


The Michigan Merit Exam

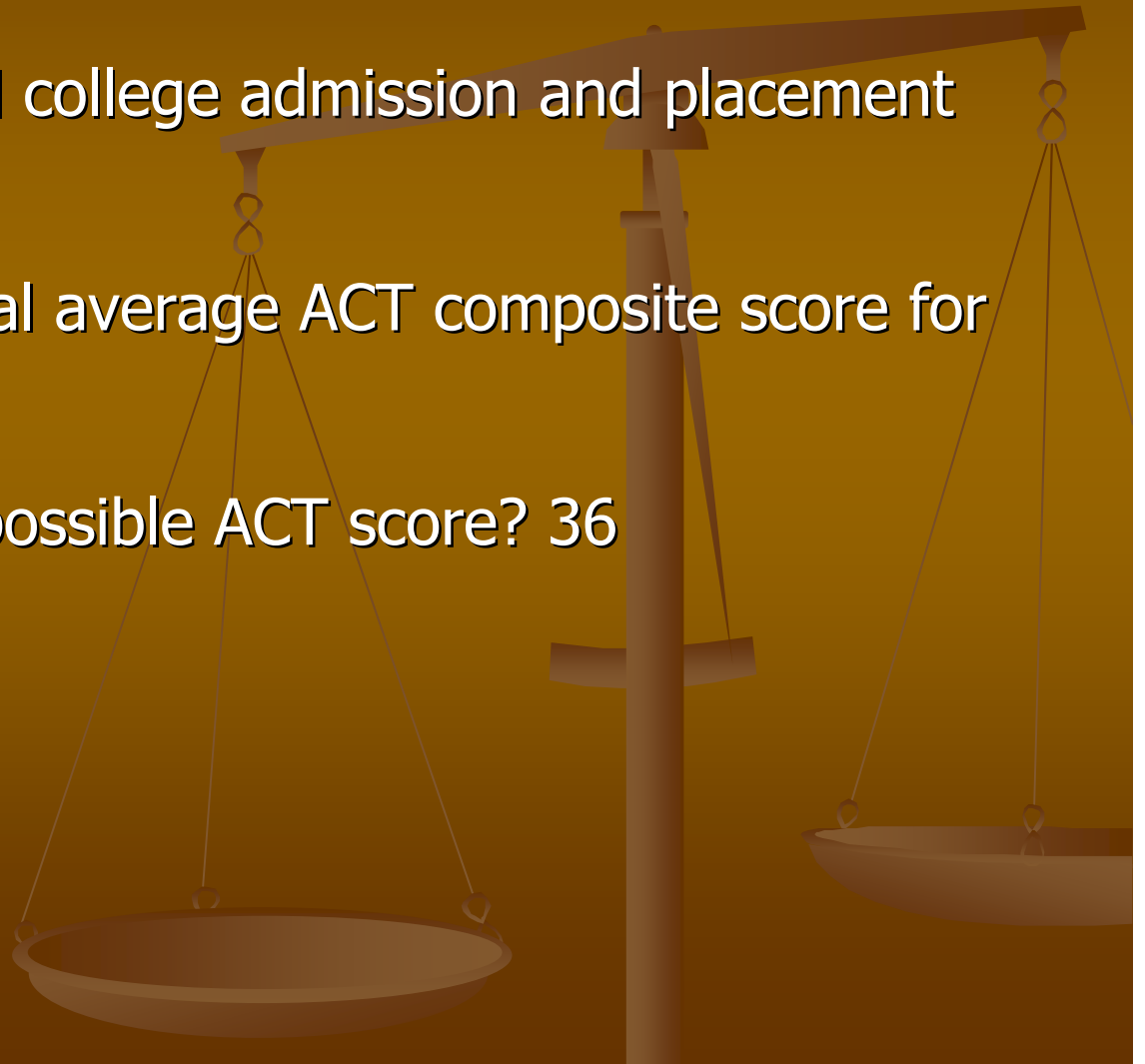


What To Expect Next Week...

A Refresher...

