

Welcome!

Perry High School

AP Parent Night 2017

- Perry High School Advanced Placement Program – Del Martin & Mrs. Carmen Horton (Principal and Assistant Principal for Instruction for Perry High School)
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Advanced Placement Classes

- Rigorous
 - Great deal of work
 - Worth it!
 - Student earns two grades
 - a) in class
 - b) on exam
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Advanced Placement Grading

The AP grade scale ranges from 1 to 5:

Grade	Meaning
5	Extremely well qualified
4	Well qualified
3	Qualified
2	Possibly qualified
1	No recommendation

Advanced Placement Possible Savings to Parents

*** estimated cost of attendance at UGA
tuitions and fees Georgia full time resident**

- Tuition cost GA resident
 - Figure cost per class
 - Multiply cost per class by number of students earning qualifying score of 3, 4, 5 on AP exam
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How much money do you think was saved in Houston County by taking AP Exams last May 2016?

\$3,337,806

Exam Year May	# Exams w/ 3,4,5	Amt Saved Tuition
2006	440	\$ 4,400
2007	584	\$ 8,800
2008	676	\$10,140
2009	684	\$1,200
2010	819	\$1,700
2011	760	\$1,700
2012	857	\$2,100
2013	834	\$2,100
2014	1128	\$2,600
2015	1111	\$2,700
2016	1275	\$3,300

Advanced Placement Website

collegeboard.com

apcentral.collegeboard.com

- For students, parents, & professionals
 - Course descriptions
 - Exam schedule
 - Updates
 - Credit policy
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Advanced Placement Credit Policy

Q - How do I know if my
college of choice will accept
AP?

A - Do a search:

“AP college credit policy”

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2017 – 2018 Anticipated Offerings

English

AP English Language – juniors/ seniors
AP English Literature – seniors

Math

AP Calculus AB - accelerated math seniors
AP Statistics - juniors/seniors

Science

AP Biology – juniors/seniors
AP Chemistry – juniors/seniors
AP Environmental – sophomores –seniors
AP Computer Science – juniors/seniors

Social Studies

AP World History – sophomores/seniors
AP US History – juniors
AP Macroeconomics- seniors

Fine Arts

AP Studio Art – juniors/seniors
AP Music Theory- sophomores/juniors/seniors

Academic Elective

AP Psychology – juniors/seniors

AP Registration Process/Time

- Registration forms and one-page course syllabi available tonight commons area (Counseling office during school hours).
 - AP teachers are available after this session to provide information on AP courses and answer any questions students/parents may have.
 - Student/parents review, complete, and sign the registration form and return it to the counseling office on or before **Wednesday, January 25th**.
 - Students applying for one or two courses with appropriate pre-requisites will be pre-registered for the course(s).
 - **Thursday, January 26th** – AP Committee meets afterschool to review the registration of any students registering for more than two AP classes.
 - **Week of January 30th** – Students notified of classes that will not be offered due to lack of enrollment and advised of recommendations from the AP Committee.
 - **March 6th – 8th (Evening Advisement)** – AP registration is finalized.
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Things to consider...

- Deciding on which and how many AP courses a student should take is a team effort that includes students, parents, and teachers
 - AP classes are year-long commitments
 - Data such as class grades and PSAT scores can be great indicator of potential success but are not the only factors considered
 - Motivation, time management, and determination are factors that while hard to measure, can drastically affect success in AP classes as well as college
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