

# 2019-20 PSAT™ 10 Test Day Schedule

*(ISBE-sponsored for grade 10)*

Activity	Time	Description
Administrative Activities	30 minutes	Distribute test materials, provide test instructions, and read the test script aloud.

## Testing Begins

Total Testing Time: not including breaks = 2 hours, 45 minutes (including breaks and administrative activities = 3 hours, 25 minutes)

Section	Time	Number of Questions/Prompts	Passage Word Count
Reading Test	60 minutes	47 multiple-choice questions (4 answer options)	500-750 words per passage or paired set
Break: 5 Minutes			
Writing and Language Test	35 minutes	44 multiple-choice questions (4 answer options)	400-450 words per passage
Math Test-No Calculator	25 minutes	17 questions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Multiple-choice (4 answer options)</li> <li>• Student-produced response (SPR; grid-in)</li> </ul>	N/A
Break: 5 Minutes			
Math Test-Calculator*	45 minutes	31 questions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Multiple-choice (4 answer options)</li> <li>• Student-produced response (SPR; grid-in)</li> </ul>	N/A

\* PSAT 10 Calculator Policy: <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/psat-nmsqt-psat-10/taking-the-tests/test-day-checklist/approved-calculators>