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# Recognition & Equivalence

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Recognition & Equivalence

- British GCSE, IGCSE and GCE O-level are internationally recognized as being equivalent in standard
- It is for individual users of qualifications to define threshold levels of performance for admission/recruitment purposes
Examination Bodies

- HKEAA administers GCE, IGCSE and GCSE on behalf of two UK awarding bodies

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Selected syllabuses and past papers are available for purchase at:

- Online bookstore of the HKEAA
- Publications Unit, HKEAA,
  G/F, 17 Tseuk Luk Street,
  San Po Kong, Kowloon.
Syllabuses/ Past Papers

Full range of syllabuses and past papers are available at the awarding bodies’ websites.

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GCE AS/A-Level
offered by HKEAA

- London GCE A-level: (1 subject) Law
- London GCE AS/A-level: (17 subjects)
  Accounting, Arabic, Biology, Business Studies, Chemistry, Chinese, Economics, General Studies, Geography, Government & Politics, Greek, Japanese, Maths, Further Maths, Pure Maths, Physics and Psychology
GCE AS/A-Level offered by HKEAA

- Cambridge GCE A-level: (9 subjects)
  Accounting, Business Studies, Chinese, Economics, Geography, Maths, Further Maths, Psychology, Sociology
- Cambridge GCE AS-level: (1 subject)
  English Language
IGCSE offered by HKEAA

- London IGCSE: (27 subjects)
  - Accounting, Arabic as First Language, (Art & Design)
  - Fine Art, (A&D)
  - Graphic Design, (A&D)
  - Photography, (A&D)
  - Textiles,
  - Biology, Human Biology,
  - Business Studies,
  - Chemistry, Chinese,
  - Commerce,
  - Economics,
  - English Language, English as a Second Lang.,
  - English Literature,
  - French,
  - Geography,
  - German,
  - History,
  - Maths,
  - Further Pure Maths,
  - Physics,
  - Religious Studies,
  - Science (Double Award),
  - Spanish and Urdu
Cambridge IGCSE: (19 subjects)
Accounting, Biology, Business Studies, Chemistry, Chinese (First Language), Economics, English (First Language), English as a Second Language, Environmental Management, French (Foreign language), Geography, Hindi as a Second Language, History, Literature (English), Maths, Additional Maths, Physics, Religious Studies, Sociology
GCSE Chinese

- HKEAA introduced the GCSE Chinese Examinations of London Examinations in May 2008 upon request of EDB
- Mainly for non-Chinese speaking students
- HKEAA currently has no further plan to offer other GCSE subjects in Hong Kong
Enquiries on GCE/GCSE/IGCSE

- Telephone No.: 3628 8761 / 3628 8787
- Facsimile No.: 3628 8790
- E-mail Address: ie3@hkeaa.edu.hk
- Website: http://www.hkeaa.edu.hk/en/ipe/gce_gcse_igcse/
SAT, ACT and Advanced Placement (AP) Examination
What is the SAT?

- A globally recognized college admission test offered by the College Board since 1920s
- Almost all colleges and universities in the United States use the SAT to make admission decisions
- More than two million students take the SAT every year in over 170 countries
What is the SAT?

- Composed of Reasoning Test (formerly known as SAT 1) and Subject Tests (SAT 2)
- Offered six times a year in October, November, December, January, May and June internationally
SAT in Hong Kong

- HKEAA has been appointed by the College Board to organize SAT in Hong Kong since 2007
- 11 international schools in Hong Kong are holding SAT for their own students
- More than 22,000 candidates took SAT in the exam centres coordinated by the HKEAA in 2009/10
What does SAT test?

- **Reasoning Test** tests students’ knowledge and skills in 3 areas:
  - **Critical reading**: incl. reading passages and sentence completions
  - **Writing**: incl. a short essay and M.C. questions on identifying error, improving grammar and usage
  - **Maths**: incl. questions on arithmetic operations, algebra, geometry, statistics and probability
What does SAT test?

