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

2015 Data for College-Bound Seniors who took both SAT and Subject tests.
DATA TAKEN FROM *COLLEGE BOARD SAT TOTAL GROUP REPORT*, TABLE 19
Academic information - Course-taking patterns
Mean scores for Critical Reading (Verbal) and Writing

	Critical Reading	Writing
Literature	639	634
US History	642	639
World History	650	644
Mathematics Level 1	577	588
Mathematics Level 2	629	638
Biology-M	621	631
Chemistry	630	638
Physics	609	621
Chinese /Listening	596	616
French/Listening	641	646
German/Listening	635	634
Modern Hebrew	628	644
Italian	605	610
Japanese/Listening	588	608
Korean/Listening	578	620
Latin	680	676
Spanish	593	599

LATIN IS #1

LATIN GIVES
YOU THE
ADVANTAGE!!

For students taking BOTH SUBJECT AREA tests and the SAT:
=> Latin ranks #1 among all subjects and languages in Critical Reading
=> Latin ranks #1 among all subjects and languages in Writing

Reading #1   Latin   680   30 points higher than the #2 ranked subject!
                                           39 points higher than the next ranked language!
Writing   #1   Latin   676   32 points higher than the #2 ranked subject!
                                           30 points higher than the next ranked language!

(In 2014, Latin mean was **46 pts higher in Reading** than the next language and **39 points above** the
next subject, and in Writing ranked **39 points higher** than the next language and subject.)

LATIN ✑ A SOUND INVESTMENT

2015 College-Bound Seniors <u>who took the SAT test but not subject area tests</u>
DATA TAKEN FROM *COLLEGE BOARD SAT TOTAL GROUP REPORT, Tables 14-17*
Academic Information - Course-Taking Patterns for students with 4 years of study or AP in a discipline

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Scores for individual languages are not differentiated by level of study but combine all levels in data.
For students from all levels who took the SAT test ONLY:
=> Latin average ranks **#1 among all 11 languages in Critical Reading**!
Reading #1   Latin   560   14 points higher than the #2 ranked language!
=> Latin average ranks (**tied for**) **#1 among all languages in Writing**!
Writing #1   Latin   543   16 points ahead of next ranked score!
(In 2014, Latin ranked #1 in Reading by 19 points and Writing by 6 points)

<=LATIN TOPS
LANGUAGES

LANGUAGE STUDENTS ARE NUMBER ONE AMONG ACADEMIC DISCIPLINES!
=> AP Level Students: World Language students score higher!

	Critical Reading	Writing	
English	554	541	
Mathematics	559	548	
Nat. Sciences	564	551	
Soc. Studies	558	544	
Languages	568	561	Top Scores!

=> 4th Year Level Students: World Language students score higher than other subject area averages!

	Critical Reading	Writing	
English	514	500	
Mathematics	510	497	
Nat. Sciences	522	509	
Soc. Studies	520	506	
Languages	552	544	Top Scores!

DID YOU KNOW? All **Level 2-3 language students show significantly higher gains** in scores for each year of continued study than gains made for taking additional years in any other subject.
For details of Total Group Report see https://securemedia.collegeboard.org/digitalServices/pdf/sat/TotalGroup-2015.pdf

LANGUAGE STUDY
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