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The Official SAT Study Guide includes 4 official SAT® practice tests created by the test maker. As part of the College Board's commitment to transparency, all four practice tests are available on the College Board's website, but The Official SAT Study Guide is the only place to find them in print along with over 300 pages of additional instruction, guidance, and test information. Launching in March 2016, the new SAT introduces new question formats and content. Be ready with strategies and up-to-date information straight from the team that created the exam. Students will gain valuable experience and raise their confidence by taking practice tests, learning about test structure, and gaining a deeper understanding of what is tested on the SAT. The Official SAT Study Guide will help students get ready for the SAT with:

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- Detailed descriptions of the math and evidenced based reading and writing sections of the SAT
- Targeted practice questions for each SAT question type
- Guidance on the new optional essay, including practice essay questions with sample responses
- A review of math concepts tested in the exam
- Test-taking approaches and suggestions that underscore important points
- Seamless integration with Khan Academy's free SAT practice resources
- Scaled scoring for all 4 official SAT practice tests available in July on colle...

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There's also a complete chapter on the PSAT/NMSQT®.

This is the guide for the new test that launches in March 2016.

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Get It Together for College, 3rd Edition

A Planner to Help You Get Organized and Get In

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Updated to help students get ready for the new SAT—from the creators of the #1 college planning website, collegeboard.com

Students say the hardest part of applying to college is just getting organized and staying on top of all the forms, requirements, and deadlines. This revised edition of Get It Together for College helps students do just that.

Completely updated for the redesigned SAT and current college application procedures, this planner covers everything from how to look for colleges to what to take to the dorm. Checklists, timelines, and FAQs are presented in a practical, quick, and easy format that helps students relieve stress and take control of the process.

Features:

• complete junior-senior year calendar showing what to do and when to do it
• tips on how social networks and smart phone apps can make the process easier
• best ways to prepare for college admission tests
• how to put an art portfolio together, or prepare for a music audition
• step-by-step walk-through of the new FAFSA financial aid form
• how to get recommendations
• journal pages for campus visits and college fairs

Students and parents recognize the College Board and its website, collegeboard.com, as providers of clear, easy-to-use tools for college planning. More than two million students visit collegeboard.com each month.
The College Application Essay, 6th Ed.
Sarah Myers McGinty

This popular guide helps students write essays that win admission

Winning college application essays take admission officers beyond the numbers and shows them what the students really care about, how they think, and who they really are. But even the best of students can be daunted by the task.

This easy-to-follow guide provides the tools to tell a memorable story. Updated to reflect recent changes to the all-important Common Application, which nearly all applicants to competitive colleges use, this book provides a clear path to an essay that says, "Pick me!"

Features:

• Best approaches to the new Common Application questions
• Clues to how colleges read essays
• Simple steps for successful drafts
• Revision strategies
• Quick fixes for procrastinators
• The right role of parents in the process

Critiques of actual sample essays guide students toward the best practices and away from common mistakes. No other book on this topic has this breadth and depth of expertise.

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"Sara McGinty is the dean of writers on college application essays."— Jon Reider, College Counselor, University High School of San Francisco

"If you're worried about your application essay, grab this book."— F. Sheppard Shanley, Senior Associate Director of Admission, Northwestern University
College Handbook 2016

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The only guide with all the accredited colleges in the United States—more than 3,900—including four-year and two-year colleges and technical schools!

This is the only guide available that contains objective information on every accredited college in the United States—2,200 four-year colleges and universities, and 1,700 two-year community colleges and technical schools. With its clearly laid-out entries and more than 40 indexes, the College Handbook 2016 is also the fastest, easiest way for students to narrow a college search and compare the schools that they're interested in.

• comprehensive listings of admission requirements, majors, sports, on-campus activities and campus computing

• targeted information for home-schooled students and students considering community college as an option

• useful features for black and Hispanic students

• tables of early decision and wait-list outcomes show information that can't be found in any other guide

• planning calendar and worksheets help students organize their applications and stay on track

• purchasers qualify for a $10 discount on The Official SAT Online Course™, when purchased through College Board website, the only SAT course offered by the test maker

• updated annually by a team of editors who verify information with each college—making the College Handbook 2016 the best college reference guide available

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"The easiest college reference to use."—Anne Lewis, Supervisor of Guidance Services, Loudoun County Public Schools, Va.
The only book that describes majors in depth and lists the colleges that offer them.

