# College Board's Student Achievement Report 2010-2011

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# College Board

- Not-for-profit
- Excellence and Equity in Education
- Connect students to college success & opportunity
- Member since 1987
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  - Cathy Seward, Executive Director of AP

## College Board Honors

Oklahoma Educator Recognized in 2011

- Shirley Collins, AP Award Winner Jenks High School Counselor
- AP Achievement for Significant Gains in AP Access & Student Performance
- Miami Public Schools
- Oklahoma City Public Schools

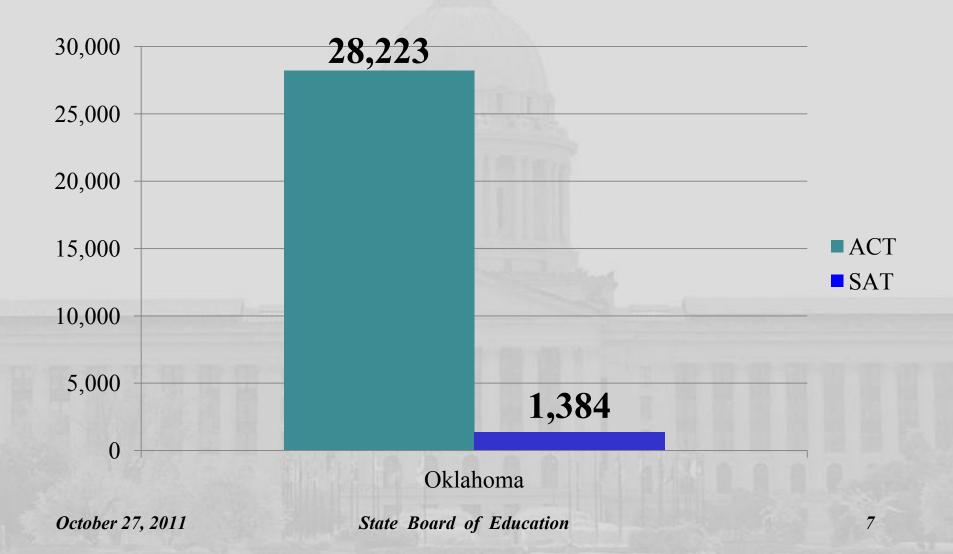
# College Board Exams

- SAT®
- PSAT/NMSQT®
- AP®

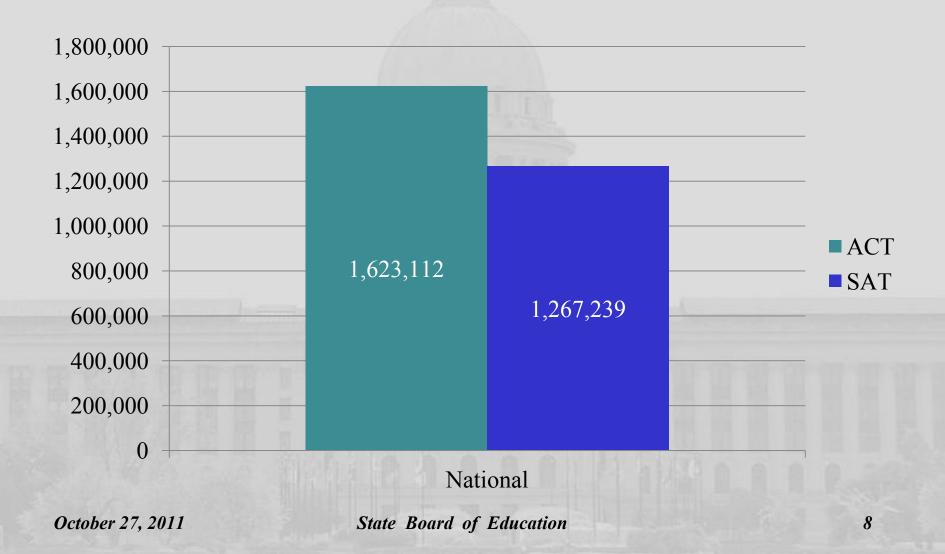
## College Board Exams

- SAT taken anytime a student desires
- PSAT taken during a student's sophomore year
- PSAT/NMSQT taken during a student's junior year
- AP usually taken as the capstone to an AP class

# ACT - SAT



### ACT - SAT



# **PSAT Sophomores The Good News**

#### Participation in 2011

• Oklahoma sophomore participation increased by 3% over last year and by 11.9% in the last 5 years.

