	525
American Indian ..	420	419	421	426	425	424	425	427	428	432	435	428
Other	458	450	447	449	447	449	446	450	448	455	460	467

\1\Scholastic Aptitude Test revised, 1994.

NOTE.--Possible scores on each part of the SAT range from 200 to 800. No racial/ethnic group data are available prior to 1975-76. No data are available for 1985-86 due to changes in the Student Descriptive Questionnaire completed when students registered for the test.

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	1989-90	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1
	14	15	16	17	18	
	424	422	423	424	423	
	442	441	442	444	443	
	352	351	352	353	352	
	380	377	372	374	372	
	359	361	366	367	367	
	410	411	413	415	416	
	388	393	395	400	396	
	410	411	417	422	425	
	476	474	476	478	479	
	491	489	491	494	495	
	385	385	385	388	388	
	429	427	425	428	427	
	405	406	406	409	411	
	528	530	532	535	535	
	437	437	442	447	441	
	467	466	473	477	480	