

Arts Study *Impacts* SAT Scores

1998 SAT Scores for Students Having Coursework / Experience in Arts

Title of Course	Verbal Mean Scores		Math Mean Scores	
	Iowa	National	Iowa	National
Acting / Play Production	617	543	609	533
Art History / Appreciation	605	518	599	518
Dance	589	513	592	509
Drama Appreciation	608	533	595	522
Music Appreciation	618	537	622	535
Music Performance	610	529	611	530
Photography / Film	601	525	603	524
Studio Art / Design	603	524	606	527
No arts coursework	573	477	598	494
Mean for all students	593	505	601	512

*Data was gathered by the Student Descriptive Questionnaire, a component of the SAT that provides information about students' academic preparation.
Source: The College Board Profile of SAT and Achievement Test Takers for 1998*

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1997 SAT Scores / Course-Taking Patterns

Verbal Mean Scores

Years of Study	Course of Study					
	Arts and Music	Mathematics	English	Natural Sciences	Foreign and Classical Languages	Social Sciences and History
4 or More Years	606	589	596	600	608	594
3 Years	591	571	554	578	587	593
2 Years	586	518	515	540	564	552
1 Year	577	559	567	518	557	519
One-half year or less	569	519	522	523	514	529

Math Mean Scores

Years of Study	Course of Study					
	Arts and Music	Mathematics	English	Natural Sciences	Foreign and Classical Languages	Social Sciences and History
4 or More Years	612	618	610	619	616	604
3 Years	580	554	555	574	598	607
2 Years	609	510	527	517	584	562
1 Year	596	547	583	532	559	531
One-half year or less	596	554	558	559	548	553

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