

## UCAS ACT Prep Guide

You will take the Classic ACT in March of 2026. Core Required Sections:


- **English:** 75 questions, 45 minutes (5 passages → ~15 questions each)
- **Math:** 60 questions, 60 minutes (no passages)
- **Reading:** 40 questions, 35 minutes (4 passages → 10 questions each)
- **Science:** 40 questions, 35 minutes (6–7 passages → 5–7 questions each)

Your Composite Score is based on English, Math, Reading, and Science.

### Free ACT Prep Tools:

**1 •Shmoop ACT Test Prep** (UCAS-provided access in Utah)

Fun, interactive lessons, drills, and practice exams.

 <https://solutions.shmoop.com/utah> (Create a new account with Magic Word: FRYSAUCE)

**2 •March2Success** (Powered by Peterson's Test Prep)

Full-length practice tests, flashcards, and lessons.

 <https://www.march2success.com/>

**3 •Number2.com**

Classic adaptive prep with free practice questions and explanations.

 <http://www.number2.com/>

**4 •Khan Academy**

While SAT-focused, great overlap for ACT math, grammar, and reading.

 <https://www.khanacademy.org/test-prep/sat>

**5 •Varsity Tutors**

Free practice tests and diagnostic quizzes with explanations.

 <https://www.varsitytutors.com/act-practice-tests>

**6 •PrepScholar Free ACT Tests**

Downloadable practice tests with answer explanations.

 <https://www.prepscholar.com/act/s/free-act-practice-tests>

**7 •McGraw-Hill ACT Practice Test (PDF)**

Full-length official-style ACT exam.

 <https://www.mhpracticeplus.com/act-practice-test>

### Free YouTube Channels for ACT Prep:

- **SuperTutorTV** – In-depth strategies and walkthroughs
- **Magoosh ACT** – Short, focused lessons
- **PrepScholar ACT** – Test tips and breakdowns
- **Scalar Learning** – ACT Math & English tutorials
- **CrackACT** – Practice problems with explanations

Create a plan of daily or weekly study to prepare for taking the ACT in March of 2026. A good plan means setting aside regular time each week (2–4 hours total) to practice English, Math, Reading, and Science. Break your study into short sessions—like one subject a day or a few longer sessions each week. Take a full practice test once a month to check your progress. Consistency is more important than cramming at the end.