

James Madison University - Fact Book 2022

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Admissions: First-time Freshmen - Average SAT Scores

Average SAT Scores for the Incoming Class of 2022		
Average SAT Combined Score	Average SAT ERW	Average SAT Math
1230	631	599

Average SAT Scores by Gender			
	Average SAT Combined Score	Average SAT ERW	Average SAT Math
Men	1261	642	620
Other/Another			
Unknown/Unreported			
Women	1183	615	568

Fall/Spring Cohort	SAT Number of Students Reporting	Average SAT ERW	Average SAT Math	Average SAT Combined Score
Fall 2018	3,341	612	599	1210
Fall 2019	2,765	610	597	1207
Fall 2020	2,518	608	591	1198
Fall 2021	1,231	623	604	1227
Fall 2022	47	631	599	1230

Source: JMU Official SCHEV Fall Cohort Data, College Board: 2022 SAT Suite of Assessments Annual Report - Virginia & Total Group

Note:

- Beginning with Fall 2022 mandated reporting, SCHEV has updated gender reporting policies to include "other/another" and "unknown/unreported". JMU will begin reporting the following values in all official data:
 - "Men" or "Women": Students who self-identify as having a single binary gender identity.
 - "Other/Another": Students who self-identify as having a gender identity that does not fall into either of the mutually exclusive binary categories provided (i.e., men or women). Includes students who identify as nonbinary and transgender.
 - "Unknown/Unreported": Students who do not self-report a gender (i.e., missing data or does not know a gender)

Effective with the fall 2018 first-time, first-year entering class, JMU will no longer require the SAT to be submitted with a student's application. Also, JMU does not use the Essay score in its admissions criteria and those data are not published.

Starting Fall 2017, data reflect the new SAT performance scores.

National SAT Averages - Class of 2022

Evidence-based Reading & Writing = 529 | Math = 521 | Combined = 1050

Virginia SAT Averages - Class of 2022

Evidence-based Reading & Writing = 572 | Math = 552 | Combined = 1124