

# Mount Notre Dame Graphing Calculator Information

Every freshman at Mount Notre Dame is required to have a graphing calculator which will be used in her math classes throughout her four years and can be used on the ACT test.

**The graphing calculator is necessary along with the tablet PC because a calculator is permitted on standardized testing such as ACT and Advanced Placement exams, and testing required for graduation while the tablet PC is not allowed.**

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## Calculator Options

The Mount Notre Dame Mathematics Department has adopted the use of Texas Instruments **TI-84 Plus CE** graphing calculators.

Acceptable calculators for use during your four years at Mount Notre Dame are:

- TI-84 Plus CE
- TI-84 Plus Silver Edition
- TI-84 Plus C Silver Edition
- TI-84 Plus

Unacceptable calculators (which are not permitted on the ACT test) are:

- TI-89 family
- TI-92 family
- TI-Nspire with CAS capabilities (CAS – Computer Algebra System which allows symbolic equation solving)



Please address calculator questions to Paula Schute via email at [pschute@mndhs.org](mailto:pschute@mndhs.org).

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Texas Instrument Calculator Model Information

<http://education.ti.com/en/us/products/calculators/graphing-calculators>

ACT Calculator Policy

<http://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/taking-the-test/calculator-policy.html>

SAT/College Board (AP Test) Calculator Policy Information

<http://sat.collegeboard.org/register/calculator-policy>