

Background Information	National Assessment SAT		Target audience Available to high school students	
	Description/Purpose of Assessment			
	<p>The SAT is a three-hour-and-45-minute test that measures critical reading, mathematical reasoning, and writing skills that students have developed over time and that they need to be successful in college. The SAT is aligned with current curriculum and institutional practices in high school and college. By including a third measure of skills, writing, the SAT reinforces the importance of writing throughout a student's education and will help colleges make better admissions and placement decisions. Each section of the SAT is scored on a scale of 200 - 800, with two writing subscores for multiple-choice and the essay. It is administered seven times a year in the U.S. KISD hosts several test dates, see below or district testing calendar.</p>			
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Processes and Procedures	What is the process to prepare student success?		Registration Process, Fees, & Timeline	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -All KISD seniors receive a login for SAT online prep -Test Prep Seminar - weekend -PSAT prep class (semester class elective) 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Registration information packets are in the counseling office year-round. -Counselors will provide students with all pertinent information, such as their high school code which is listed below. CHS: 442583 FRHS: 443753 KHS: 443755 -Students are encouraged to register on-line at www.collegeboard.com. 	
KISD Assessment Dates:		Communication Process		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10/4/08 - FRHS/KHS 3/14/09 - KHS 11/1/08 - FRHS 5/2/09 - FRHS 12/6/08 - FRHS 6/6/09 - FRHS/KHS 1/24/09 - FRHS/KHS Dates outside KISD on College Board web 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -SAT information is shared with parents and students during a variety of opportunities. -During students' junior year, counselors meet with students individually to discuss college preparation. -Each high school campus hosts a Just for Juniors, a junior seminar for students and parents. -As seniors, students and parents are invited to attend a Senior Summit for higher education information. -The 2008-2009 dates for the above mentioned events are posted in counseling office. 		
Evaluation of Results	What is the process for scoring and timeframe for receiving results?		Where are district-level results posted?	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Tests are sent to an outside vendor for scoring contracted by College Board. -Scores are available on-line approximately 2 weeks after the test administration for students who registered on-line. -Results are mailed to the student's home directly from College Board. -Campus receives individual and summary reports. -District receives campus and summary reports. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Results are posted on the KISD and campus-level websites. -Each high school campus also includes its results in the school profile brochure. 	
		How are results used at the campus and district level?		
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -SAT results are referenced during campus-based advisement for college planning and/or possible course selection for subsequent year(s) in high school. -SAT results are included annually in the Academic Excellence Indicator System (AEIS). This report is released in November of each year and reflects the SAT results from the prior school year. -SAT goals are set at the district and campus level annually. District and campus performance objectives document the annual progress. 		