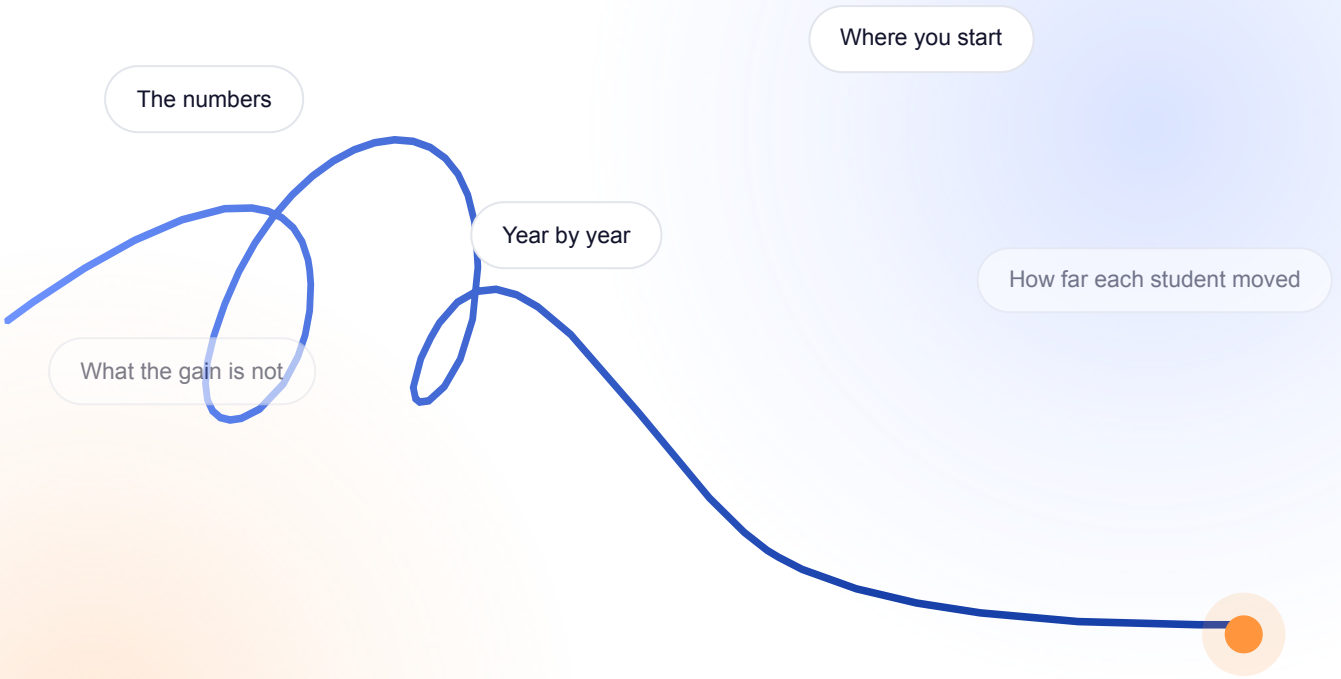


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The TestPrep Effect, measured on the SAT

+164 points, the average gain.

The full report. Every result on our official SAT results sheet, read four ways: the gain, where students started, each year on its own, and how far each student moved.

