

The SAT[®] Program Fee-Waiver Service

The SAT[®] Program Fee-Waiver Service is designed to assist students for whom payment of fees for the SAT Reasoning Test[™] or SAT Subject Tests[™] might be a barrier to college entrance. The Fee-Waiver Service has been waiving test fees for students from families with low incomes for nearly 40 years.

During the past two years, the number of students receiving SAT fee waivers has increased by 76,000, or 31 percent. Last year alone, SAT Reasoning Test fees for nearly 324,000 eligible students were paid by the College Board, meaning that the College Board paid the fee for one out of every nine students. This represents more than \$13 million in fee waivers for eligible students. When the 38,000 fee waivers for SAT Subject Tests are included, this figure rises to \$15 million.

The SAT Program Fee-Waiver Service involves more than simply waiving the test fee. Eligible students also receive, at no cost, either the Question-and-Answer Service (QAS) or the Student Answer Service (SAS). Both QAS and SAS provide students with individualized feedback on their test performance. Students who register online with a fee waiver are also eligible for a substantial discount on *The Official SAT Online Course*[™].

In addition, eligible students can receive up to four Request for Waiver of College Application Fee forms, which can save a student hundreds of dollars in the college-application process. More than 1,800 institutions participate in the SAT Program Fee-Waiver Service.

This year marks the first time a fee-waiver-eligible student will be able to send up to four additional score reports to colleges at no cost, and those score reports can be ordered at any time. This is in addition to the four score reports that all SAT takers can order at no charge as part of their registration. (Only four Flexible Score Reports for Fee-Waiver Eligible Students can be used, regardless of the number of times a student registers.)

More information on the SAT Program Fee-Waiver Service is available at **www.collegeboard.com**.