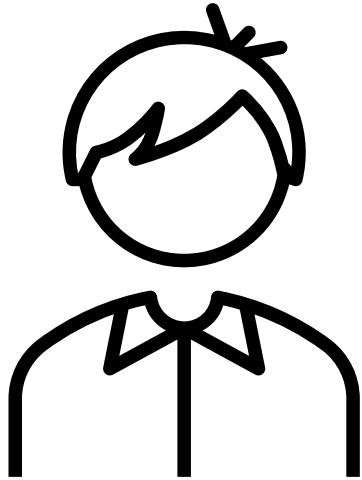


IMPROVE YOUR SAT SCORE

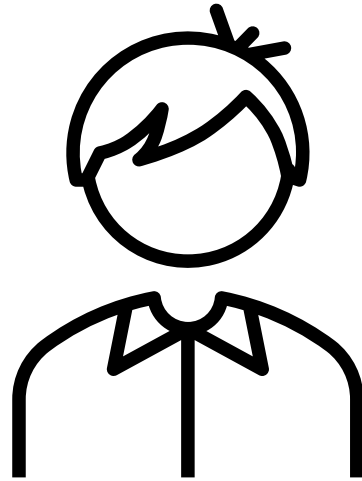


A Strategy Example for ESL Students

SAME ENGLISH SKILLS

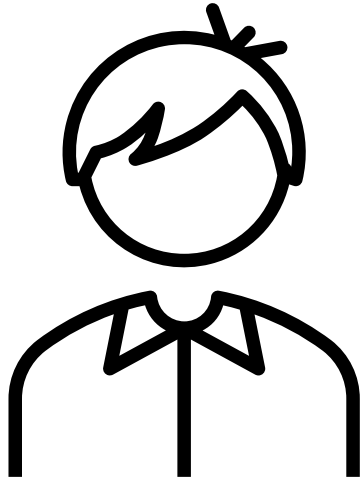


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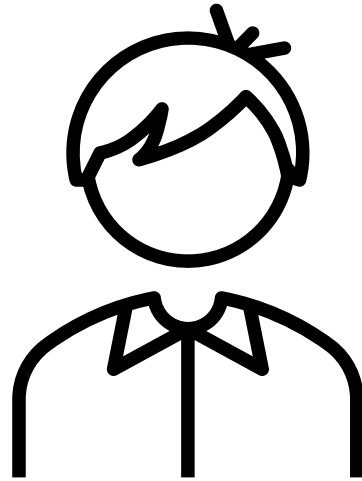


Student B

ANSWERS KNOWN = 27 (50%)



