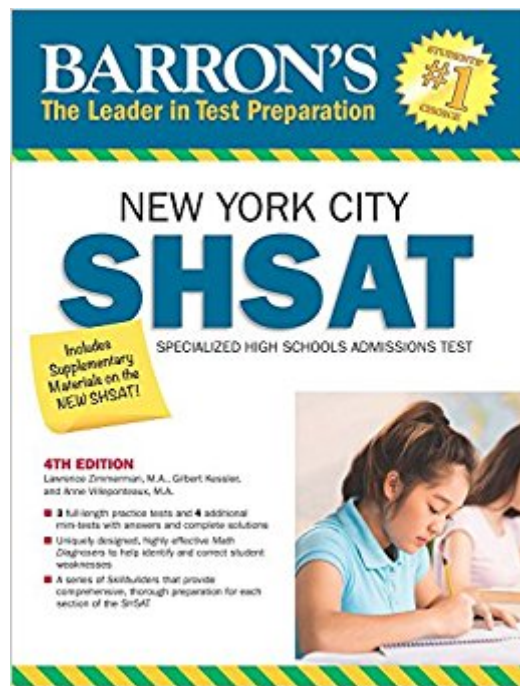


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Does not contain updated SHSAT information, waste of money

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