FROM THE FIRST DIAGNOSTIC TO THE OFFICIAL SAT

01 Day one
The TestPrep diagnostic

02 The course
Lessons, checks, full tests

03 Official SAT
The score sent to us

THE RECORD	YEARS	ISSUED
238 results	2023 · 2025 · 2026	22 October 2026

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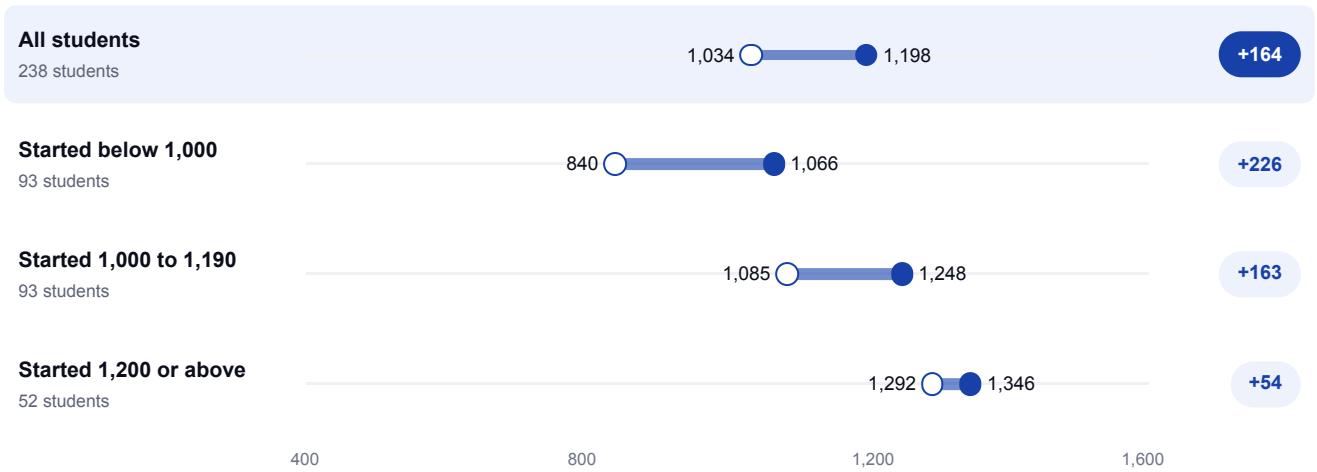
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scored higher on the official SAT

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the average official score, up from 1,034 on day one