The Book of Majors 2016 helps students answer these questions: What's the major for me? Where can I study it? What can I do with it after graduation?

Revised and refreshed every year, this book is the most comprehensive guide to college majors on the market. In-depth descriptions of 200 of the most popular majors are followed by complete listings of every major offered at more than 3,800 colleges, including four-year and two-year colleges and technical schools.

The 2016 edition covers every college major identified by the U.S. Department of Education—over 1,200 majors are listed in all. This is also the only guide that shows what degree levels each college offers in a major, whether a certificate, associate, bachelor's, master's or doctorate. The guide features:

• insights—from the professors themselves—on how each major is taught, what preparation students will need, other majors to consider and much more.

• updated information on career options and employment prospects.

• the inside scoop on how students can find out if a college offers a strong program for a particular major, what life is like for students studying that major, and what professional societies and accrediting agencies to refer to for more background on the major.

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"This book will help students ask the right questions . . . and move from 'I like science' or 'I like history' to the majors that are right for them."—Susie Rusk, Counselor, Robert McQueen High School, Reno, Nev.

"The College Board has taken a complex topic and made it seem easy. The descriptions are right on target, and the lists are terrific for matching majors to colleges."—Bill Yarwood, Director of Guidance, Moorestown High School, Moorestown, N.J.
Getting Financial Aid 2016

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"This comprehensive guide explains the entire process from start to finish ... The money you spend on this book may save thousands."—Living with Teenagers magazine

A must-have book in today's economy, Getting Financial Aid 2016 is for parents and students challenged by the cost of college. The all-important FAFSA form is explained with step-by-step instructions, and the College Board's CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE® form is explained by the people who administer it. The guide includes information and advice from experts on how to apply for aid, plus easy-to-compare college profiles giving the "financial aid picture" for more than 3,000 four-year and two-year colleges and technical schools. The guide also shows award amounts and scholarship requirements—no other directory has this level of detail. Completely revised to reflect current federal laws and college policies!
Scholarship Handbook 2016

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"Guides students to legitimate programs where they have a real chance of qualifying."—Educational Dealer

The Scholarship Handbook 2016 provides the most complete and authoritative facts about more than 1.7 million awards, including scholarship, internship and loan programs offered by foundations, charitable organizations, and state and federal government agencies. Every entry is verified by the College Board to be legitimate, up-to-date, accurate and portable to more than one college.

This guide includes a planning calendar and worksheets to organize and keep track of scholarship applications. Indexes help students find programs by eligibility criteria—such as minority status, religious affiliation, state of residence and intended field of study—so they can quickly zero in on scholarships for which they qualify.
International Student Handbook 2016

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"Concise and practical."—American Reference Books Annual

The International Student Handbook 2016 is the only book exclusively for foreign students! It has information on 2,900 colleges, including each school's "international profile."

This guide covers financial aid, Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) requirements, housing availability and special services for international students. It includes step-by-step guidelines on how to prepare for and apply to colleges in the United States, find financial aid and obtain a student visa.

An appendix lists EducationUSA advising centers around the world where students can go locally for assistance and more information. Comprehensive indexes and a detailed glossary of terms will help students find schools that meet their needs.
CLEP Official Study Guide 2016

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The only CLEP guide written by the test maker—complete and up-to-date for all exams

Every year, students save countless hours and dollars by taking advantage of the College Board's CLEP® examinations. CLEP allows students to get college credit by earning a passing score on any of 33 exams covering introductory-level subjects. There are more than 2,900 colleges and universities that will grant credit for CLEP. The CLEP Official Study Guide 2016, developed by the test maker, is the only study resource for all 33 CLEP exams. It includes practice questions for all exams, exam descriptions, and test-taking tips and strategies.

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"A study guide, some practice questions and what you already know can get you college credit in just a few weeks. CLEP saved me a year of college and over $10,000! Thanks CLEP!"—Jeffrey R. Worsham, Student, University of Oklahoma
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