



## What is the i-Test?

Indicator Test (i-Test) is a diagnostic test created:

- ✓ to provide students an opportunity to “meet” both the SAT and the ACT in one test-taking experience, and
- ✓ to provide students with some preliminary indication of whether they may do better on one test or the other.

Due to regional traditions, many students have exposure to only one test or the other, which does not allow them full opportunity to maximize their scores, which remain an important part of the college application process.

## Why give the i-Test?

In a perfect world, all students would take full-length practice tests for both the ACT and the SAT in order to expose them to both tests, assess their abilities, and steer them in the right direction. However, to give both tests would take around 8 hours total, and is therefore not the most feasible or convenient solution.

The i-Test provides a shorter, more efficient way to provide students with both exposure to the two tests, and a preliminary measure of whether they may do better on one test or the other.

## How is the i-Test created?

The i-Test is not intended to be predictive of a student's scores on either the SAT or the ACT. Instead, it is *comparative*, intended to reveal whether a student may do better on one test or the other.

To make such a comparison, we start with representative SAT and ACT questions written to match the style and content of these tests. All test questions pass through multiple stages of statistical analysis to measure difficulty and to assure item validity. Once we create entire test sections that balance the content and difficulty of those on the real tests, these new sections are given to several hundred students alongside real SAT or ACT tests.

The end result is an abbreviated diagnostic test that, while not completely predictive of an eventual SAT or ACT score, can provide a baseline comparison for students and counselors that can help them make decisions about which test may be better for a given student.

### Which test is right for you?

If you're trying to figure out whether SAT or ACT will suit you, we can help!  
**The Princeton Review Thailand** can provide you a diagnostic report that indicates if you perform significantly better on one test or the other.

Call us now to book your i-Test schedule.  
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