ACT December 12, 2026 Deadlines

Registration, late, photo and test-day deadlines

ACT test day
Sat., Dec. 12



DATE	DAYS BEFORE ACT TEST DAY	WHAT TO DO	COST OR NOTE	DONE
Fri., Nov. 6	**36**	Regular registration deadline	$70 ACT, $95 with writing	☐
Sun., Nov. 29	**13**	Late registration deadline	$42 late fee	☐
Mon., Dec. 7	**5**	Photo upload and standby deadline	$75 standby fee	☐
Sat., Dec. 12	**0**	Test day: inside by 8:00 a.m.	Hard plastic photo ID, No. 2 pencils	☐

My notes

Source: ACT, 2026-2027 Test Dates, Current ACT Fees and Services, ACT Test Scores and Test Day pages, read Nov. 3, 2026. Deadlines occur at 11:59 p.m. Central Time. Online scores Dec. 17, paper scores Dec. 22.