

Rampart High School

AP Testing Contract 2019-2020

Taking an Advanced Placement (AP) class provides students an opportunity to experience a college level course, and they can earn college credits with a passing AP exam score. AP classes offer students rigorous instruction at a national level while requiring students to meet a higher level of responsibility.

AP students are required to read and sign the following contract to ensure they understand and are responsible to:

- *Immerse themselves in rigorous reading (textbooks are college level texts)*
- *Engage in work that may include--but is not limited to--independent reading, writing, frequent quizzes and tests, research and projects.*
- *Seek help when needed by consulting one's study peer/group, parent, or teacher and attend tutorial sessions when offered.*
- *Take the corresponding course exam in May.*

Sign Up for The Remind App:

Text the corresponding code to: 81010

<i>Alphabetized by last name.</i>	A - C	D - H	I - M	N - Q	S - Z
	@rampart1	@rampart2	@rampart3	@rampart4	@rampart5

The AP Program has made many improvements to the way it works. Please pay attention to the following regarding exam ordering and resources for your student.

Exam Ordering:

- ★ The new deadline for ordering AP exams is in the fall. Therefore, if a student drops a class or decides not to take the exam after Nov 1, 2019 they will be charged a \$40 fee for each exam ordered for them.
- ★ AP exams cost \$100 each and can be paid for on payforit.net (students who qualify for free and reduced lunch are eligible for a discounted exam fee)
- ★ Students who do not show up for their exam(s) will be charged \$40.
- ★ Students must inform Dr. Graham if they do not plan to take an exam(s) by November 1st
Failure to do so will result in a \$40 fee

New Classroom Resources:

- ★ Digital activation: At the beginning of the school year, students will complete a simple online enrollment process that will provide access to the new classroom resources and information necessary for exam registration. This will take place in EACH of their AP classes.
- ★ AP question bank: Teachers can use this library of real AP Exam questions to create in-class or homework practice assignments. Get feedback on questions assigned and where students need to focus their practice

Turn in signature sheet:

To folder outside AP Office (room 215) by September 13, 2019

If you have questions, you can contact the AP Coordinator, Dr. Graham, at:

abbey.graham@asd20.org or 719-234-6499

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STUDENTS: please read and initial next to each of the statements below:

_____ I understand that an AP class is a collegiate level class, and that the time commitment and rigor will reflect that of collegiate level.

_____ I understand I have until September 12th, 2019 to change out of my AP class without a W/F.

_____ I understand that AP exams have a cost of \$100 per class, a fee I am expected to pay for first semester. This is in addition to any course fees required.

_____ I understand that I am automatically signed up to take the AP exam, and unless I OPT OUT and inform Dr. Graham by November 1, 2019, an exam will be purchased for me.

_____ If I decide not to take the exam after November 1st, or fail to show up for my exam(s) in May, I will be charged \$40 to cover the cost of an unused exam. This also applies if I drop the course at semester. *There are no exceptions to this rule*

_____ I understand that Dr. Graham is available to answer any questions - I can find her in the AP Office: room 215, or her classroom: room 221, and her email address is abbey.graham@asd20.org; voicemail 719-234-6499

Student Name

Grade

Student Signature

Date

Current AP Class(es): _____

School - if NOT a Rampart student full time: _____

PARENTS/GUARDIANS

I have read the AP course description or course syllabus and understand the commitment required of my child. I am willing to support my child as he/she pursues this rigorous course of study.

I also understand that all AP students are expected and encouraged to take the AP exam in May.

Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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