

# Scoring Your SAT Practice Test #8

Congratulations on completing an SAT<sup>®</sup> practice test. To score your test, use these instructions and the conversion tables and answer key at the end of this document.

## Scores Overview

The redesigned SAT will provide more information about your learning by reporting more scores than ever before. Each of the redesigned assessments (SAT, PSAT/NMSQT<sup>®</sup>, PSAT<sup>™</sup> 10, and PSAT<sup>™</sup> 8/9) will report test scores and cross-test scores on a common scale. Additionally, subscores will be reported to provide more diagnostic information to students, educators, and parents. For more details about scores, visit [sat.org/scores](https://sat.org/scores).

The practice test you completed was written by the College Board's Assessment Design & Development team using the same processes and review standards used when writing the actual SAT. Everything from the layout of the page to the construction of the questions accurately reflects what you'll see on test day.

## How to Calculate Your Practice Test Scores

### GET SET UP

- 1 You'll need the answer sheet that you bubbled in while taking the practice test. You'll also need the conversion tables and answer key at the end of this document.
- 2 Using the answer key, count up your total correct answers for each section. You may want to write the number of correct answers for each section at the bottom of that section in the answer key.
- 3 Using your marked-up answer key and the conversion tables, follow the directions to get all of your scores.

## GET SECTION AND TOTAL SCORES

Your total score on the SAT practice test is the sum of your Evidence-Based Reading and Writing Section score and your Math Section score. To get your total score, you will convert what we call the “raw score” for each section—the number of questions you got right in that section—into the “scaled score” for that section, then calculate the total score.

### GET YOUR EVIDENCE-BASED READING AND WRITING SECTION SCORE

Calculate your SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing Section score (it’s on a scale of 200–800) by first determining your Reading Test score and your Writing and Language Test score. Here’s how:

- 1 Count the number of correct answers you got on Section 1 (the Reading Test). There is no penalty for wrong answers. The number of correct answers is your raw score.
- 2 Go to Raw Score Conversion Table 1: Section and Test Scores on page 7. Look in the “Raw Score” column for your raw score, and match it to the number in the “Reading Test Score” column.
- 3 Do the same with Section 2 to determine your Writing and Language Test score.
- 4 Add your Reading Test score to your Writing and Language Test score.
- 5 Multiply that number by 10. This is your Evidence-Based Reading and Writing Section score.

**EXAMPLE:** *Sofia answered 29 of the 52 questions correctly on the SAT Reading Test and 19 of the 44 questions correctly on the SAT Writing and Language Test. Using the table on page 7, she calculates that she received an SAT Reading Test score of 27 and an SAT Writing and Language Test score of 23. She adds 27 to 23 (gets 50) and then multiplies by 10 to determine her SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing Section score of 500.*

### GET YOUR MATH SECTION SCORE

Calculate your SAT Math Section score (it’s on a scale of 200–800).

- 1 Count the number of correct answers you got on Section 3 (Math Test – No Calculator) and Section 4 (Math Test – Calculator). There is no penalty for wrong answers.
- 2 Add the number of correct answers you got on Section 3 (Math Test – No Calculator) and Section 4 (Math Test – Calculator).
- 3 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 1: Section and Test Scores to turn your raw score into your Math Section score.

### GET YOUR TOTAL SCORE

Add your Evidence-Based Reading and Writing Section score to your Math Section score. The result is your total score on the SAT Practice Test, on a scale of 400–1600.

## GET SUBSCORES

Subscores provide more detailed information about your strengths in specific areas within literacy and math. They are reported on a scale of 1–15.

### HEART OF ALGEBRA

The Heart of Algebra subscore is based on questions from the Math Test that focus on linear equations and inequalities.

1 Add up your total correct answers from the following set of questions:

- ▶ Math Test – No Calculator: Questions 1–2; 5–6; 10; 13; 18–19
- ▶ Math Test – Calculator: Questions 1; 4; 6–7; 12; 20–21; 25; 27; 32–33

Your total correct answers from all of these questions is your raw score.

2 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 2: Subscores on page 8 to determine your Heart of Algebra subscore.

### PROBLEM SOLVING AND DATA ANALYSIS

The Problem Solving and Data Analysis subscore is based on questions from the Math Test that focus on quantitative reasoning, the interpretation and synthesis of data, and solving problems in rich and varied contexts.

