



Welcome to Centennial H.S.

Overview of the Advanced Placement (AP) Program



Monday, January 28, 2019

6:00PM

A photograph of four students in a library setting. A young man with dark hair is smiling and looking towards a young woman with glasses who is looking at a laptop. Another young woman is partially visible in the foreground, looking at the laptop. The background is filled with bookshelves. The image has a semi-transparent blue overlay on the left side where the text is located.

What is AP?

The Advanced Placement Program® (AP) enables willing and academically prepared students to pursue college-level studies while still in high school.

The program consists of college-level courses developed by the AP Program that high schools can choose to offer, and corresponding exams that are administered once a year.

Fast Fact: There are 38 AP courses in seven subject categories.

Our AP Courses 29/38

Arts:

Art History

Music Theory

Studio Art: 2-D Design

Studio Art: 3-D Design

Studio Art: Drawing

English:

English Language & Composition

English Literature & Composition

History & Social Sciences:

Comparative Government & Politics

~~European History~~

Human Geography

Macroeconomics

Microeconomics

Psychology

United States Government & Politics

United States History

World History

Math & Computer Science:

Calculus AB

Calculus BC

Computer Science A

Computer Science Principles

Statistics

Sciences:

Biology

Chemistry

Environmental Science

~~Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism~~

Physics C: Mechanics

Physics 1: Algebra –Based

Physics 2: Algebra - Based

World Languages & Cultures:

~~Chinese~~

French

German

~~Italian~~

~~Japanese~~

~~Latin~~

Spanish Language

~~Spanish Literature~~

AP Capstone:

~~Research~~

~~Seminar~~

AP at Centennial High School



Top Exams Given

- 117 World History
- 112 English Language
- 69 Psychology



- 512 Students take 1,065 AP exams
- 84% Pass rate across all of the exams (3 or higher)(State is 61%)
- 42% Of exams taken achieved 4 or 5

AP Scholars demonstrate superior college-level achievement through AP courses and exams. This achievement is acknowledged on any AP score report that is sent to colleges the following fall.

- AP Scholar – 89 students with average score of 3.09
- AP Scholar with Honor – 40 students with average score of 3.72
- AP Scholar with Distinction – 58 students with average score 4.19
- National AP Scholar – 17 students with average score 4.45





AP: The Benefits

The Advanced Placement Program® (AP) enables willing and academically prepared students to pursue college-level studies while still in high school.

Affords the opportunity to earn valuable credit and placement resulting in **FLEXIBILITY AND COST SAVINGS**.

Taking AP is valued in the college admission process.



Each college and university has its own policy regarding AP credit and placement. The College Board offers information about AP credit at thousands of colleges and universities. For the most up-to-date AP credit policy information, be sure to check the institution's website.

AP® Students

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AP Credit Policy Search

Find colleges and universities that offer credit or placement for AP scores. Begin your search by entering the name of the institution below. For the most up-to-date AP credit policy information, be sure to check the institution's website.

Find a college's credit policy

Please enter at least two characters to view a preliminary list of matches. Click Search to see a complete list of results. The number in parentheses is the school's College Board code.

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Have your AP Exam scores sent to a college or university.

