

LATIN MORE THAN A LANGUAGE

GET THE LATIN ADVANTAGE!
 BUILD MUCH STRONGER SKILLS
 WHILE LEARNING A VALUABLE LANGUAGE.
 THE SAT DATA TELLS THE STORY!

WHY LATIN ?

2009 SAT Data for Foreign and Classical Languages

Excerpt of Table 17:

| Ave. of All Languages: | Reading | Math | Writing |
|-------------------------|---------|------|---------|
| | \ | | / |
| Combined Lang.s in AP | 575 | 586 | 572 |
| More Than 4 Years Lang. | 561 | 583 | 560 |
| 4 Years of Language | 554 | 564 | 551 |

COMPARISONS BETWEEN LANGUAGES - WHICH LANGUAGE GIVES YOU THE BEST ADVANTAGE?

Course or Experience in:

| | | | | |
|-----------------|------------|------------|------------|--|
| Chinese | 538 | 610 | 538 | |
| French | 525 | 529 | 517 | |
| German | 537 | 545 | 517 | |
| Greek | 549 | 553 | 542 | |
| Hebrew | 550 | 561 | 552 | |
| Italian | 503 | 511 | 499 | |
| Japanese | 532 | 561 | 516 | |
| Korean | 495 | 600 | 510 | |
| Latin | 561 | 561 | 548 | <i>Latin #1 in Reading Latin #2 in Writing</i> |
| Russian | 506 | 532 | 504 | |
| Spanish | 501 | 511 | 493 | |
| Other Languages | 481 | 510 | 478 | |

WHY IS LANGUAGE STUDY SO IMPORTANT DURING HIGH SCHOOL?

SAT® Data Mean Scores by Subject Area Experience

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Compiled from Tables 15,16,17,18

| Highest Level Course Achieved* | Mean Scores in | Reading | Math | Writing |
|--------------------------------|----------------|---------|------|---------|
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Advanced Placement

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|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|--|
| Calculus (AP) | 569 | 611 | 566 | <i>Top Math scores</i> |
| Combined Lang.s AP | 575 | 586 | 572 | <i>Language AP students top other AP student's in Reading and Writing!</i> |

4 Years in one area of study

| | | | | |
|--|------------|-----|------------|--|
| Foreign Language 4 Years | 554 | 564 | 551 | <i>4 years of LANGUAGE top 4 years in ALL other areas!</i> |
| Math 4 Years | 512 | 524 | 504 | |
| English 4 Years | 511 | 522 | 502 | |
| Sci/Soc.Studies 4 Years | 523 | 536 | 515 | |
| Art-Music-Computers 4 Years | 534 | 536 | 526 | |
| Physics - 4 th year science | 530 | 553 | 523 | |
| <u>Other advanced studies</u> | | | | |
| Chemistry | 513 | 526 | 505 | |
| European History | 543 | 550 | 534 | |
| Acting or Play Production | 541 | 532 | 531 | |

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2009 SAT Subject Tests™ Data

Excerpt from Table 20:

Mean Scores for Students who took BOTH an SAT Subject Test AND the SAT

Compare subject areas:

| | Reading | Math | Writing |
|--|------------|------------|------------|
| English | | | |
| Literature | 599 | 585 | 596 |
| History and Social Studies | | | |
| U.S. History | 604 | 605 | 600 |
| World History | 617 | 615 | 609 |
| Mathematics | | | |
| Mathematics Level 1 | 576 | 615 | 584 |
| Mathematics Level 2 | 598 | 655 | 605 |
| Science | | | |
| Biology-E | 594 | 614 | 595 |
| Biology-M | 617 | 650 | 624 |
| Chemistry | 615 | 674 | 620 |
| Physics | 604 | 692 | 612 |
| Foreign and Classical Languages | | | |
| Chinese/Listening | 564 | 671 | 577 |
| French | 631 | 629 | 638 |
| French/Listening | 635 | 630 | 641 |
| German | 630 | 657 | 642 |
| German/Listening | 625 | 633 | 631 |
| Modern Hebrew | 619 | 638 | 642 |
| Italian | 600 | 592 | 606 |
| Japanese/Listening | 575 | 658 | 586 |
| Korean/Listening | 547 | 667 | 578 |
| Latin | 676 | 669 | 674 |
| Spanish | 557 | 562 | 565 |
| Spanish/Listening | 555 | 558 | 562 |

HOW DOES LATIN MEASURE UP?

IT GIVES YOU THE BEST ADVANTAGE!

Latin #1 in Reading

Latin #1 in Writing

Latin #4 in Math

LATIN



A SOUND INVESTMENT