1 Add up your total correct answers from the following set of questions:

- ▶ Math Test – No Calculator: No Questions
- ▶ Math Test – Calculator: Questions 2–3; 10–11; 15–18; 22; 24; 26; 28–29; 31; 34; 37–38

Your total correct answers from all of these questions is your raw score.

2 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 2: Subscores to determine your Problem Solving and Data Analysis subscore.

### PASSPORT TO ADVANCED MATH

The Passport to Advanced Math subscore is based on questions from the Math Test that focus on topics central to the ability of students to progress to more advanced mathematics, such as understanding the structure of expressions, reasoning with more complex equations, and interpreting and building functions.

1 Add up your total correct answers from the following set of questions:

- ▶ Math Test – No Calculator: Questions 3; 7–8; 11–12; 14–17
- ▶ Math Test – Calculator: Questions 8; 13–14; 19; 23; 30; 35

Your total correct answers from all of these questions is your raw score.

2 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 2: Subscores to determine your Passport to Advanced Math subscore.

## EXPRESSION OF IDEAS

The Expression of Ideas subscore is based on questions from the Writing and Language Test that focus on topic development, organization, and rhetorically effective use of language.

- 1 Add up your total correct answers from the following set of questions:
  - ▶ Writing and Language Test: Questions 1–2; 5–6; 9–10; 12; 14–15; 18–19; 22–23; 25; 28–29; 31; 33–34; 36; 38–39; 41; 43Your total correct answers from all of these questions is your raw score.
- 2 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 2: Subscores to determine your Expression of Ideas subscore.

## STANDARD ENGLISH CONVENTIONS

The Standard English Conventions subscore is based on questions from the Writing and Language Test that focus on sentence structure, usage, and punctuation.

- 1 Add up your total correct answers from the following set of questions:
  - ▶ Writing and Language Test: Questions 3–4; 7–8; 11; 13; 16–17; 20–21; 24; 26–27; 30; 32; 35; 37; 40; 42; 44Your total correct answers from all of these questions is your raw score.
- 2 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 2: Subscores to determine your Standard English Conventions subscore.

## WORDS IN CONTEXT

The Words in Context subscore is based on questions from both the Reading Test and the Writing and Language Test that address word/phrase meaning in context and rhetorical word choice.

- 1 Add up your total correct answers from the following set of questions:
  - ▶ Reading Test: Questions 8–9; 12–13; 25; 27; 35; 38; 45; 49
  - ▶ Writing and Language Test: Questions 2; 9; 12; 22–23; 29; 36; 38Your total correct answers from all of these questions is your raw score.
- 2 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 2: Subscores to determine your Words in Context subscore.

## COMMAND OF EVIDENCE

The Command of Evidence subscore is based on questions from both the Reading Test and the Writing and Language Test that ask you to interpret and use evidence found in a wide range of passages and informational graphics, such as graphs, tables, and charts.

- 1 Add up your total correct answers from the following set of questions:
  - ▶ Reading Test: Questions 4; 17; 19; 24; 29; 31; 34; 37; 44; 51
  - ▶ Writing and Language Test: Questions 5–6; 14; 18; 25; 33; 41; 43Your total correct answers from all of these questions is your raw score.
- 2 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 2: Subscores to determine your Command of Evidence subscore.

## GET CROSS-TEST SCORES

The new SAT also reports two cross-test scores: Analysis in History/Social Studies and Analysis in Science. These scores are based on questions in the Reading, Writing and Language, and Math Tests that ask students to think analytically about texts and questions in these subject areas. Cross-test scores are reported on a scale of 10–40.

### ANALYSIS IN HISTORY/SOCIAL STUDIES

1 Add up your total correct answers from the following set of questions:

- ▶ Reading Test: Questions 11–21; 32–41
- ▶ Writing and Language Test: Questions 1–2; 5–6; 9–10
- ▶ Math Test – No Calculator: Question 13
- ▶ Math Test – Calculator: Questions 6; 17; 21–22; 25–26; 34

Your total correct answers from all of these questions is your raw score.

2 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 3: Cross-Test Scores on page 9 to determine your Analysis in History/Social Studies cross-test score.

### ANALYSIS IN SCIENCE

1 Add up your total correct answers from the following set of questions:

- ▶ Reading Test: Questions 22–31; 42–52
- ▶ Writing and Language Test: Questions 34; 36; 38–39; 41; 43
- ▶ Math Test – No Calculator: No Questions
- ▶ Math Test – Calculator: Questions 2; 4; 15–16; 18; 28; 37–38

Your total correct answers from all of these questions is your raw score.