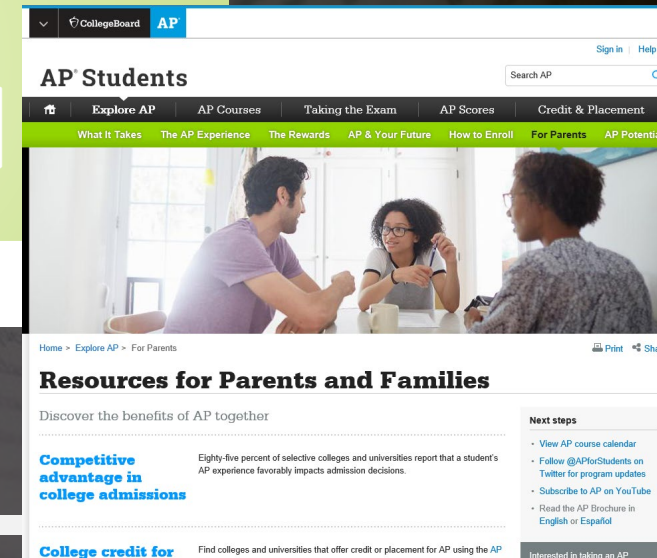
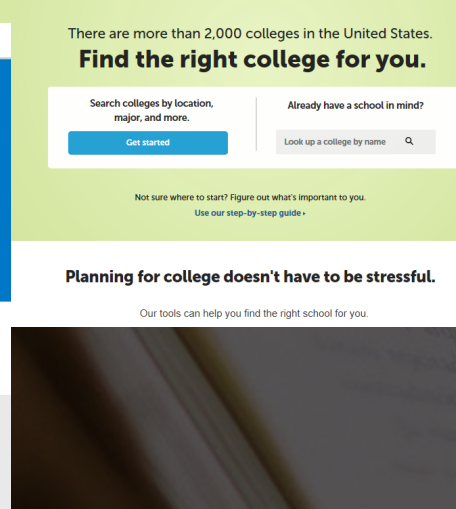
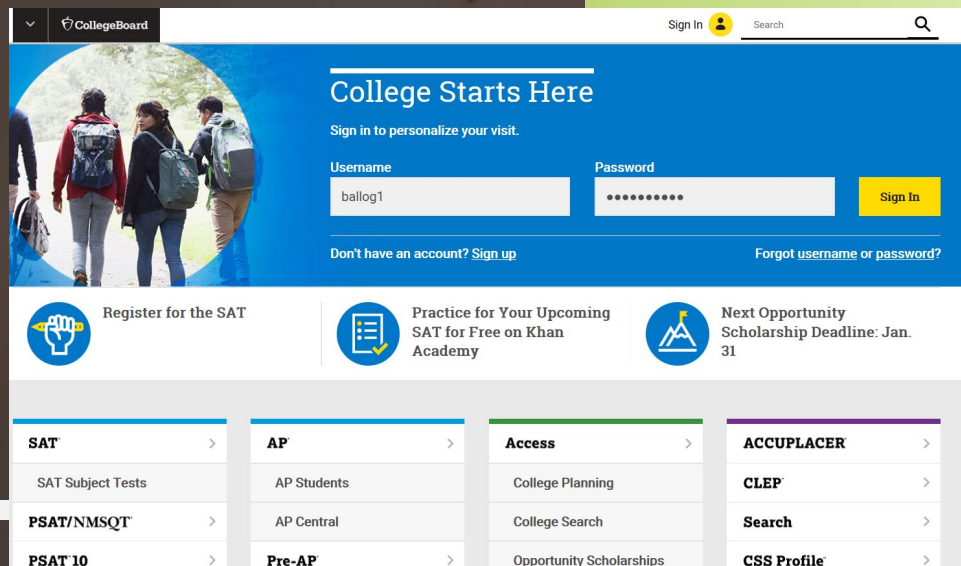
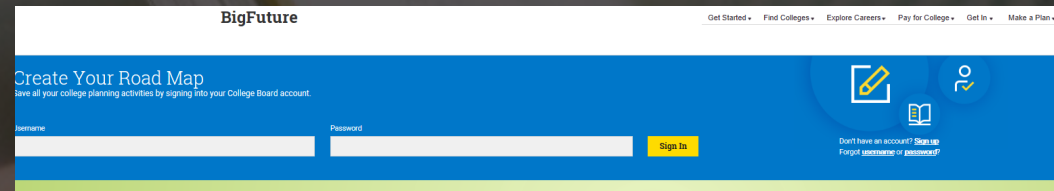
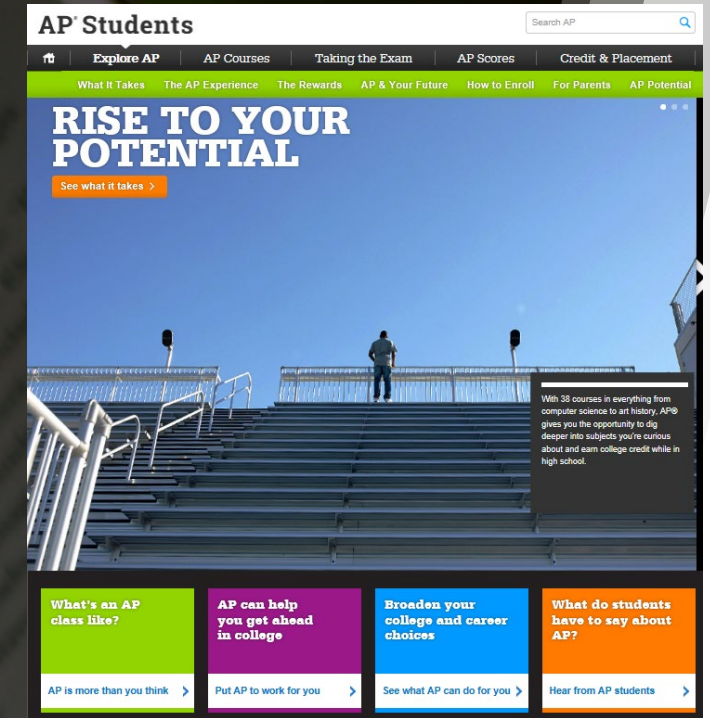
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AP Resources World Exploring for Students and Families