27 answers
from 54



27 answers
from 54

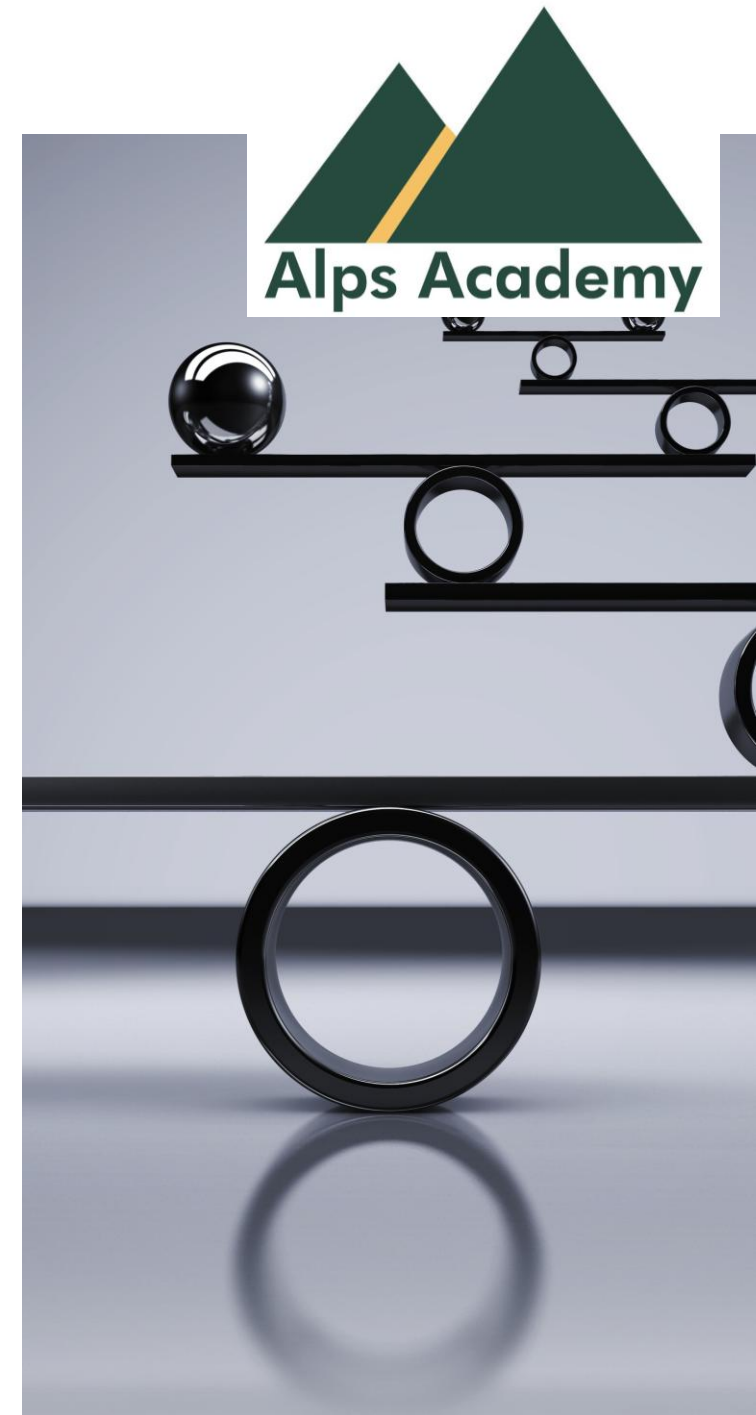


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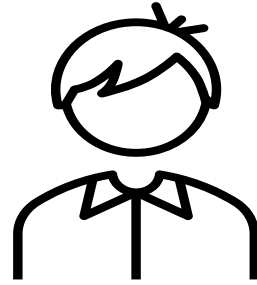
27 questions

Module 2 (easy)