2 Use Raw Score Conversion Table 3: Cross-Test Scores on page 9 to determine your Analysis in Science cross-test score.

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## ANSWER KEY

### Reading Test Answers

|      |      |      |      |      |
|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1 A  | 12 D | 23 D | 34 B | 45 C |
| 2 C  | 13 D | 24 A | 35 C | 46 A |
| 3 C  | 14 A | 25 B | 36 B | 47 D |
| 4 D  | 15 D | 26 D | 37 C | 48 B |
| 5 A  | 16 B | 27 B | 38 D | 49 B |
| 6 D  | 17 C | 28 A | 39 C | 50 B |
| 7 D  | 18 B | 29 D | 40 A | 51 C |
| 8 B  | 19 C | 30 C | 41 D | 52 C |
| 9 C  | 20 A | 31 D | 42 A |      |
| 10 B | 21 C | 32 B | 43 C |      |
| 11 B | 22 A | 33 C | 44 A |      |

READING TEST  
 RAW SCORE  
 (NUMBER OF  
 CORRECT ANSWERS)

### Writing and Language Test Answers

|      |      |      |      |
|------|------|------|------|
| 1 D  | 12 A | 23 A | 34 B |
| 2 B  | 13 D | 24 C | 35 D |
| 3 C  | 14 C | 25 C | 36 A |
| 4 B  | 15 C | 26 A | 37 B |
| 5 D  | 16 A | 27 C | 38 D |
| 6 C  | 17 D | 28 C | 39 B |
| 7 B  | 18 B | 29 B | 40 D |
| 8 C  | 19 D | 30 B | 41 A |
| 9 A  | 20 B | 31 B | 42 D |
| 10 C | 21 B | 32 D | 43 A |
| 11 A | 22 D | 33 D | 44 C |

WRITING AND  
 LANGUAGE TEST  
 RAW SCORE  
 (NUMBER OF  
 CORRECT ANSWERS)

### Math Test – No Calculator Answers

|      |             |
|------|-------------|
| 1 D  | 11 B        |
| 2 A  | 12 D        |
| 3 A  | 13 C        |
| 4 C  | 14 C        |
| 5 B  | 15 D        |
| 6 B  | 16 3        |
| 7 B  | 17 32       |
| 8 D  | 18 1.5, 3/2 |
| 9 A  | 19 8        |
| 10 C | 20 144      |

MATH TEST –  
 NO CALCULATOR  
 RAW SCORE  
 (NUMBER OF  
 CORRECT ANSWERS)

### Math Test – Calculator Answers

|      |      |      |                |
|------|------|------|----------------|
| 1 A  | 11 B | 21 D | 31 102         |
| 2 C  | 12 C | 22 A | 32 2           |
| 3 A  | 13 C | 23 A | 33 30          |
| 4 C  | 14 D | 24 D | 34 25.4, 127/5 |
| 5 B  | 15 D | 25 A | 35 2, 8        |
| 6 D  | 16 B | 26 C | 36 0           |
| 7 C  | 17 A | 27 B | 37 576         |
| 8 B  | 18 C | 28 D | 38 .8, 4/5     |
| 9 D  | 19 A | 29 B |                |
| 10 C | 20 B | 30 B |                |