WHERE STUDENTS STARTED, AND WHERE THEY FINISHED

TESTPREP DIAGNOSTIC · OFFICIAL SAT · AVERAGES, OUT OF 1600



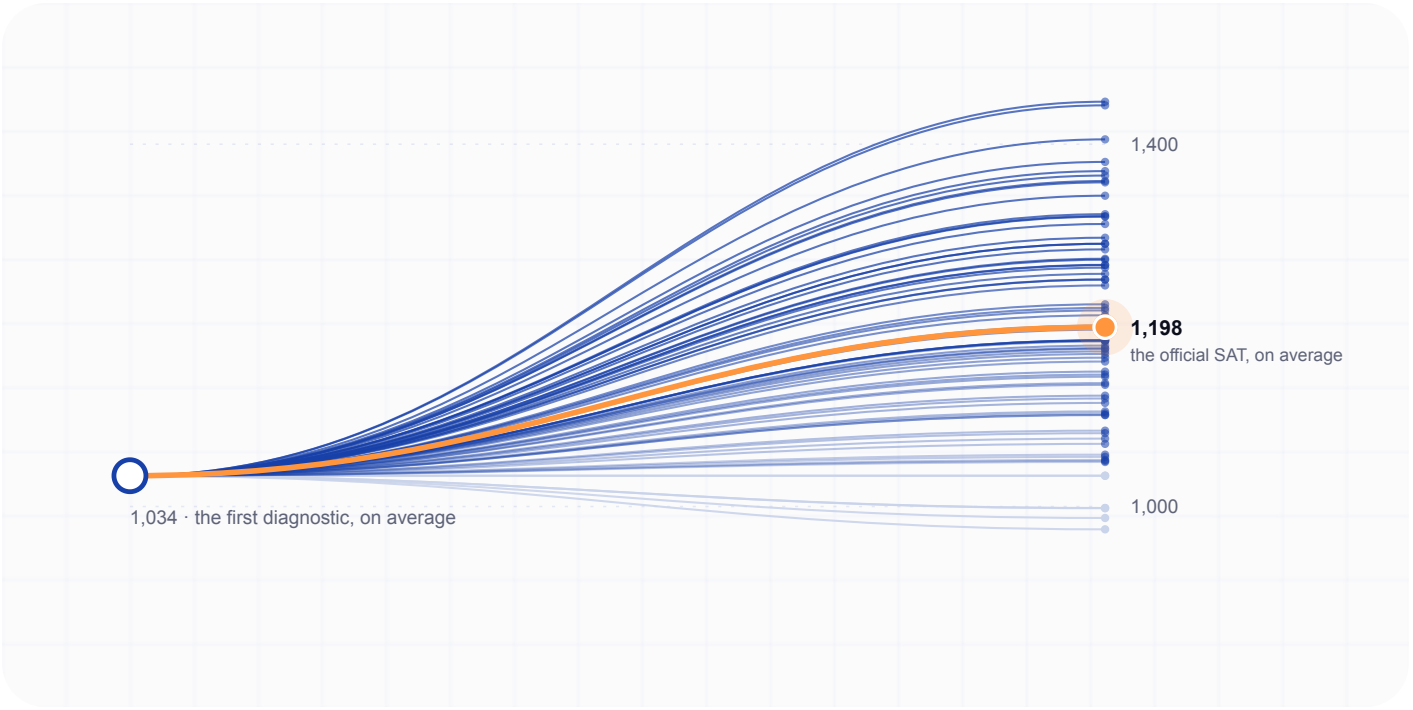
WHAT THE RESULTS SHOW

The diagnostic tells us where a student starts. The official SAT tells us where they finished. The Effect is the distance between the two.

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About the numbers. 238 students with a TestPrep diagnostic and an official SAT score on record, 2023, 2025 and 2026, from records last updated on 27 October 2026. Gains are averages; the median gain is 150 points. Every result on our official SAT results sheet with both scores counts, the