#### Performance in 2011

• Black, Hispanic and American Indian sophomores in Oklahoma outperformed their peers nationally in critical reading, math and writing.

# PSAT Sophomores The Good News Continues

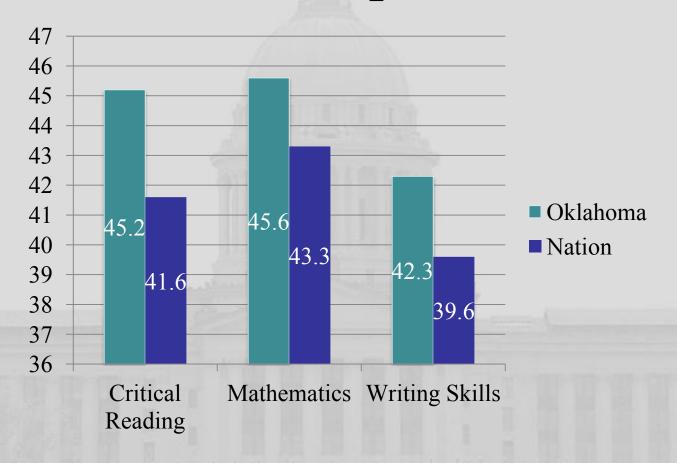
#### Participation in 2011

- Asian sophomore PSAT participation has increased 17.2% in the last five years.
- American Indian sophomore PSAT participation has increased 6.5% in the last five years.
- Hispanic sophomore PSAT participation has increased 62.0% in the last five years.

# PSAT Sophomores The Details

Total Test Takers		Critical ding		ean matics		ean ting
	State	Nation	State	Nation	State	Nation
5,776	45.2	41.6	45.6	43.3	42.3	39.6

# PSAT Sophomores 2011 Comparison



# **PSAT Sophomores Action Items**

- •Increase the number of test takers across all populations.
- Decrease the number of No Response
- •Increase Critical Reading Mean
  - •Recruit Hispanic students into college prep course work to prepare

# **PSAT Sophomores Action Items**

- •Increase Mathematics Mean
  - •Recruit Hispanic students into college prep course work to prepare
- Increase Writing Skills Mean
  - •Recruit all students into college prep course work to prepare

# PSAT/NMSQT Juniors The Good News

#### Performance

- Oklahoma juniors' performance on the PSAT/NMSQT is greater than the nation critical reading, math and writing.
- Black juniors in Oklahoma outperformed black students nationally in critical reading, math and writing.

#### Participation

• American Indian student participation increased, resulting in steady or increased mean scores.

# PSAT/NMSQT Juniors The Good News Continues

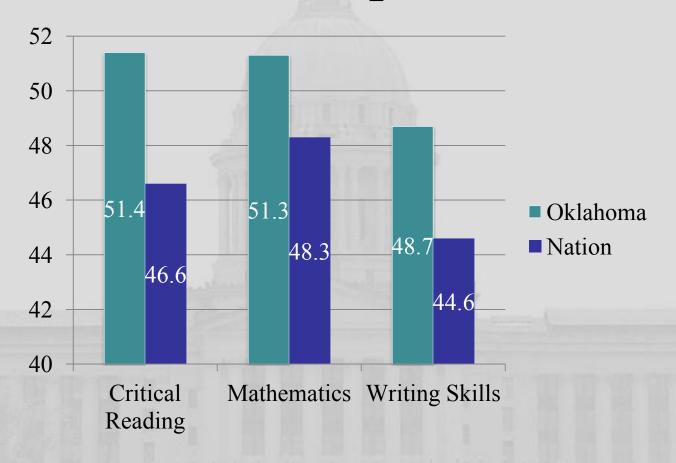
#### Participation

- Oklahoma junior student participation increased by 12.2% in 2011.
- Asian junior participation on the PSAT/NMSQT increased 35.1% over the last five years
- Hispanic junior participation on the PSAT/NMSQT increased 14.7% over the last five years