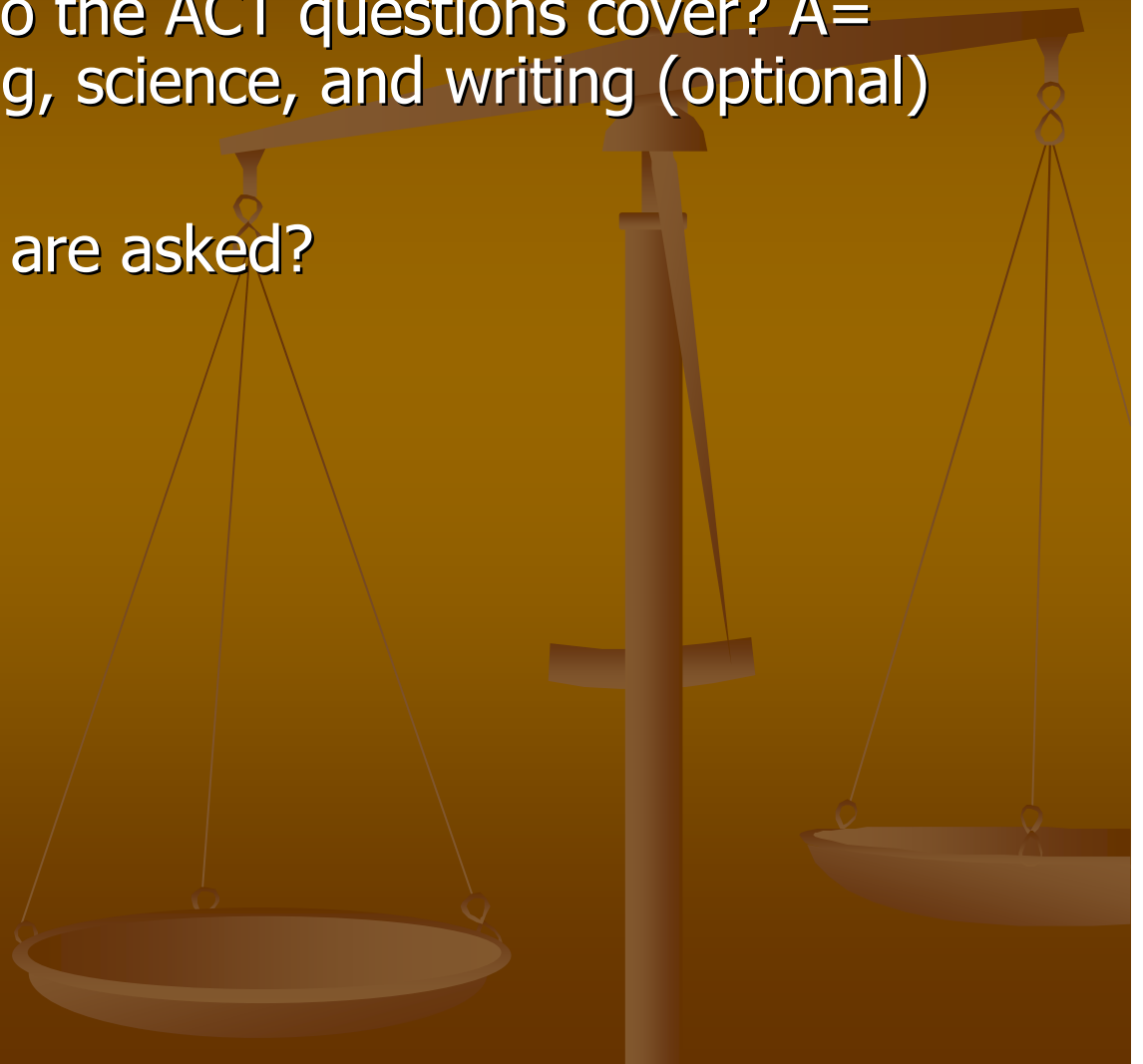
- **Facts about the ACT**

- The ACT is a national college admission and placement examination.
- What was the national average ACT composite score for 2009? A=21.1
- What is the highest possible ACT score? 36



More Refreshing...