27 questions



STUDENT A

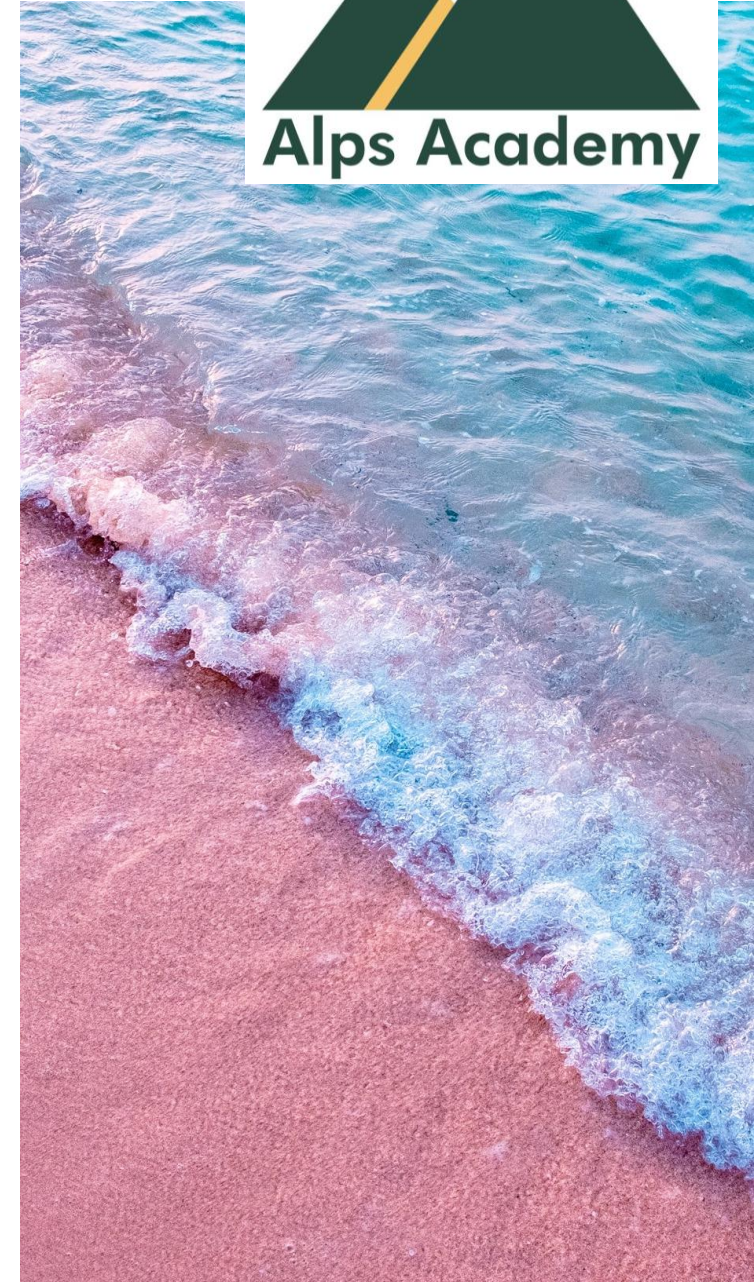


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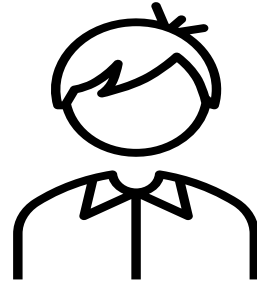
Module 1 = 13 or 14 correct from 27 questions

No other questions answered

→ Easy Module 2



STUDENT A

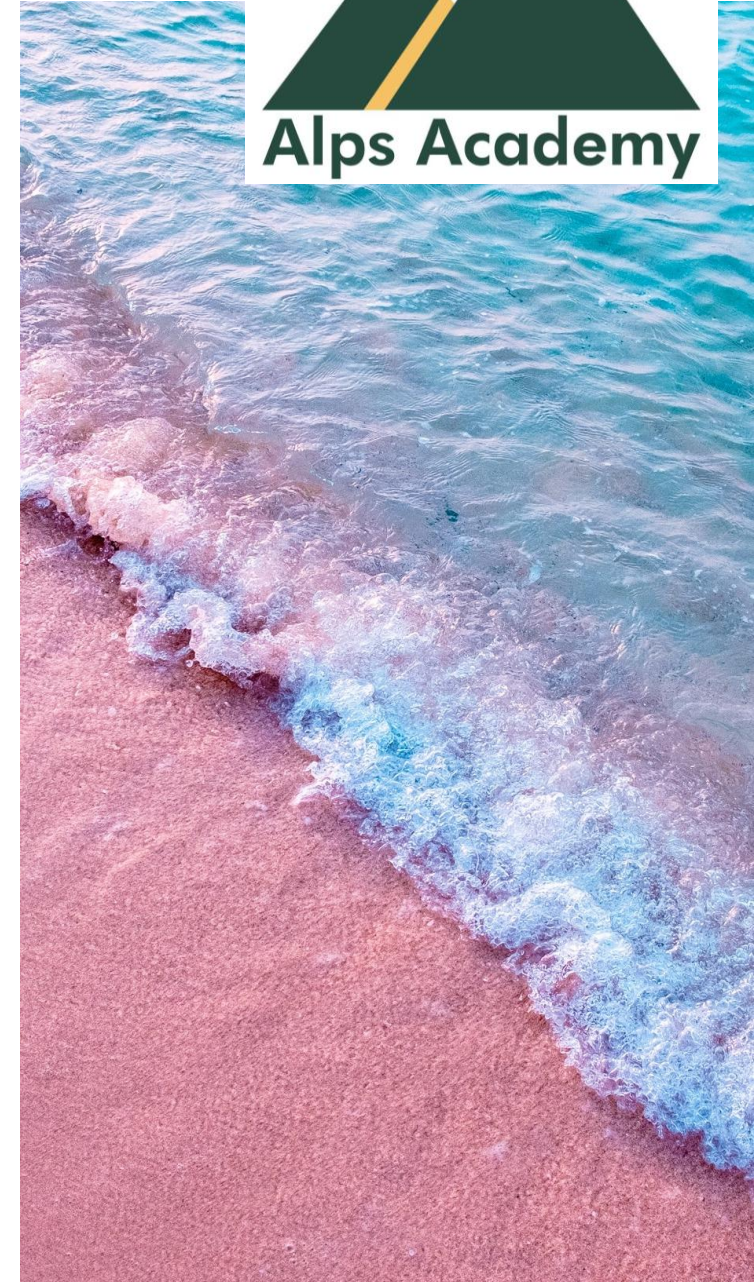


50%

Module 2 = 13 or 14 correct from 27 questions

TOTAL = 27 from 54

SAT Score = 470 (approx.)