# PSAT/NMSQT Juniors The Details

2011 Total Test Takers		11 Critical ding	Mo	11 ean ematics		11 ean ting
( ( ) 5	State	Nation	State	Nation	State	Nation
6,625	51.2	46.6	51.3	48.3	48.7	44.6

# PSAT /NMSQT Juniors 2011 Comparison



## PSAT/NMSQT Juniors Action Items

- •Increase the number of test takers
  - •Target Mexican American
- Decrease the number of No Response
- •Increase Critical Reading Mean
  - •Recruit Black students into college prep course work to prepare

### PSAT/NMSQT Juniors Action Items

- •Increase Mathematics Mean
  - •Recruit Black students into college prep course work to prepare
- •Increase Writing Skills Mean
  - •Recruit students into college prep course work to prepare

# SAT The Good News

#### Participation in 2011

- Oklahoma's public school student's SAT participation increased by 13.3%
- Participation by all Hispanic students increased 22.8% and outpaces the national rate of increase.
- Black student SAT participation increased 12.2% over the last five years.
- Hispanic student SAT participation increased 18.6% since 2006.

# SAT The Good News Continues

#### Performance in 2011

• Asian and all Hispanic students had greater gains than their national counterparts.

# SAT The Details

2011 Total Test Takers		11 Critical ding	Mo	11 ean ematics	Me	11 ean ting
1 201	State	Nation	State	Nation	State	Nation
1,384	568	494	560	506	541	483

# SAT 2011 Self-Reported Data

- Intended College Major
  - 21% Health Professions & Related
     Clinical Services
  - 16% Engineering
  - 8% Biological & Biomedical Sciences
  - 7% Visual & Performing Arts
  - 6% Business Management, Marketing,
     and Related Support Services

## SAT 2011 Self-Reported Data

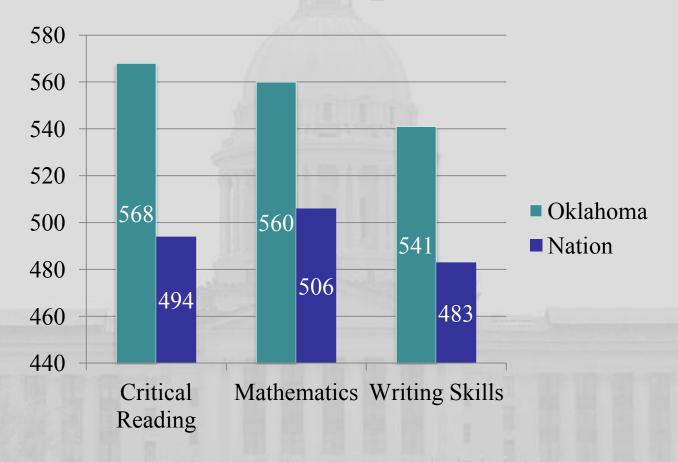
• Institutions Chosen to Receive Scores

<b>- 46.6%</b>	University of Oklahoma
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## SAT 2011 Self-Reported Data

- Degree-Level Goal
  - 64% Advanced Graduate Degree
    - ~ 27% Master's
    - ~ 37% Doctoral or Related Degree
  - 23% Bachelor's Degree
  - 11% Undecided
  - − 1% Less than 4 year degree

# SAT Mean 2011 Comparison



# Effects of PSAT on SAT

- Students who take the SAT and have taken the PSAT consistently outperform those students who do not take the PSAT
  - -100 points in Critical Reading
  - -86 points in Math
  - −97 points in Writing