- Subject Tests are content-based, designed to measure students' knowledge and skills in particular subject areas.
- 20 SAT Subject Tests in five general subject areas: English, history, languages, maths and science.
- 6 foreign languages (Chinese, Japanese, French, Korean, German and Spanish) with listening tests offered in every November.
Registration

- Sign up your personal account at http://sat.collegeboard.com/register
Registration

Available test centres will be shown for registration
Registration

More information about the test centres at HKEAA

SAT website: http://www.hkeaa.edu.hk/tc/ipc/SAT
Registration

- Chinese address of the exam centre, location map and suggested transportation are provided

**SAT May 2011 年 5 月**

* 以下资料仅供考生知悉考场位置
  Centre information is ONLY for helping test takers to locate their test centres.
* **警告：** 考生及其代表，切勿联络考场，切勿于试前要求进入考场，以上情况可能导致「取消考场」
  Warning! Candidates and their representatives MUST NOT contact test centres, AND MUST NOT visit test centres before the test. Doing so may result in CENTRE CANCELLATION
* 查询 Enquiries: [tsa1@hkeaa.edu.hk](mailto:tsa1@hkeaa.edu.hk)

**天主教南华中学**

**Nam Wah Catholic Secondary School**

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Exam Fees

- **Registration fees in 2010/11**
  - SAT 1: US$47 + US$28 international fee
  - SAT 2: US$21 + US$10 each subject (Language test with Listening US$21) + US$28 international fee

- 4 score reports included in the registration fee
- Test Change additional fee: US$24
- Standby additional fee: US$41
## Coming Test Dates

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Resources

● **The SAT Practice Test and Getting Ready for the SAT Subject Tests** practice booklets

- The SAT Practice Test
- Getting Ready for the SAT Subject Tests

Use the answer sheet insert, or fill out your answers online to receive a free score report at www.collegeboard.com/practice.

Look inside for information on all 20 SAT Subject Tests, official sample questions, test-taking strategies, calculator tips, and more.

Strengthen your college admission portfolio with SAT Subject Tests. Visit www.collegeboard.com/subjecttests for more online practice and information.
What is AP Exam?

- A globally recognized exam offered by the College Board with a history of 50 years
- Students who take AP exams are immersed in university-level learning while still in secondary school
- With qualifying AP exam scores, students can earn credit, advanced placement or both at the majority of colleges and universities in North America
What is AP Exam?

- Over 3,600 universities in more than 60 countries outside the United States, including top-notch UK universities, recognize AP results in the admission process.

- Test dates in 2011:
  - Regular AP exam: 2-6, 9-13 May 2011
  - Late-testing: 18-20 May 2011
## What is AP Exam?

- All 33 AP exams are offered in Hong Kong:

### Arts
- Art History
- Music Theory
- Studio Art: Drawing Portfolio
- Studio Art: 2-D Design Portfolio
- Studio Art: 3-D Design Portfolio

### English
- English Language and Composition
- English Literature and Composition

### History & Social Sciences
- Comparative Government and Politics
- European History
- Human Geography
- Macroeconomics
- Microeconomics
- Psychology
- United States Government and Politics
- United States History
- World History

### Mathematics & Computer Science
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC
- Computer Science A
- Statistics

### Sciences
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Environmental Science
- Physics B
- Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism
- Physics C: Mechanics

### World Languages
- Chinese Language and Culture
- French Language
- German Language
- Japanese Language and Culture
- Latin: Vergil
- Spanish Language
- Spanish Literature
AP Exam in Hong Kong

- HKEAA has been appointed by the College Board to organize AP exam in Hong Kong since 2009
- Over 750 candidates taking 2,400 AP subject exams in 2010 at HKEAA
Registration in Hong Kong

- Register and pay the exam fees through the HKEAA
- Online registration and payment at http://www2.hkeaa.edu.hk
Exam fees in Hong Kong

