

SAT Subject Tests™ in Languages — Performance by Years of Study



Years of Study	Chinese with Listening			French			French with Listening			German		
	Number	Mean	SD	Number	Mean	SD	Number	Mean	SD	Number	Mean	SD
2 years	225	702	91	178	548	123	32	517	112	23	**	**
3 years	312	672	110	978	565	115	120	562	114	100	546	103
4 years	214	690	109	2,062	585	106	455	594	105	123	570	101
Native Speaker	4,452	774	43	1,771	715	106	589	743	80	231	690	119

Years of Study	German with Listening			Modern Hebrew			Italian			Japanese with Listening***		
	Number	Mean	SD	Number	Mean	SD	Number	Mean	SD	Number	Mean	SD
2 years	11	**	**	35	567	111	24	**	**	41	630	120
3 years	33	486	107	7	**	**	70	624	114	87	607	125
4 years	107	543	104	7	**	**	117	637	100	72	629	124
Native Speaker	315	681	93	165	666	129	265	751	63	84	757	56

Years of Study	Korean with Listening			Latin****			Spanish			Spanish with Listening		
	Number	Mean	SD	Number	Mean	SD	Number	Mean	SD	Number	Mean	SD
2 years	29	736	55	125	561	115	559	595	132	79	614	120
3 years	20	**	**	701	609	110	2,107	568	114	205	564	129
4 years	10	**	**	675	615	107	4,148	589	102	552	573	100
Native Speaker	3,046	772	49	230	618	110	7,206	708	91	2,171	731	69

** Not calculated when there are fewer than 25 candidates in a category.

*** The statistics here are for examinees who have studied Japanese for 2-3 years. The data collected for this table did not distinguish between 2 and 3 years of study for Japanese.

**** Technically, there are no native speakers of Latin. The examinees in this category did not study Latin primarily in grades 9-12. Their knowledge of Latin came from study prior to the ninth grade, courses taken at a college or special study.