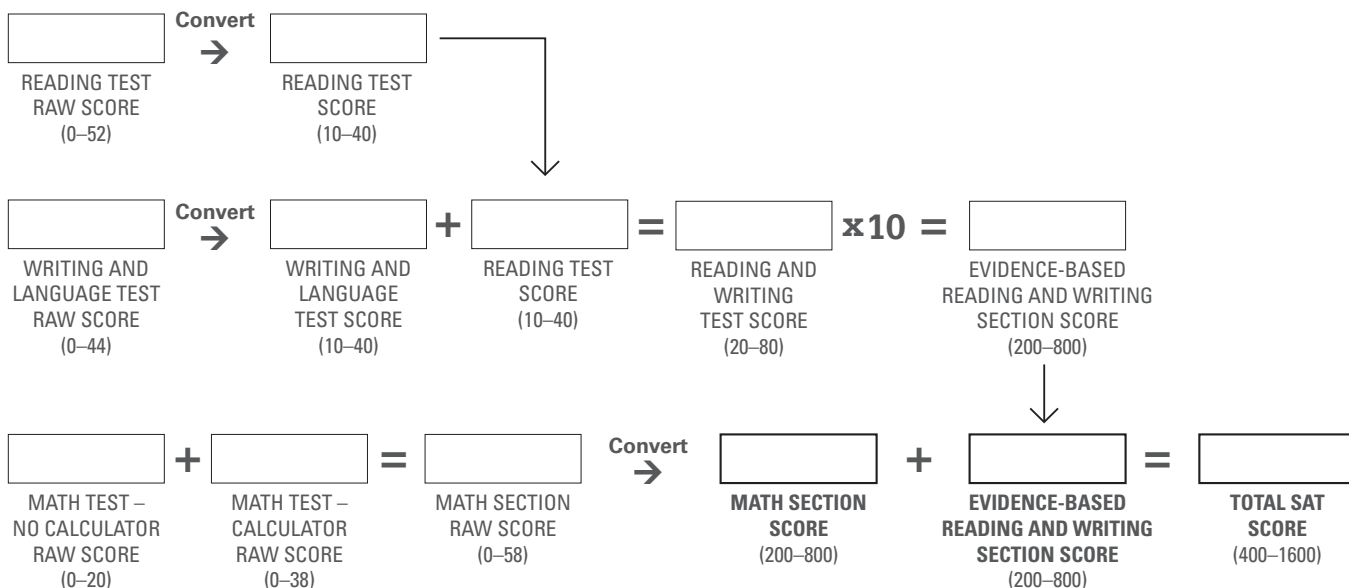
MATH TEST –  
 CALCULATOR  
 RAW SCORE  
 (NUMBER OF  
 CORRECT ANSWERS)

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## RAW SCORE CONVERSION TABLE 1 SECTION AND TEST SCORES

| Raw Score<br>(# of correct answers) | Math Section Score | Reading Test Score | Writing and Language Test Score | Raw Score<br>(# of correct answers) | Math Section Score | Reading Test Score | Writing and Language Test Score |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| 0                                   | 200                | 10                 | 10                              | 30                                  | 550                | 26                 | 29                              |
| 1                                   | 210                | 10                 | 10                              | 31                                  | 560                | 27                 | 29                              |
| 2                                   | 220                | 10                 | 10                              | 32                                  | 570                | 27                 | 30                              |
| 3                                   | 240                | 10                 | 10                              | 33                                  | 580                | 28                 | 31                              |
| 4                                   | 250                | 11                 | 11                              | 34                                  | 580                | 28                 | 31                              |
| 5                                   | 270                | 12                 | 12                              | 35                                  | 590                | 29                 | 32                              |
| 6                                   | 290                | 13                 | 13                              | 36                                  | 600                | 29                 | 33                              |
| 7                                   | 300                | 14                 | 14                              | 37                                  | 610                | 29                 | 33                              |
| 8                                   | 320                | 15                 | 14                              | 38                                  | 620                | 30                 | 34                              |
| 9                                   | 340                | 15                 | 15                              | 39                                  | 630                | 30                 | 35                              |
| 10                                  | 350                | 16                 | 16                              | 40                                  | 640                | 31                 | 36                              |
| 11                                  | 360                | 17                 | 17                              | 41                                  | 650                | 31                 | 37                              |
| 12                                  | 380                | 17                 | 17                              | 42                                  | 660                | 32                 | 38                              |
| 13                                  | 390                | 18                 | 18                              | 43                                  | 670                | 33                 | 39                              |
| 14                                  | 400                | 18                 | 19                              | 44                                  | 680                | 33                 | 40                              |
| 15                                  | 420                | 19                 | 19                              | 45                                  | 680                | 34                 |                                 |
| 16                                  | 430                | 19                 | 20                              | 46                                  | 690                | 35                 |                                 |
| 17                                  | 440                | 20                 | 21                              | 47                                  | 700                | 35                 |                                 |
| 18                                  | 450                | 20                 | 21                              | 48                                  | 710                | 36                 |                                 |
| 19                                  | 460                | 21                 | 22                              | 49                                  | 730                | 37                 |                                 |
| 20                                  | 470                | 21                 | 22                              | 50                                  | 740                | 38                 |                                 |
| 21                                  | 480                | 22                 | 23                              | 51                                  | 750                | 39                 |                                 |
| 22                                  | 490                | 22                 | 24                              | 52                                  | 770                | 40                 |                                 |
| 23                                  | 500                | 23                 | 24                              | 53                                  | 780                |                    |                                 |
| 24                                  | 510                | 23                 | 25                              | 54                                  | 790                |                    |                                 |
| 25                                  | 520                | 24                 | 25                              | 55                                  | 790                |                    |                                 |
| 26                                  | 520                | 24                 | 26                              | 56                                  | 800                |                    |                                 |
| 27                                  | 530                | 25                 | 27                              | 57                                  | 800                |                    |                                 |
| 28                                  | 540                | 25                 | 27                              | 58                                  | 800                |                    |                                 |
| 29                                  | 540                | 26                 | 28                              |                                     |                    |                    |                                 |