Module 1

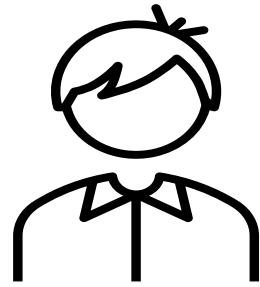
27 questions

Module 2 (hard)

27 questions



STUDENT B



50%

Module 1 = 13 or 14 correct from 27 questions

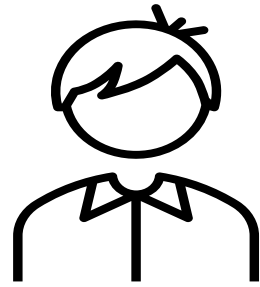
Using a strategy = +5

Module 1 = 19 correct

→ **Hard** Module 2



STUDENT B



50%

Module 2 = 13 or 14 correct from 27 questions

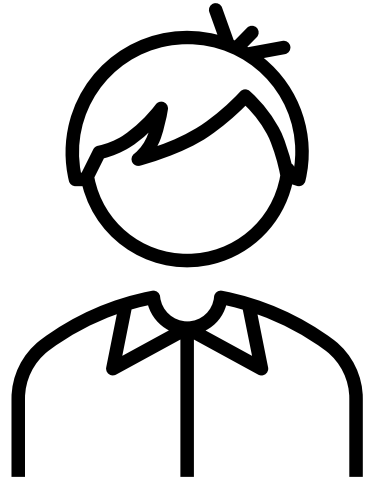
Using a strategy = +5

Module 2 = 18 , so TOTAL = 37 from 54

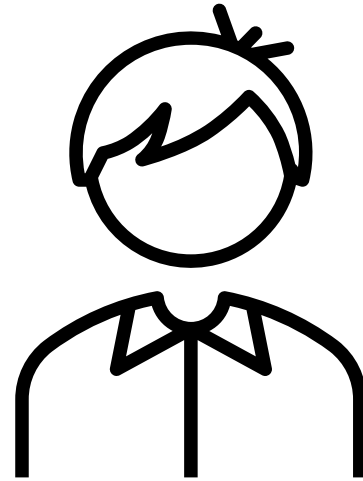
SAT Score = 620 (approx.)



SAME ENGLISH SKILLS (50%)



+150

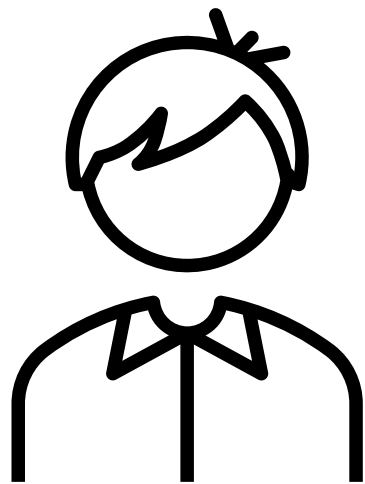


SAT Score =
470 (approx.)

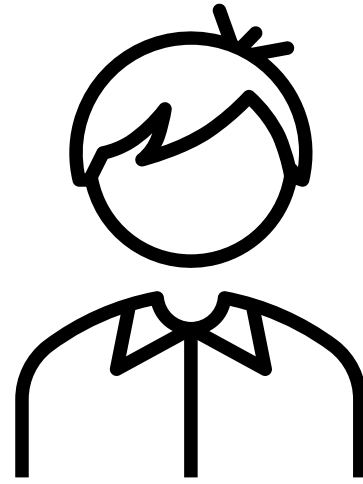
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SAME ENGLISH SKILLS (50%)



+150



HOW?

