

SAT/ACT, Essay Writing, Speed Reading  
History, Math, & Science Preview  
College Application & Essay



## Supersize your SAT/ACT scores

In the last 20 years, 15% - 28% of our students have become National Merit Scholars each year.  
(national average is 3%)

### Words from XL Students...

"Mrs. Kim and the teachers at **XL** are brilliant at personalizing their SAT curriculum to meet the needs of every individual pupil reach his/her desired scores. Mrs. Kim truly fosters a family-like environment that helped me tremendously throughout the SAT and college application process. I am eternally grateful for XL's instrumental role in my life, and I highly recommend **XL** to everybody!"  
*Daniel Hamidi, Valencia HS, Yale*

"SAT prep at **XL** provided me with skills that extended beyond a simple standardized test - the process at **XL** manages to hone in on the strengths and weaknesses of each specific student. With the help of Mrs. Kim, I was accepted to MIT (EA), Stanford, UC Berkeley (Regents), UCLA (Regents), and more. This is the place I rave to all my incoming senior friends in hopes that they take the step in enrolling. This is the place to go!"  
*Tanya Yang, Diamond Bar HS, MIT*

"The **XL** teachers and Mrs. Kim helped me prepare for the SATs, but most importantly, they helped me build character. Mrs. Kim, who never gave up on me, proved to me the miraculous power of faith, hope, and love—the kind of faith, hope, and love every great teacher pours onto her students, and the kind that changes their lives in the best way. I have yet to meet another teacher like her. My dream is to pursue a career in humanitarian medicine, and I want to spend my life changing someone's life, like she changed mine."  
*Andrew Chu, UCSD, BU Medical School, Harvard*

"**XL Learning Center** is the best place for any student seeking to improve academically. Both my daughters were able to achieve SAT scores of over 2300 while attending **XL**'s SAT prep classes. What distinguishes **XL** from other programs is the personal attention each student receives from Mrs. Kim. I believe this is the main reason why **XL** students achieve high scores. She brings out the best in her students. I have recommended **XL Learning Center** to several of my friends and I would highly endorse them to anyone looking to maximize their abilities."  
*Bob Uppal, parent of Valencia High School, UC Berkeley, Upenn*

"Mrs. Kim's advice and assistance were invaluable and integral to my acceptance to Stanford and multiple ivy league universities. When my Yale admissions officer informed me my application was the best he had read in my year, I knew I made the right choice with Mrs. Kim!"  
*Aqil Naeem, Valencia HS, Stanford*

**\$50 OFF** any additional class

**\$50 FREE** voucher: refer a friend

**Registration:** In-person registration on Wednesday after 2 pm or by appointment.  
Request online registration at [xlearningcenter@gmail.com](mailto:xlearningcenter@gmail.com)

**REGISTER NOW**

Call or text **(714) 990-9339**

[www.xlearningcenter.org](http://www.xlearningcenter.org)  
[xlearningcenter@gmail.com](mailto:xlearningcenter@gmail.com)

(next to the Brea Mall, across from Target Center in the Embassy Court)

910 E. Birch Street, Suite 260, Brea, CA 92821

**XL Learning Center's Summer Program is rigorous, intensive, challenging, and dynamic. You see results.**

**Comprehensive Vocabulary & Writing (6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>)**

M,W 9:00 am - 10:30 am

Students learn the appropriate contextual usage of 400-500 words including "SAT" words through mnemonics and various memory techniques. Students also learn to write effective sentences as well as the basics of editing which are essential to writing good essays. Class includes private and semi-private

**Algebra (6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>)**

T,Th 9:00 am - 10:30 am

Prepare to receive an "A" in the upcoming school year. Students using Honors Algebra textbook will learn effective study skills, techniques, and "cheat notes" to provide the tools essential to building confidence and getting good grades in school. Class includes private and semi-private sessions.