official score against the diagnostic beside it, and the students who did not move up are in every average.



Two scores for every student.

The TestPrep diagnostic they sit on day one, before any teaching. The official SAT they send us afterwards.

The distance between the two is the TestPrep Effect.



A class working through an official SAT practice question at the Hamra centre.

The TestPrep community · Hamra, Beirut

The numbers

Across 2023, 2025 and 2026: 238 students.

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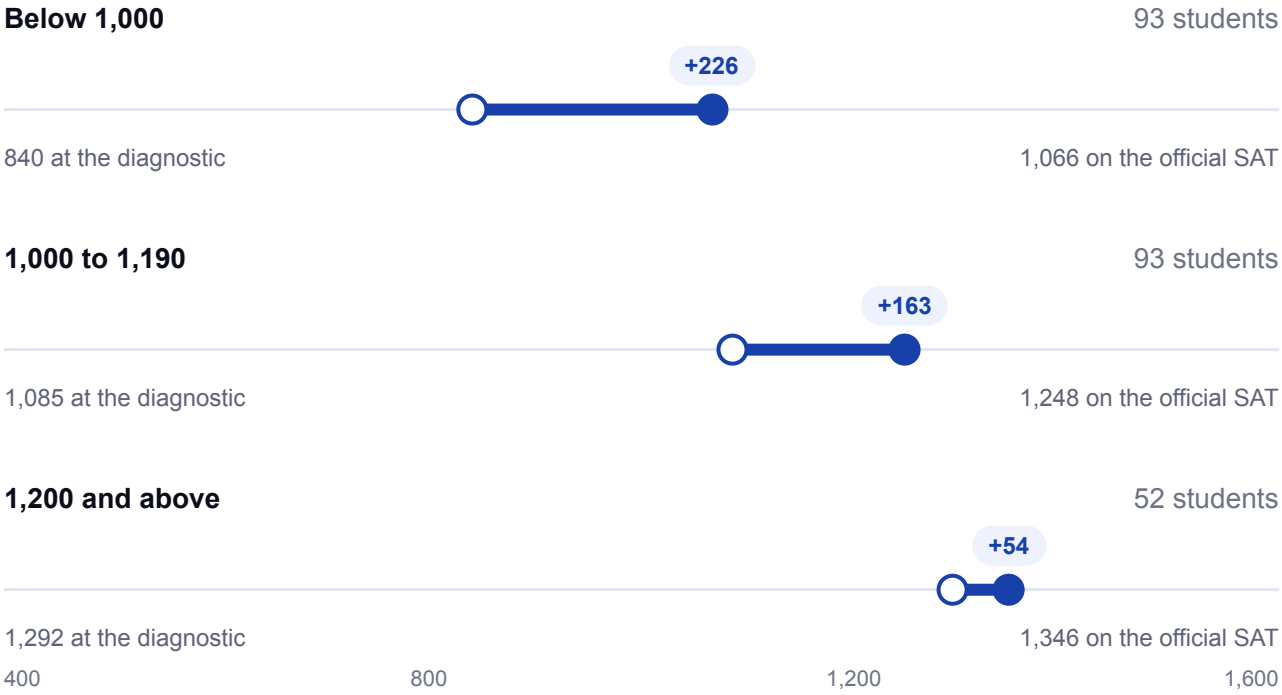
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students finished at 1,400 or above

