

Perry High School Advanced Placement Registration – 2017/2018

Student: _____ Panther Period teacher: _____

Parent(s) name(s): _____ Phone number: _____

AP courses are the most rigorous academic courses offered in high school. It is essential that you clearly understand the requirements of the courses you plan to take and make a yearlong commitment. Teachers will be provided with your transcript as well as PSAT scores to help evaluate your chances of success in the course(s) for which you apply. Of course motivation, time management, and determination are factors that, while hard to measure, can drastically affect the level of a student's success in AP classes as well as college. Please consider these factors as you decide the quantity and types of AP course(s) to take.

Please respond to the following questions to help guide you and our staff to make the best decisions possible:

_____ Do you understand that AP courses are actually college courses and are more difficult and time consuming than most high school courses?

_____ Do you have the self-discipline and the time available to study for AP 1-2 hours daily, possibly more if taking multiple AP classes?

_____ Do you feel confident you could do well on tests over reading material and/or problems from text that are not "covered" in detail in class discussion?

_____ Are you confident that you can continue to give your best effort and not become excessively discouraged by low grades or frustrating problems?

_____ Do you understand that this is a yearlong commitment?

_____ Are you involved in school activities that may cause you to miss class days? If so, are you capable of taking responsibility for those absences and keeping up with your AP studies?

List any extracurricular activities, community activities, or employment commitments you have which will require the dedication of your time.

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Time of Year</u>	<u>Hours Required Per Week</u>

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Mark the left column with an X by the courses for which you would like to be registered.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

	AP Language	juniors
	AP Literature	seniors

MATH

	AP Calculus AB	accelerated math seniors
	AP Statistics	juniors - seniors

SCIENCE

	AP Biology	juniors - seniors
	AP Chemistry prerequisite = Chemistry	juniors - seniors
	AP Environmental Science	sophomores-seniors
	AP Computer Science (CTAE and Science credit)	juniors- seniors

SOCIAL STUDIES

	AP World History	sophomores/seniors
	AP US History	juniors - seniors
	AP Macroeconomics	seniors
	AP Psychology - elective	juniors - seniors

FINE ARTS

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

*Individual AP courses/teachers may have specific prerequisites and requirements.

Course specific information is available in the counseling office and at AP Night.

Students will be notified of the courses that PHS will not be able to offer due to lack of sufficient interest.

Student registering for more than 2 AP classes will receive recommendations for which and how many AP courses the AP committee feels the student may be able to successfully complete.

AP course registration will be finalized during Parent Evening Advisement from March 6th – 8th.

Please sign below to indicate that you understand the special requirements and necessary time commitment of the AP program. AP courses are yearlong academic commitments. Only in extenuating circumstances are schedules changed once the school year begins.

Parent Signature: _____

Student Signature: _____

****AP requests are due in the counseling office no later than Wednesday, January 25, 2017****