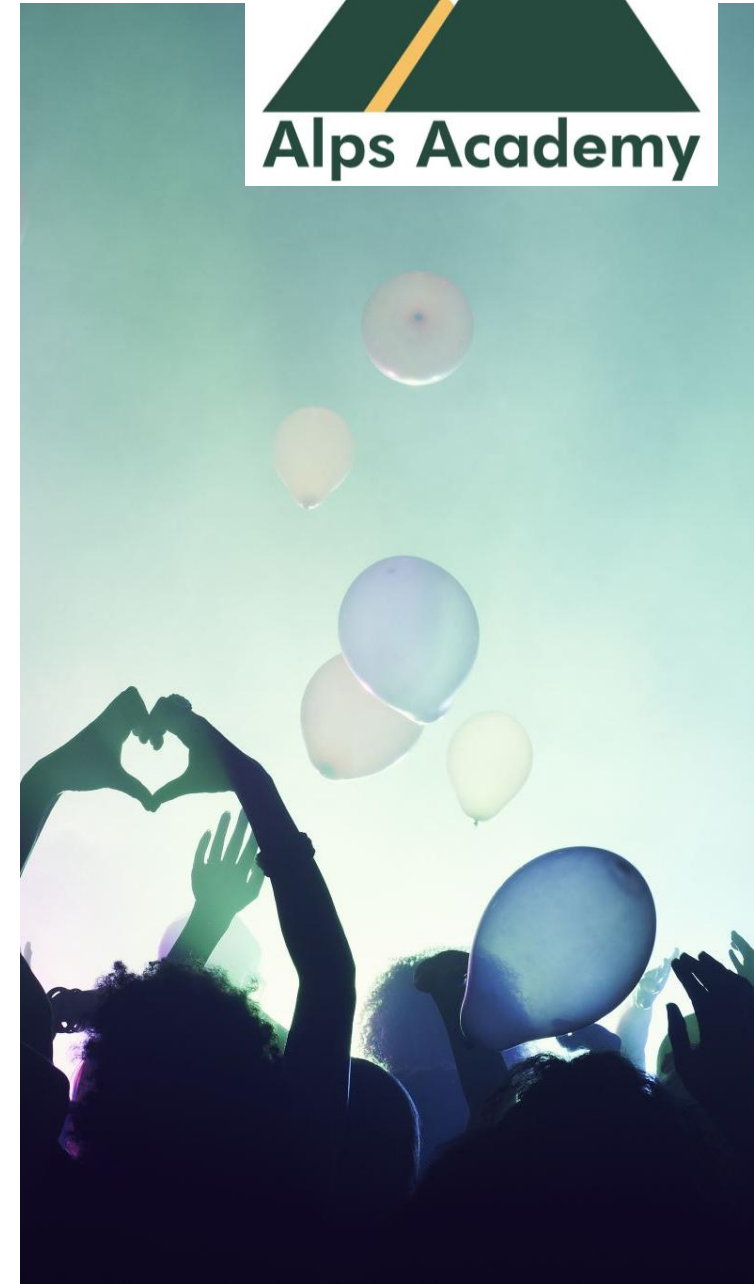


STRATEGY GOAL

more correct answers

qualify for hard module 2

higher SAT score



STRATEGY

Initial 50% = 27 correct answers

BUT,

other 27 questions,

15 questions – **remove one wrong option, now 3 options**

guess about 1 in **3** correctly

= 5 correct answers

*2 unknown, guess about 1 in **4**, incorrect*

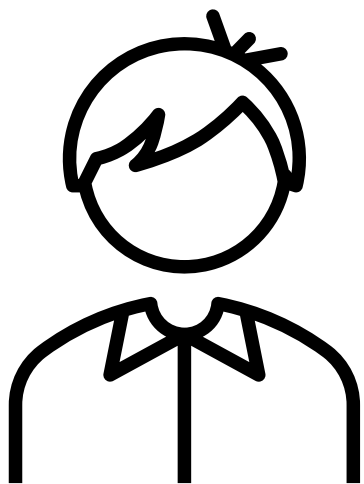
10 questions – **remove two wrong options, now 2 options**

guess about 1 in **2** correctly

= 5 correct answers

27+10 = **37 correct answers**





Student A

No SAT knowledge or strategy

Expected score: 380 – 470

Why:

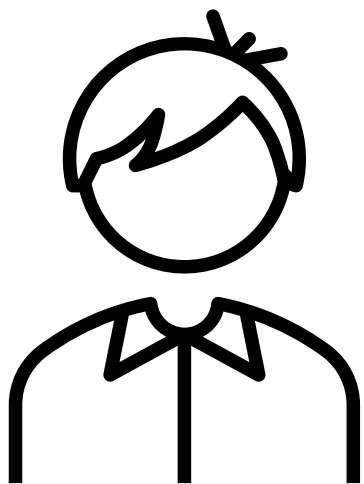
- poor time management
- leave questions unanswered or guesses blindly

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easier Module 2

reduced scoring potential





SAT **understanding, practice & strategy**

Expected score: 530 – 620

Student B

Why:

- understanding test
- good time management
- eliminating incorrect options before answering

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hard Module 2

increasing scoring potential (500-600+)



SUMMARY

For an ESL student (e.g. IELTS 5.5),
a **test strategy and understanding**
for the adaptive test format can yield
a score advantage of **120 to 160 more points**
on the Reading & Writing section