- The average moved from **1,034** on day one to **1,198** on the official SAT.
- **70%** gained 100 points or more. **37%** gained 200 or more.
- The median sits close to the average, so the gain is not carried by a few big jumps.

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Where you start

The same students, by their score on the first diagnostic.



Average scores by where students started: the first TestPrep diagnostic (ring) to the official SAT (dot).

Below 1,000

+226 points on average. 92 of 93 scored higher.

Marks are lost on things teaching fixes quickly: algebra steps, the grammar rules the test keeps asking about, pacing, the format itself. There is a lot to recover, so the score rises fast.

1,000 to 1,190

+163 points on average. 88 of 93 scored higher.

The foundations hold. The plan goes to the few skills that still cost the most marks.

1,200 and above

+54 points on average. 39 of 52 scored higher.

The easy marks are already in hand. What remains is the harder module, the dense passages, the last questions in each section. Each point costs more.

So a gain is always read against where it started. 54 points from 1,292 is different work from 226 points from 840.



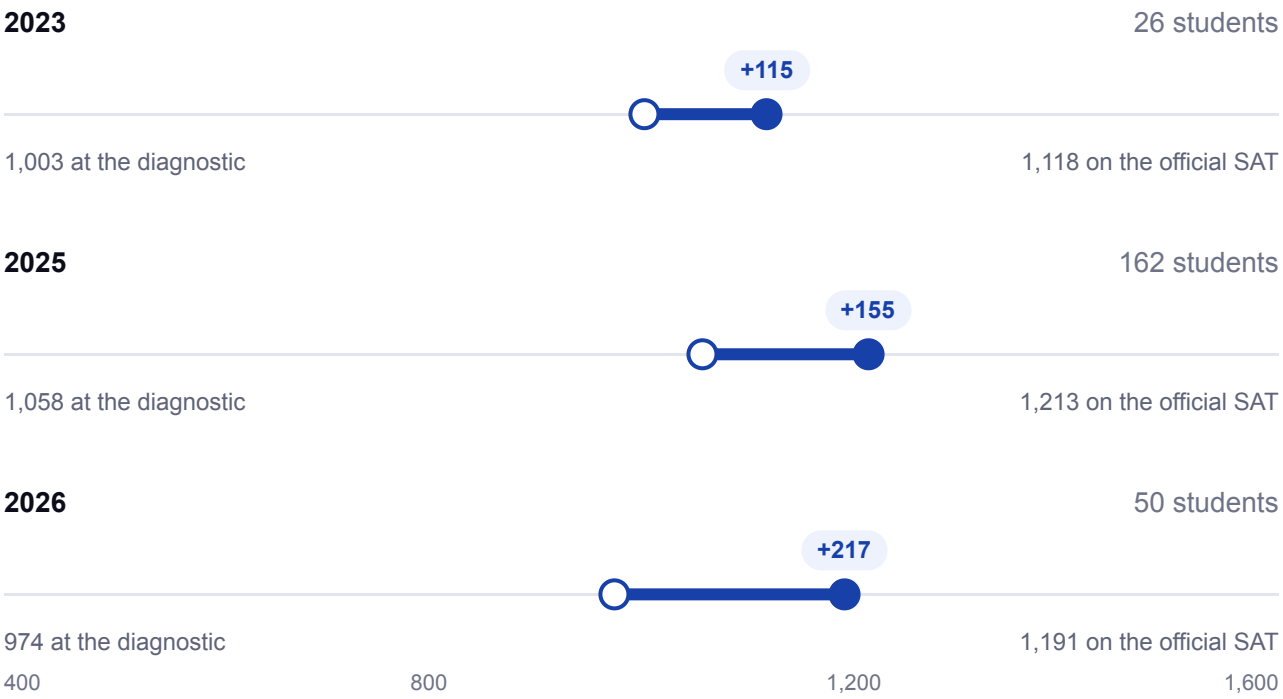


Lessons at the Hamra centre, in groups built by level from the diagnostic.

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Year by year

One average hides a lot. Here is each year on its own.

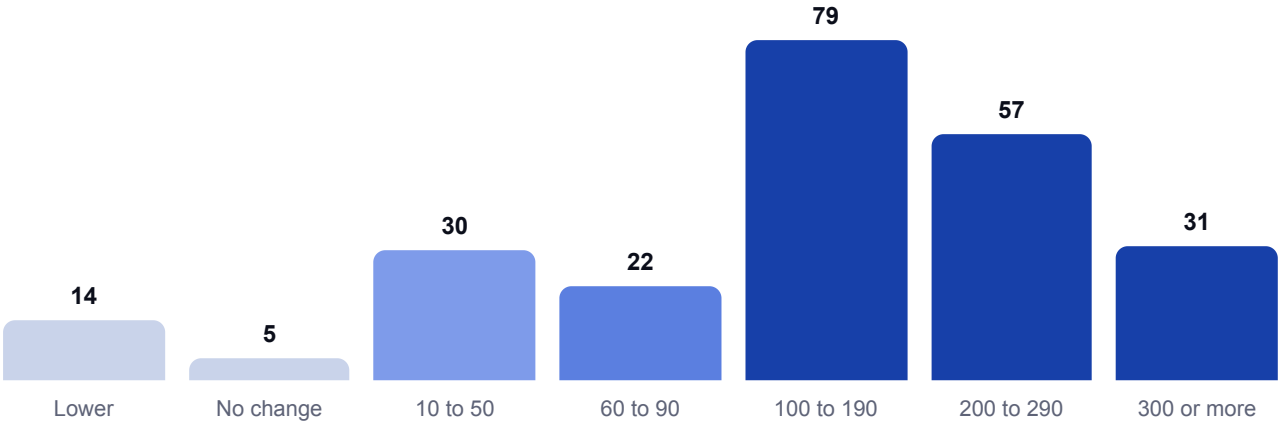


Average scores by the year of the official SAT: the first TestPrep diagnostic (ring) to the official SAT (dot).

- **2025:** 162 students, +155 points on average. Our headline, 150+ points on average in one cohort, describes this group.
- **2026:** 50 students so far, +217. The group is still growing as official scores come in.
- **2023:** 26 students, +115. A small group, so a few results move its average.

Across every year together, the average is +164.

How far each student moved



Students by points gained, from the first TestPrep diagnostic to the official SAT. The two grey bars are the students who did not move up.

Each bar counts the students whose official SAT was that many points above their first diagnostic.

Most gained 100 points or more. Some gained far more.

19 students scored the same or lower. They stay in every average on this site. A record that kept only the good results would not be worth reading.



Students at the Hamra centre, by the Wall of Memories.

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06 · THE TESTPREP EFFECT

What the gain is not

Not a promise. Students start in very different places, and where you start matters.

Not a selection. The record holds every student who sent us an official score, whatever that score was.

READ NEXT

How Elmy measures the distance

Where each of these scores is taken, and how the platform behind TestPrep keeps the record.

Read the story ↗

How each number is counted, and who is left out and why, is its own post: How we count.

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Belief in the student. That is the TestPrep difference.

DISCOVER THE FAMILY

The same thinking, everywhere students grow

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