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Introduction

AP courses are advanced placement courses for students who are interested in going to university and want to have an academic challenge.

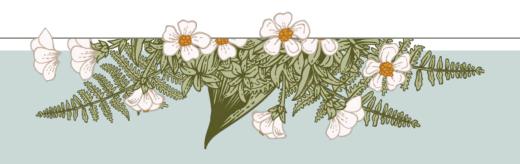


Facts



- International recognition
- initiated by the College Board
- Supporting Students from Day One to Exam Day AP Central | College
 Board see website for more details and helpful hints for success
- allows students to acquire credits
- secondary courses
- academic rigor
- save university fees (\$—but there may be a fee to write the exam)

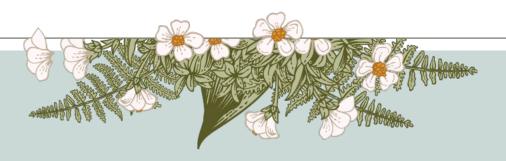
Benefits of the AP Program



Known for giving high school students the opportunity to

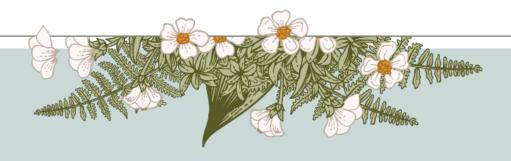
- obtain university credits
- Save on tuition
- even the opportunity to graduate from university early

Other benefits



- in addition, AP offers students many additional benefit
- enables high school students to take challenging, rigorous and in-depth courses
- success in an AP course is one of the greatest predictors of college and university success
- take more advanced courses in disciplines where they have received a solid foundation
- deepen the responsibility to reason, analyze and understand for themselves
- The high school atmosphere gives the student the flexibility to take enriched classes without compromising social or extracurricular activities

For whom



- Students who like rigor and want to have an academic challenge in order to prepare them for university
- Grade 11 start to plan by taking certain required courses
- Grade 12 take the AP course



AP English



English 42S AP

E30 S LF	E40SLF – English Literary Focus	AP English – 42S
English Literary Focus – Grade 11	Grade 12	Grade 12
First semester – in grade 11	Second semester – in grade 11	All year round – every 2nd day in grade 12

- The English 42S course aligns with the university course in literary analysis
- It pushes students to engage in a critical style of literacy to deepen their understanding of how authors use language to please and/or create meaning in specific ways:
- Language structure
- Style
- Themes while using symbolism, figurative language, and tone
- Students are also expected to write argumentative/persuasive essays and analytical texts to analyze and interpret literary works.

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Calculus AP (Advanced Placement)



Math 42S AP Calculus

M30SP	M40SP – MATH PRE-	AP Calculus
MATH PRE-CALCULUS grade 11	CALCULUS grade 12	grade 12
First semester in grade 11	Second semester in grade 11	All year round – every 2nd day in grade 12

- AP calculus deals with key concepts and applications through rigorous methods to help the student build understanding of the subject matter
- Computational competence is an important learning objective to achieve
- The multifaceted approach: graphic, analytical, verbal and numerical concepts
- The AP calculus course offers a coherent approach to the different topics of the course such as: derivatives, integrals, limits, their applications and the manipulation of mathematical models

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French AP (Advanced Placement)



FRENCH 42S - PA

Français 30SP Grade 11	FR40SP - Français grade 12	AP Français in grade 12
First semester in 11th grade	Second semester in 11th grade	All year round – every 2nd day in 12th

Le cours de Français : langue et culture

- accentuer la langue comme un moyen de communication avant de l'étudier en termes de normes grammaticales
- promouvoir aussi les compétences langagières tout en explorant la culture autant dans ses tendances contemporaines et historiques
- Le cours a pour objectifs, entre autres, de développer chez l'élève l'appréciation des produits culturels
 - (outils, livres, musique, etc.)
- les pratiques mettant en valeur les interactions sociales et culturelles et les visions du monde au regard Present des risystèmes de valeurs et des attitudes





The value of a university education is not the learning of facts, but the training of the mind to think.

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Albert Einstein



Exams

AP Courses taken – but students do not want to write the university exam

- students receives the high school credit
- There will be a provincial exam for these courses in grade 12.
- FR40S
- ✓ M40SP
- ✓ E40SLF

Exams to receive university credit

- Course with AP exam
- The student receives secondary credit for the course
- The AP exam has no impact on secondary credit
- The student who completes the AP exam receives a score from 1 to 5 that can be communicated to the universities
- A grade of 4 or 5 will be accepted by any university (B+ or A)
- There is a cost included will be discussed next year



How do we get there?



Success

- Do you receive grades higher than 80%?
- Do you want an academic challenge?
- Do you have enough time to study each day/evening?

Communication

- Discuss the choices with
- Your parents
- Your teacher
- Other

Registration

- Discuss your choices with your counsellor
- Register for next year with your counsellor after a discussion with your parents

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Thank you very much





For more info – come see your counsellor – Mme Zerbin as soon as possible.

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