

## BUILDING YOUR LEARNING AND COLLEGE PREP ASSESSMENT

Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. What are some SAT & ACT Test Taking Tips? (*Fill in the blanks*)

- a. Read the \_\_\_\_\_ for each section before the test starts.
- b. Be \_\_\_\_\_. Don't put stray marks on the \_\_\_\_\_.
- c. Ensure you put the answer to the \_\_\_\_\_ question on the answer sheet.
- d. Quickly \_\_\_\_\_ questions you're sure about. Then go back to the more \_\_\_\_\_ questions.
- e. \_\_\_\_\_ answers (in SAT booklet) you know are incorrect.
- f. Review Section B5 on taking \_\_\_\_\_ tests.
- g. If needed, \_\_\_\_\_—Don't leave it blank!
- h. Your first \_\_\_\_\_ is usually correct.
- i. \_\_\_\_\_ your time.
- j. Read the \_\_\_\_\_ & all \_\_\_\_\_ before committing to an answer.
- k. Be \_\_\_\_\_ with the test.

2. TRUE or FALSE (*Circle the correct response*):

The Math section of the SAT focuses on algebra, arithmetic, probability and data analysis, plane geometry, and trigonometry.

3. The Critical Reading section of the SAT focus on what two areas? (*Fill in the blanks*)

- a. S \_\_\_\_\_ (25% of Reading)
- b. R \_\_\_\_\_ (75% of Reading)

4. TRUE or FALSE (*Circle the correct response*):

The Writing and Language section of the SAT focuses on grammar, language usage, and spelling.

5. What subject/section does the ACT have that the SAT does not? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. In what section of the ACT are the types of passages below found? \_\_\_\_\_

Prose Fiction/Literary Narrative  
Social Science  
Humanities  
Natural Science

7. The Science section of the ACT has what three types of questions? (*Fill in the blanks*)

- a. D \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_  
b. R \_\_\_\_\_ S \_\_\_\_\_  
c. C \_\_\_\_\_ V \_\_\_\_\_

8. In what section of the ACT will the questions focus on the areas below? \_\_\_\_\_

comprehension  
sentence structure  
grammar  
punctuation  
usage  
organization  
strategy  
style

9. The eight categories of the Math section of the ACT are (*Fill in the two blanks*):

- a. Number & Quantity  
b. Algebra  
c. Functions  
d. Geometry  
e. Statistics & \_\_\_\_\_  
f. Integrating Essential Skills  
g. \_\_\_\_\_

10. What is the main difference between the optional written essay portion of the SAT vs. the ACT?

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