- Regular AP exam: HK$1,400 per subject
- Late-testing: HK$2,000 per subject (HK$1,700 per subject if the candidate is entering for two or more AP subjects at the same time, or has timetable conflict with local public exam)

Registration for Examination
2011 Advanced Placement (AP) Examinations

Transaction Enquiry. (Only for applicants who paid through Visa / MasterCard)

Registration for examination is a simple process

Step 1: Select examination and read the relevant "Note to Applicants"
Step 2: Input Personal Particulars
Step 3: Settle the Payment

Submitting applications online
You should
- read and understand the "Note to Applicants"
- pay the examination fees using one of the following channels
  - through Visa / MasterCard

VISA
Resources

- **AP Credit Policy of different colleges and universities:**
  www.collegeboard.com/ap/creditpolicy

- **More AP exam information and resources:**
  http://apcentral.collegeboard.com/coursehomepages
Resources

- Bulletin for AP Students and Parents 2010-11
- HKEAA AP Exam 2011 – Notes to Applicants
Seminar on AP, SAT and PSAT/NMSQT for parents and students

Date: January 15, 2011 (Saturday)
Time: 2:30 p.m.
Venue: HKEAA, 17 Tseuk Luk Street, San Po Kong, Kowloon
Medium: English language
Guest speaker: Dr Bo Wang, Vice-president, College Board

* A copy of The Official SAT Study Guide™ will be distributed free of charge to each registered participant
What is the ACT?

- A widely accepted college entrance exam in the United States for entry into undergraduate study programs
- A curriculum-based examination, which is made up of four M.C. tests in English, maths, reading, and science
- The ACT Plus Writing includes the four subject area tests plus a 30-minute writing test
What is the ACT?

- Many universities that require SAT Subject Tests will fully or partially waive that requirement for ACT examinees.
- Offered five times a year in October, December, February (writing test is not offered), April and June internationally.
- HKEAA is appointed by the ACT Inc. to organize ACT in Hong Kong from 2010.
Registration

- Sign up your personal account at http://www.actstudent.org
Registration

More information about the test centres at HKEAA

ACT website: http://www.hkeaa.edu.hk/tc/ipe/ACT
Exam Fees

- Registration fees in 2010/11
  - No writing: US$33 + US$26 international fee
  - Plus writing: US$48 + US$26 international fee
- 4 score reports included in the registration fee
- Test Change additional fee: US$20
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Resources

- **Preparing for the ACT** practice booklet and registration flyer can be downloaded at [http://www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org)
SAT and ACT scores are comparable

Concordance table of SAT and ACT scores:
http://www.act.org/aap/concordance/

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Enquiries on SAT, ACT and AP

- HKEAA
  Tel: 3628 8181 (SAT) / 3628 8191 (AP/ACT)
  Email: tsa1@hkeaa.edu.hk
TOEFL
Test of English as a Foreign Language
What will TOEFL test you?

Measures the ability of non-native English speakers to communicate in English in an academic setting.

1. Reading
2. Listening
3. Speaking
4. Writing
How is the test delivered?

- The test is delivered via the Internet at secure, ETS-approved test centres.
- Emphasizes integrated skills which require you to combine more than one skill:
  - Read, listen, and then speak in response to a question
  - Listen, and then speak in response to a question
  - Read, listen, and then write in response to a question
Examination Schedule

- TOEFL is offered 4 to 6 times a month
- Mostly conducted during weekends
How to register for TOEFL?