## CONVERSION EQUATION 1 SECTION AND TEST SCORES

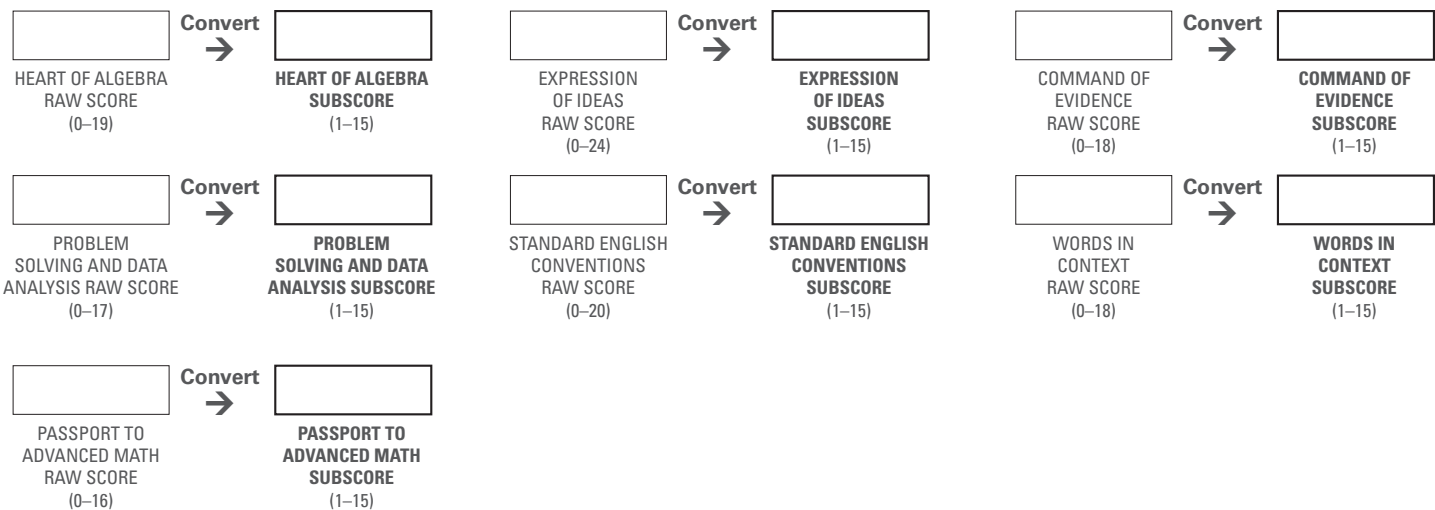


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## RAW SCORE CONVERSION TABLE 2 SUBSCORES

