

# ACT SCORE RANGES

	COMBINED SCORE	INDIVIDUAL SCORES
<p><b>Top Scores</b> put students in the top 10% of all test takers</p>	28–36	<p><b>Science:</b> 27–36  <b>Reading:</b> 30–36  <b>Math:</b> 28–36  <b>English:</b> 29–36</p>
<p><b>Competitive Scores</b> put students in the top 25% of all test takers</p>	24–27	<p><b>Science:</b> 24–36  <b>Reading:</b> 25–29  <b>Math:</b> 24–27  <b>English:</b> 24–28</p>
<p><b>Above Average Scores</b> put students in the top half of test takers, but won't be as advantageous when applying to highly competitive programs</p>	20–23	<p><b>Science:</b> 21–25  <b>Reading:</b> 21–28  <b>Math:</b> 20–23  <b>English:</b> 20–23</p>
<p><b>Below Average Scores</b> put students below average compared to the testing population (may be enough to get into a wide variety of college programs)</p>	20 or lower	<p><b>Science:</b> 20 or lower  <b>Reading:</b> 20 or lower  <b>Math:</b> 19 or lower  <b>English:</b> 19 or lower</p>