- Online registration
  
  Website: [www.ets.org/toefl](http://www.ets.org/toefl)

- Telephone registration
  
  60-3-7628-3333

- Mail-in registration through Regional Registration Centre
  
  Prometric, PO Box 12964, 50794 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Scores and Score Reporting

- Up to 4 official score reports
- The exam body will send directly to the institutions or agencies the candidate designate when registering for the test.
You will receive four section scores and a total score:

- Reading (0-30)
- Listening (0-30)
- Speaking (0-30)
- Writing (0-30)
- Total Score (0-120)

Performance feedback
Enquiries on TOEFL

- HKEAA
  
  Tel: 3628 8731
  
  Email: ie4@hkeaa.edu.hk
中華人民共和國普通高等學校
聯合招收華僑港澳地區
及臺灣省學生考試

2011年1月9日
簡介 (1)

- 為港澳臺考生投考中國內地高等院校就讀的入學考試
- 考試一般於每年5月下旬舉行
- 報考地點有北京、上海、福建、廣州、香港及澳門
- 約有200多所高等院校可供選擇
  - 熱門選擇：中山大學、暨南大學、武漢大學、深圳大學、廣州大學等
簡介 (2)

• 科目類別分為：

  文史類：
  中文、英語、數學、地理及歷史

  理工農醫類：
  中文、英語、數學、物理及化學

  （各科滿分為150分，即各科目類別總分為750分。）
報名資格 (1)

• 香港區考生：
  • 持香港永久性居民身份證或
  • 香港非永久性居民身份證和
  • 《港澳居民來往內地通行證》（俗稱“回鄉卡”）

• 臺灣地區考生：持大陸《臺灣居民來往通行證》

• 華僑考生：必須在內地報名考試
  • 所持證件必須為有效的身分證明文件
報名資格 (2)

- 完成香港註冊中學已註冊的中六課程（或內地／臺灣高中三年級）或以上學歷。
  - 如現正就讀以上課程，必須繳交由校方蓋印及校長加簽的在學證明文件。
- 須符合個別招生學校或專業對考生身體條件的特殊要求。
報名資訊

• 分為兩部分：
  • 網上預報名(3月初至3月中)
  • 確認報名(3月中至3月底)
所有考生必須於指定時間內完成兩部分報名

• 考試費用：港幣550元（2010年）
報名資訊－網上預報名

- 須先自行登入[www.ecogd.edu.cn](http://www.ecogd.edu.cn)
- 輸入個人資料及學歷，以及須要選擇考試地點（香港／九龍）、考卷使用的字體（繁體／簡體）、院校及學系等
- 預報名後，考生**須牢記自己的密碼**，作爲日後登入聯招辦網站查閱個人檔案、成績、錄取情況時使用

注意：
- 考生隨後必須於指定日期到預報名所選的考試地點辦理現場確認手續
- 報名一經確認，所有資料（包括考試地點、選報學校、學科等）不能再作修改
報名資訊－確認報名

已於網上預報名的香港考生（考試地點選擇香港或九龍）須攜備下列有關證件，親往香港考試及評核局新蒲崗辦事處、指定的中國旅行社分社或京港學術交流中心辦理確認報名手續：

1. 有效的身份證明文件正副本；
2. 中四、中五及中六（或高一、高二及高三）各學年學業成績表正副本；
3. 現正就讀由香港註冊中學提供已註冊的中六課程（或內地／臺灣高中的高三）證明文件正副本；
4. 彩色近照兩張；
5. 由報名網頁打印出來的預報名表（需加考生簽名確認）。

注意事項：
- 所有考生必須親自前往報名點辦理確認手續，郵遞確認報名一概不予受理。
報考藝術、體育等院校

- 報考藝術、音樂、體育、舞蹈、電影等院校的考生，還需參加專業考試
- 考生應及早直接與報考的院校聯繫
- 經考評局代辦的專業考試的院校
  - 廣州美術學院
  - 汕頭大學長江藝術與設計學院
考試成績及錄取

- 約6月下旬開始錄取工作，由聯招辦組織，實行網上錄取。
- 招生學校在最低錄取控制線之上根據考生志願、考試成績及各校的不同要求，擇優錄取新生。
- 考生可以預報名時設定的密碼登入聯招辦網站（網址：www.ecogd.edu.cn）查詢成績及錄取情況。
- 被錄取考生將收到《新生入學通知書》
刊物

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