



SAT PREPARATION COURSE

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

THE "SAT PREP" COURSE IS A 32 -HOUR COURSE WHICH DEVELOPS AN UNDERSTANDING OF GENERAL TEST-TAKING STRATEGIES AND THE SPECIFIC ACADEMIC SKILLS NECESSARY FOR SUCCESS ON THE SAT. OUR APPROACH IS UNIQUE BECAUSE IT INTEGRATES GENERAL INFORMATION IN SMALL GROUP TUTORIALS AND THEN FOCUSES ON STUDENTS' SPECIFIC SKILLS TO ENSURE TARGET RESULTS. OUR SAT PREPARATION COURSE FOCUSES ON VOCABULARY DEVELOPMENT, APPLYING TEST TAKING STRATEGIES UNIQUE TO THE TEST, AND REFINING CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS NECESSARY FOR OPTIMAL TEST RESULTS.

COURSE SYLLABUS:

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| SESSION 1 (1.5 HOURS) | ORIENTATION/BASIC AND ADVANCED PRINCIPLES FOR SUCCESS |
| SESSION 2 (1.5 HOURS) | SENTENCE COMPLETION STRATEGIES |
| SESSION 3 (1.5 HOURS) | READING COMPREHENSION (LONG) STRATEGIES |
| SESSION 4 (1.5 HOURS) | READING COMPREHENSION (SHORT) STRATEGIES |
| SESSION 5 (1.5 HOURS) | VOCABULARY! |
| SESSION 6 (1.5 HOURS) | PRACTICE TESTS: READING SECTION |
| SESSION 7 (1.5 HOURS) | MATH SECTION STRATEGIES AND TECHNOLOGY (CALCULATOR) |
| SESSION 8 (1.5 HOURS) | MATH FUNDAMENTALS / ADVANCED ARITHMETIC |
| SESSION 9 (1.5 HOURS) | ALGEBRA STRATEGIES |
| SESSION 10 (1.5 HOURS) | GEOMETRY STRATEGIES |
| SESSION 11 (1.5 HOURS) | GRID-INS AND MATH REVIEW |
| SESSION 12 (1.5 HOURS) | PRACTICE TESTS: MATH SECTION |

SESSION 13 (1.5 HOURS) GRAMMAR REVIEW

SESSION 14 (1.5 HOURS) THE ESSAY: STRATEGIES

SESSION 15 (1.5 HOURS) PRACTICE TESTS: THE ESSAY

SESSION 16 (4 HOURS) COMPREHENSIVE PRACTICE TEST

INDIVIDUAL SESSIONS (3-5 HOURS) ONE-ON-ONE REVIEW AND ANALYSIS OF ALL PRACTICE TESTS.

STRATEGIES FOR CONTINUED STUDY AND PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT

REQUIRED TEXT:

CRACKING THE SAT: 2009 EDITION NEW YORK: THE PRINCETON REVIEW, 2008

COURSE WILL BE LIMITED TO 6 STUDENTS.

COST \$800 (DOES NOT INCLUDE MATERIALS)