### SAT Action Items

- Increase the number of test takers across all sub-populations
- Decrease the number of No Response
- Increase Critical Reading Mean
  - Recruit students into college prep course work to prepare
    - Target American Indian, Black, Hispanic and White students

### SAT Action Items

- Increase Mathematics Mean
  - Recruit students in all sub-populations into college prep course work to prepare
- Increase Writing Skills Mean
  - Recruit students in all sub-populations into college prep course work to prepare

# Advanced Placement (AP) The Good News

#### Participation in 2011

- Oklahoma students' AP participation increased
   3.5%
- Black students' participation in Oklahoma rose 11.3% and outpaced the nation (9.1%)
- Overall Hispanic student participation increased 18.1% and outpaced the nation (12.8%)
- In the past 5 years, the number of AP exams given has increased 16.6% with consistent growth each year.

# **Advanced Placement (AP) The Good News Continues**

#### Performance in 2011

- Overall Hispanic student performance increased 16.1% and outpaced the nation (12.8%)
- Oklahoma public school students' exams earning grades of 3-5 continued their year-to-year increase of 0.6%, but we are behind the national year-to-year increase of 7.9%
- There was a 20% growth since 2006 in the number of students who had a positive AP experience.

# AP The Details

2011 Total Test Takers	2011 Exams Taken	2011 Scores of 3-5
13,777	22,883	10,579
3.5% increase	2.9% increase	0.6% increase

# AP 2011 The Details – Ethnicity

Ethnicity	Test Takers	% of Total Test Takers	<b>Exams Taken</b>	Scores of 3-5
American Indian	1,147 2.4%	8.3	1,743 ↑ 0.9% ↑	668 4.4% ↓
Asian	963 8.7%	7.0	1,999 ↑ 10.0% ↑	1,050 ↑ 9.9% ↑
Black	849 11.3%	6.2	1,280 <b>1</b> ,280 <b>1</b> ,280 <b>1</b>	296 6.9%
Hispanic	1,056 18.1%	7.7	1,574 13.5%	619 16.1%
White	8.791 ↑ 0.7%	63.8	14,783 ↑ 1.6%	7,314 ↑ 0.7% ↑

### AP 2011 The Details – Gender

Gender	Test Takers	% of Total Test Takers	Exams Taken	Scores of 3-5
Female	7,775 ↑ 2.8%	56.4%	12,575 ↑ 1.9%	5,517 <b>\)</b> 0.6%
Male	6,002 4.3%	43.6%	10,308 ↑ 4.1%	5,062 ↑ 0.6% ↑

### Five Year Trends for Oklahoma Public School Students

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Students	11,888 ↑ 4.7%	12,307 <b>\</b> 3.5%	12,508 ↑ 2.1%	13,316 ↑ 6.5%	13,777 ↑ 3.5% ↑
Exams	19,808 ↑ 5.2%	20,380 ↑ 2.9%	20,811 ↑ 2.8%	22,244 ↑ 6.9%	22,883 ↑ 2.9% ↑
Scores of 3+	8,952 ↑ 6.2% ↑	8,876 0.8% ↓	9,598 ↑ 9.7% ↑	10,517 ↑ 9.7%	10,579 ↑ 0.6% ↑

### AP 2011 More Details

Increase in	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian
Year to Year 3+ Scores	1.0%	12.4% <b>↑</b>	18.3%	11.4%
Five Year 3+ Scores	14.3%	26.7%	48.2%	37.6%

# A Positive AP Experience 2011 Comparison



### AP 2011 Action Items

- Decrease the number of No Response
- •Recruit students into AVID/Pre-
- AP/college prep classes at an earlier age
  - •Target American Indian, Puerto Rican, and White students

### AP 2011 Action Items

- •Encourage schools with no AP to add at least one AP course.
- •Encourage schools with 1 to 4 AP courses to increase their AP course offerings.
- •Encourage schools with more than 4 AP courses to build their Pre-AP program.