- What subject areas do the ACT questions cover? A= English, math, reading, science, and writing (optional)
 - How many questions are asked?
 - English: 75
 - Math: 60
 - Reading: 40
 - Science: 40
- Total: 215

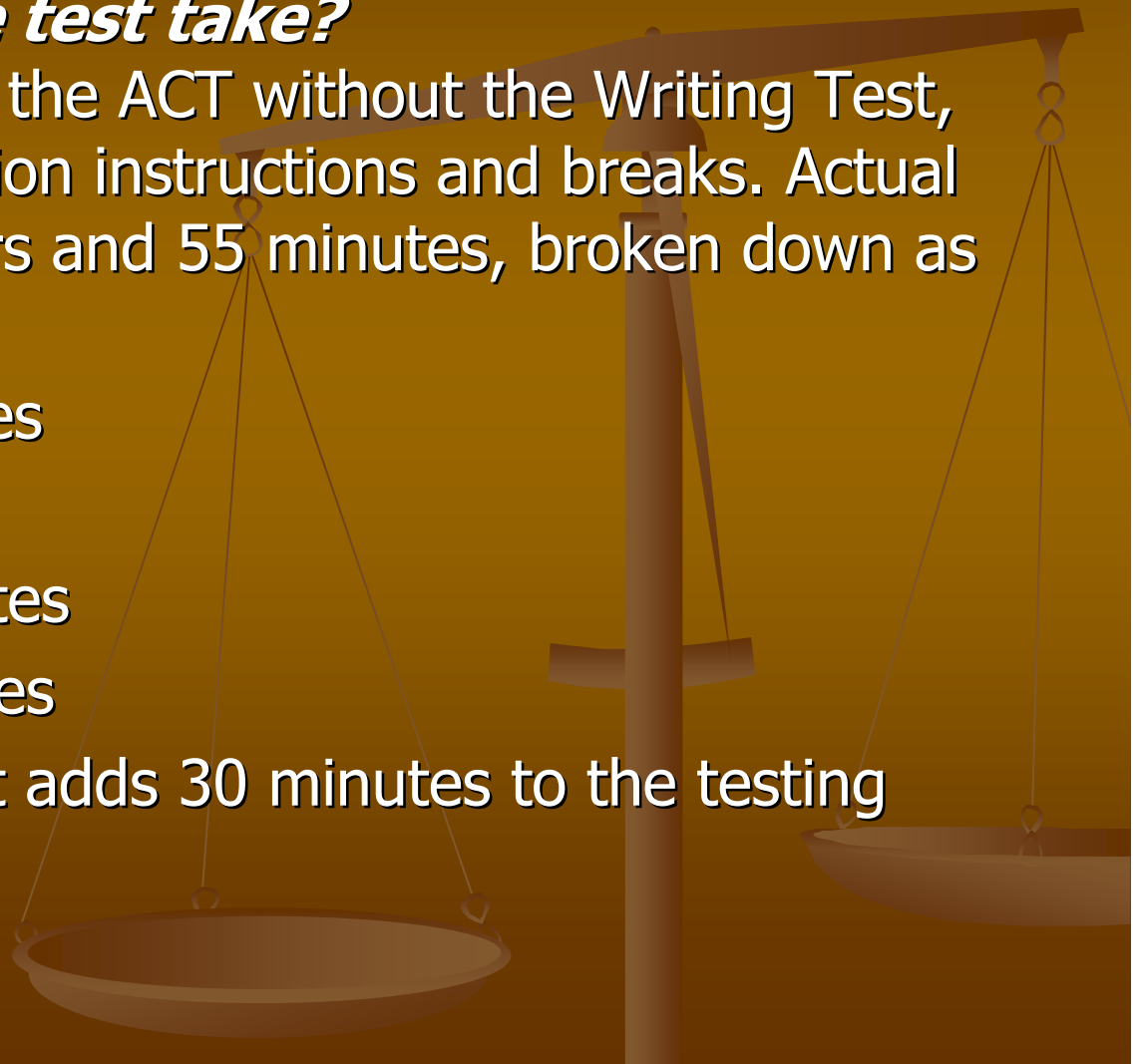


The ACT

- ***How long does the test take?***

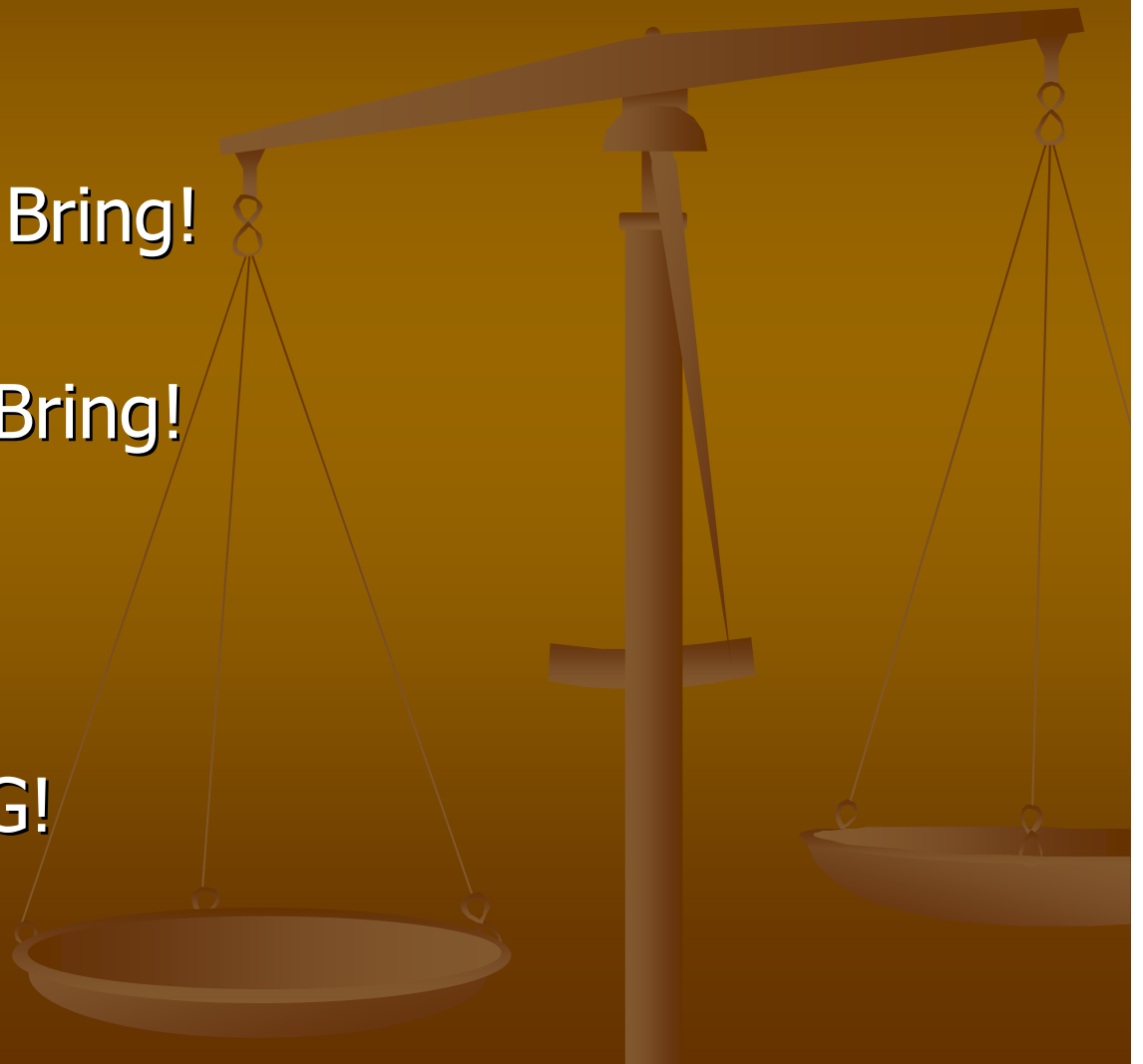
Just over 4 hours for the ACT without the Writing Test, including administration instructions and breaks. Actual testing time is 2 hours and 55 minutes, broken down as follows:

- English: 45 minutes
 - Math: 60 minutes
 - Reading: 35 minutes
 - Science: 35 minutes
- The ACT Writing Test adds 30 minutes to the testing time.



Things to Bring/Not Bring

- Calculator...Bring!
- Cell Phone...Don't Bring!
- Two #2 pencils....Bring!
- Photo ID...Bring!
- Calculator....BRING!



There is a STICK

- To receive your high school diploma, you must fully engage in all portions of the MME.
- If there is a portion of the test that is marked with a “0”, you will have to retake the entire MME again to be eligible for your diploma.

