

**Poway High School**  
**ADVANCED PLACEMENT AGREEMENT**



Students at Poway High School who plan to attend a college or university following graduation from high school are highly encouraged to complete one or more Advanced Placement (AP) courses during their high school career. These courses are dynamic, rigorous, college-level classes that are designed to help students prepare for a successful post high school experience.

The Course Registration Process measures student interest and determines whether or not a course will be offered the following year. In 2020-2021 we hope to offer the following Advanced Placement courses at Poway High School – European History, US History, US Government & Politics, Human Geography, English Language, English Literature, Environmental Science, Biology, Chemistry, Physics C, Statistics, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Studio Art, Psychology, French, German, Spanish Language, Spanish Literature, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles.

Please choose your classes carefully. Staffing decisions are made based upon student requests. Therefore, once a student requests enrollment in an Advanced Placement class, a student will *not* be dropped from the class based solely upon either a student or parent request. Once a student requests enrollment in an Advanced Placement class, they are set aside a seat in that course and not others. Students are expected to honor their commitment to the program. Once courses are set for the school year, there may be no seats in non-AP equivalents for a student who requested AP to move into.

Advanced Placement classes require students to approach their work very seriously. The effort required by students is greater than that required for comparable non-AP classes. Students are encouraged to carefully consider which classes are best suited to individual career interests. It is also recommended that students consider their ability level, prior academic record, extracurricular activities, and home or work responsibilities prior to deciding the number of AP classes appropriate for them.

We congratulate you on accepting the AP challenge. We believe that you will be a more successful college or university student because of these experiences.

**WE HAVE READ THE ABOVE INFORMATION. WE UNDERSTAND THAT ADVANCED PLACEMENT IS A YEAR LONG COMMITMENT AND ONCE AN AP CLASS HAS BEEN REQUESTED, STUDENT OR PARENT REQUESTS TO DROP OR CHANGE THE CLASS ARE NOT GUARANTEED TO BE HONORED.**

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Date

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Student Name (Please Print)

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Student Signature

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Current  
Grade

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Parent Name (Please Print)

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Parent Signature

**THIS AGREEMENT MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THE CRF FORM BY THE DEADLINE.**

The College Board, creators of the Advanced Placement (AP), recently announced significant changes to the AP Exam ordering process, AP deadlines, late fees, and cancellation fees that will be mandated for all schools and students in the **2020-2021** school year. We have put together the chart below to help students and families understand all of the changes and associated costs.

<b>2020-2021 Advanced Placement (AP) Registration Dates and Fee Information</b>							
<b>AP Course</b>	<b>Registration Window</b>	<b>Cost Per Exam</b>	<b>Late Registration Window</b>	<b>Cost Per Exam (Late Registration)</b>	<b>Cancellation Fee Per Exam Before March*</b>	<b>Cancellation Fee Per Exam After March Final Deadline*</b>	<b>Fee for No Shows on Test Day</b>
AP Biology AP Calculus AB AP Chemistry AP English Language AP English Literature AP Environmental Science AP European History AP French Language AP Human Geography AP Physics C: Mechanics AP Psychology AP Spanish Language AP Spanish Literature AP Studio Art: 2D (Photo) AP Studio Art: 3D (Ceramics) AP Studio Art: Drawing AP United States Government AP United States History	October - November*	\$100 <sup>^</sup>	November - March*	\$140 <sup>^</sup>	\$40 <i>(partial refund)</i>	\$40 <i>In addition to initial cost of exam No refund</i>	\$40 <i>In addition to initial cost of exam No refund</i>
AP Calculus BC AP German Language AP Computer Science A AP Computer Science Principles AP Statistics	March*	\$100 <sup>^</sup>	N/A	N/A	\$40 <i>(partial refund)</i>	\$40 <i>In addition to initial cost of exam No refund</i>	\$40 <i>In addition to initial cost of exam No refund</i>

**\*Exact dates to be determined**      **<sup>^</sup>Fee subject to change**