- AP Information:
 - <https://apstudent.collegeboard.org/exploreap>
 - <https://apstudent.collegeboard.org/exploreap/for-parents>
- College and Career Planning, Personalized Feedback, practice and college planning based on PSAT.NMSQT results: <https://www.collegeboard.org/>



AP Registration for 2019-2020

- Teachers and Counselors will have conversations with their current students and process recommendations.
- Students will fill out an AP Intent Google form per class, and students will need information handy to fill out the form. The AP teachers will explain.
- AP class waivers will be required to override teacher recommendation in instances when a student has not met the FCS High School Placement guidelines requirements.
- Serious consideration should be given by the student and the parent to waive into an AP course if not recommended.
- Registration is based upon space availability. Some courses may not actually “make” if a minimum number of students are not registered.

Students must understand the following:



- The fee for the AP exam MAY OR MAY NOT be funded by the state or county. Typically costs \$94 per exam.



- AP courses require in depth study and a willingness to go beyond usual class requirements and preparation (including summer reading). The student must be willing to invest the time and effort.



- The student is making a commitment, and if the student is accepted into an AP course, he or she **WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO DROP THE COURSE.**

Changes at the College Board:



The College Board, creators of Advanced Placement, recently announced significant changes to the AP exam ordering process, deadlines, late fees and cancellation fees that will be mandated for all schools and all students in the 2019-2020 school year.

Next year, all students will decide whether or not to take exams by Nov 15, 2019. All students in 1st semester or yearlong AP classes who register after Nov 15, 2019, will be assessed \$40.00/exam late fee. In addition, a \$40.00/exam cancellation fee will be assessed for any exam order canceled after Nov 15, 2019. The ordering deadline for second semester only courses will be March 13, 2020.



It is important that all families are aware of these looming changes, especially as students begin registering for their 2019-2020 courses. We understand that these changes may cause concern for students, parents and teachers. Please keep in mind that these changes are being mandated by the College Board, and were not decided by the school.

Additional details regarding the College Board's new process will be made available once we have more information.

| Course | Target Grade | Sessions Available | Room | Teacher |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| Art History | 10th - 12th | 4 | E-52 | Mr. Riggins |
| Studio Art - 2D, 3D, Drawing | 10th - 12th | 1-3 | | |
| Biology | 10th - 12th | 1-4 | H-04 | Mr. Kuhn |
| Cal AB & BC | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | G-65 | Dr. Shih |
| Chemistry | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | G-56 | Mr. Harhay |
| Computer Science A | 10th - 12th | 1,3 | G-69 | Mr. Bartholomew |
| Computer Science Principals | 10th - 12th | 2,4 | | |
| Microeconomics & Macroeconomics | 12th | 1-4 | H-65 | Mr. Dale |
| English Language & Comp | 11th | 1-4 | Learning Commons | Ms. Jones |
| English Literature & Comp | 12th | 1-4 | G-59 | Ms Scenna |
| Environmental Science | 10th - 12th | 1-4 | G-58 | Ms. Van Tassel |
| French | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | H-22 | Ms. Wiesendanger |
| German | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | H-26 | Ms. McCarty |
| Comparative Government & Politics | 12th | 1,2 | H-60 | Dr. Medwed |
| US Government & Politics | | | | |
| Human Geography | 12th | 1-4 | H-53 | Ms. Vaughn |
| Music Theory | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | E-10 | Ms. Landreau |
| Physics C: Mechanics | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | G-64 | Mr. Davis |
| Physics 1: Algebra - Based | 10th - 12th | 1-4 | I-56 | Mr. Hardee |
| Physics 2: Algebra - Based | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | G-64 | Mr. Davis |
| Psychology | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | E-41 | Ms. Schindler |
| Spanish | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | H-19 | Ms. Diaz |
| Statistics | 11th - 12th | 1-4 | G-53 | Mr. Corriveau |
| US History | 11th | 1-4 | CAFÉ | Ms. Skelton |
| World History | 10th | 1-4 | Auditorium | Mr. Hennessey Mr. Wroblewski |

[AP Night Video](#)

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| 6:00 – 6:15 | Auditorium – AP Presentation |
| 6:20 – 6:35 | Session 1 |
| 6:40 – 6:55 | Session 2 |
| 7:00 – 7:15 | Session 3 |
| 7:20 – 7:35 | Session 4 |

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