WHAT IS ADVANCED PLACEMENT?

The Advanced Placement Program enables willing and academically prepared students to pursue college-level studies. Students may earn college credit, advanced placement credit, or both while still in high school.

WHAT DOES IT TAKE TO SUCCEED IN AN AP COURSE?

- **ACADEMIC PREPARATION**
  You don’t need to be top of your class to be an AP student, but you’ll want to be prepared for the AP course you choose. Some AP courses have recommended courses you should take first, and all AP courses ask that you come willing to do your best work.

- **MOTIVATION**
  You show your determination when you do the things that matter to you. Think about when you’ve learned or accomplished something you’re really passionate about. You practice until you get it right. You try harder when it’s not easy the first time. The efforts pay off, and you feel a huge sense of accomplishment when you see how much you can do when you try. That is the kind of commitment that is sought out and rewarded in AP courses.

WHY TAKE AN AP COURSE?

- Stand out in college admissions
- Earn college credit
- Skip college introductory courses
- Build college skills

HOW MANY AP COURSES ARE OFFERED?

The AP Program currently offers more than 30 courses across multiple subject areas. Each course connects directly to a wide variety of college majors and careers. Contact your school’s counselor to learn what AP Courses are being offered.

STUDENT INFORMATION

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WHAT ARE AP EXAMS?
Each AP course has a corresponding exam through which students may earn college credit. Participating high schools administer the AP exams each May, according to a specific schedule.

WHAT’S NEXT?
- Learn more about AP at http://www.exploreap.org.
- Speak to your counselor or a teacher about AP.
- Discuss your options with your parents or guardians and decide if AP makes sense for you.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

AP CAPSTONE
- AP Research
- AP Seminar

ARTS
- AP Art History
- AP Music Theory
- AP Studio Art: 2-D Design
- AP Studio Art: 3-D Design
- AP Studio Art: Drawing

ENGLISH
- AP English Language and Composition
- AP English Literature and Composition

HISTORY & SOCIAL SCIENCE
- AP Comparative Government and Politics
- AP European History

MATH & COMPUTER SCIENCE
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Computer Science A
- AP Statistics

SCIENCES
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism
- AP Physics C: Mechanics
- AP Physics 1: Algebra-Based
- AP Physics 2: Algebra-Based

WORLD LANGUAGES & CULTURES
- AP Chinese Language and Culture
- AP French Language and Culture
- AP German Language and Culture
- AP Italian Language and Culture
- AP Japanese Language and Culture
- AP Latin
- AP Spanish Language and Culture
- AP Spanish Literature Culture

YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO SUCCEED IN AP!