



Prepare for Standardized Tests



In the United States, universities/ college/ schools establish their own admission requirements, including which third-party standardized tests they accept.

Take these exams a year to 18 months before the date you plan to study in the United States since you may want to take them more than once to improve your scores. There are many websites, books, and tutors available for test preparation.

English Language Ability Tests

Being able to communicate in English is a basic requirement for successful graduate study in the United States. If English is not your native language, U.S. colleges and universities will ask you to take an English language proficiency test.

The most common tests of English language ability are:

- 1) Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)
- 2) International English Language Testing System (IELTS)

Admissions Tests

The **GRE (Graduate Record Examinations)** is a standardized test of verbal reasoning, quantitative reasoning, and analytical writing that measures readiness for graduate-level study. This test is taken by students who are applying to postgraduate courses in the US and in some other parts of the world.

The **GMAT (Graduate Management Admission Test)** is a computer adaptive test (CAT), a standardized test for admission to a graduate management program (MBA applicants) that measures basic verbal, mathematical, and analytical writing skills in English that have been developed over time through education and work.

The **MCAT (Medical College Admission Test)** is a standardized, multiple-choice examination that assesses problem solving, critical thinking, writing skills, and

knowledge of science concepts and principles prerequisite to the study of medicine in the United States and Canada.

The **LSAT (Law School Admission Test)** is a standardized test that measures acquired reading and verbal reasoning skills that law schools use as one assessment factor for admission. The LSAT is a half-day, six-part test that contains one thirty-minute writing sample and five thirty-five-minute multiple-choice sections.

The **DAT (Dental Admission Test)** is a multiple-choice test to measure general academic ability, comprehension of scientific information, and perceptual ability, used for admission to Dental schools.



The banner features a group of five diverse students sitting on a lawn, engaged in study. A large, stylized 'USA' logo with an American flag pattern is overlaid on the image. Below the image, the text reads 'Placement Site for Higher Education' and 'Are you Ready?'. At the bottom, there are three circular icons representing a three-step process: 1. 'Select Your Destination CHOOSE' (with a red '1'), 2. 'Get Accepted Apply' (with a green '2'), and 3. 'Let the Journey Begin! Pack' (with a blue '3').

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