**Special Combo: Comprehensive Vocabulary & Writing & Algebra**

M-Th 9:00 am - 10:30 am

**Essay Writing (9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>)**

T 9:00 am - 11:30 am

Learn to write a formal structure essay needed to succeed in school and in life. Students are taught the essentials needed to organize, write and edit exceptional essays. This is the foundation needed to be able to write an analytical essay for high school classes as well as for the SAT and ACT.

Class includes lecture, class work, and personal and small group time with teachers.

**1-on-1 Private Tutoring: all Subjects****Let Mrs. Kim Be Your GPS to Success: College Admissions and Consulting Services /Applications & Essays**

Other students may have the same GPA and same SAT/ACT scores as you do, but there is only one of you. From brainstorming to the final revision, Mrs Kim's expertise and experience will help you to engage the college admissions officer with your unique story that reveals your very special personality and character. It is HOW you say it that can make the difference.

For over 25 years, Mrs. Kim has been helping students navigate through the stressful process of preparing for and applying to colleges. Her individualized attention and knowledge of academic and extracurricular opportunities have guided her students to many prestigious schools, including Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Stanford, UC Berkeley, UCLA, Georgetown, UPenn, Northwestern, Emory, and the list goes on. She is an expert who helps her students write strong admissions applications and essays to match their strengths and career dreams with the right college. Her students continue to use her expertise to guide them not only through college, but also through graduate school and their careers.

*"The Dean of Admissions told me that I had submitted one of the most compelling application essays of my class. Thank you Mrs. Kim!"*

*– John K., Yale*

**SAT/ACT Classes****Rolling enrollment starts on June 13 and 20, 2022****SAT Reasoning**

M-F 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

(Critical Reading, Writing, Math, Essay)

Plan A: 8 weeks

Plan B: 10 weeks

Plan C: 8 weeks + 3 weekend extension: targets Aug 27 test

Plan D: 8 weeks + 7 weekend extension: targets Oct 1 test

**SAT Weekend Extension: from Aug 14**

Option 1: Test: Friday 4-8 pm, Lecture: Saturday 1:00 – 5:30 pm

Option 2: Test &amp; Lecture: Saturday 8:30 am – 5:30 pm

Our students do not take a diagnostic test nor are they placed in one class all summer. Each student is EVALUATED INDIVIDUALLY on a WEEKLY basis and assigned to the appropriate classes to ensure full implementation of the lessons taught. This enables all students, including those who have to miss a week, to maximize their progress by turning their weaknesses into strengths.

**BONUS:** Office hours by appointment with teachers will be available for private & semi-private sessions. Office hours to be announced first week of class.

*In the short span of 8 weeks, XL's Accelerated SAT Class provided me with the techniques to raise 400 points and become a National Merit Scholar. Mrs. Kim provided me with the individualized attention needed to pinpoint my weaknesses and help me internalize concepts faster and more effectively - bolstering both my comprehension and writing abilities in all academic areas.*

Nathan Wu, Valencia HS, Harvard University

**SAT<sup>2</sup> (Accelerated SAT class with Mrs. Kim)**

Includes test and PRIVATE sessions with Mrs. Kim M-F 1:00 - 5:00 pm

A special intensive SAT class for students who are potential candidates for the National Merit Scholarship or are looking to score in the top percentile: master the Critical Reading and Writing section of the SAT with intensively regimented class taught by Mrs. Kim who has developed specific techniques to help students select correct answers and write a perfect essay.

Class includes PRIVATE sessions to pinpoint strengths and weaknesses to maximize your score. On average 40%-50% of the class become National Merit Scholars.

\* minimum 3.6+ unweighed GPA

\* limited enrollment

**ACT**

M-F 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm

(Reading, Writing, Math, Science, Essay)

Learn HOW to take the ACT. Teachers evaluate and tailor the class to meet the needs of individual students. Work to improve weaknesses to Course covers Reading, Writing, Math, Science, and techniques to writing a perfect essay!