| Raw Score<br>(# of correct answers) | Expression of Ideas | Standard English Conventions | Heart of Algebra | Problem Solving and Data Analysis | Passport to Advanced Math | Words in Context | Command of Evidence |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| 0                                   | 1                   | 1                            | 1                | 1                                 | 1                         | 1                | 1                   |
| 1                                   | 1                   | 1                            | 2                | 1                                 | 3                         | 1                | 3                   |
| 2                                   | 1                   | 1                            | 3                | 2                                 | 5                         | 1                | 4                   |
| 3                                   | 2                   | 2                            | 4                | 3                                 | 6                         | 1                | 5                   |
| 4                                   | 3                   | 3                            | 5                | 5                                 | 7                         | 2                | 5                   |
| 5                                   | 4                   | 3                            | 6                | 6                                 | 8                         | 3                | 6                   |
| 6                                   | 4                   | 4                            | 6                | 7                                 | 8                         | 4                | 6                   |
| 7                                   | 5                   | 5                            | 7                | 8                                 | 9                         | 5                | 7                   |
| 8                                   | 6                   | 5                            | 8                | 9                                 | 10                        | 6                | 7                   |
| 9                                   | 6                   | 6                            | 8                | 10                                | 10                        | 7                | 8                   |
| 10                                  | 7                   | 6                            | 9                | 10                                | 11                        | 8                | 9                   |
| 11                                  | 8                   | 7                            | 9                | 11                                | 12                        | 9                | 9                   |
| 12                                  | 8                   | 8                            | 9                | 12                                | 13                        | 9                | 10                  |
| 13                                  | 9                   | 8                            | 10               | 13                                | 14                        | 10               | 11                  |
| 14                                  | 9                   | 9                            | 11               | 14                                | 15                        | 11               | 11                  |
| 15                                  | 10                  | 10                           | 11               | 14                                | 15                        | 12               | 12                  |
| 16                                  | 10                  | 11                           | 12               | 15                                | 15                        | 13               | 13                  |
| 17                                  | 11                  | 12                           | 13               | 15                                |                           | 14               | 14                  |
| 18                                  | 11                  | 13                           | 14               |                                   |                           | 15               | 15                  |
| 19                                  | 12                  | 14                           | 15               |                                   |                           |                  |                     |
| 20                                  | 13                  | 15                           |                  |                                   |                           |                  |                     |
| 21                                  | 13                  |                              |                  |                                   |                           |                  |                     |
| 22                                  | 14                  |                              |                  |                                   |                           |                  |                     |
| 23                                  | 15                  |                              |                  |                                   |                           |                  |                     |
| 24                                  | 15                  |                              |                  |                                   |                           |                  |                     |

## CONVERSION EQUATION 2 SUBSCORES





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## RAW SCORE CONVERSION TABLE 3 CROSS-TEST SCORES

| Raw Score<br>(# of correct answers) | Analysis in History/<br>Social Studies<br>Cross-Test Score | Analysis in Science<br>Cross-Test Score | Raw Score<br>(# of correct answers) | Analysis in History/<br>Social Studies<br>Cross-Test Score | Analysis in Science<br>Cross-Test Score |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------------------|--|---|
| 0                                   | 10   | 10                                      | 18                                  | 25   | 27                                      |
| 1                                   | 10   | 11                                      | 19                                  | 26   | 28                                      |
| 2                                   | 10   | 12                                      | 20                                  | 27   | 28                                      |
| 3                                   | 11   | 14                                      | 21                                  | 27   | 29                                      |
| 4                                   | 12   | 15                                      | 22                                  | 28   | 30                                      |
| 5                                   | 13   | 16                                      | 23                                  | 29   | 30                                      |
| 6                                   | 14   | 17                                      | 24                                  | 29   | 31                                      |
| 7                                   | 15   | 18                                      | 25                                  | 30   | 31                                      |
| 8                                   | 16   | 19                                      | 26                                  | 31   | 32                                      |
| 9                                   | 17   | 20                                      | 27                                  | 31   | 33                                      |
| 10                                  | 19   | 21                                      | 28                                  | 32   | 33                                      |
| 11                                  | 20   | 21                                      | 29                                  | 33   | 34                                      |
| 12                                  | 21   | 22                                      | 30                                  | 34   | 35                                      |
| 13                                  | 21   | 23                                      | 31                                  | 35   | 36                                      |
| 14                                  | 22   | 24                                      | 32                                  | 36   | 37                                      |
| 15                                  | 23   | 25                                      | 33                                  | 37   | 38                                      |
| 16                                  | 24   | 25                                      | 34                                  | 38   | 39                                      |
| 17                                  | 25   | 26                                      | 35                                  | 40   | 40                                      |

## CONVERSION EQUATION 3 CROSS-TEST SCORES

| Test                      | Analysis in History/Social Studies |           | Analysis in Science           |           |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-----------|
|                           | Questions                          | Raw Score | Questions                     | Raw Score |
| Reading Test              | 11–21; 32–41                       |           | 22–31; 42–52                  |           |
| Writing and Language Test | 1–2; 5–6; 9–10                     |           | 34; 36; 38–39;<br>41; 43      |           |
| Math Test – No Calculator | 13                                 |           | No Questions                  |           |
| Math Test – Calculator    | 6; 17; 21–22;<br>25–26; 34         |           | 2; 4; 15–16; 18;<br>28; 37–38 |           |
| Total                     |                                    |           |                               |           |

