



An Introduction to the Advanced Placement Program®

McLane High School

Welcome

McLane High School is committed to every student's success.

We believe access to rigorous course work such as Advanced Placement® (AP®) plays an important role in that success.





What Are Advanced Placement[®] Courses?

Advanced Placement[®]: The Basics

- AP[®] courses are college-level courses offered in high school
- Courses reflect what is taught in top introductory college courses
- Students take **AP Exams** at the end of the course, measuring their mastery of college-level work
- A score of 3 or higher on an AP Exam can typically earn students college credit and/or placement into advanced courses in college

Our AP[®] Courses

- **English:** English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition
- **History and Social Sciences:** European History, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Psychology, United States Government and Politics, United States History
- **Mathematics and Computer Science:** Calculus AB, Statistics
- **Sciences:** Biology and Chemistry
- **World languages:** Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture

AP Teachers at McLane

- **English** – Mr Raines – Language and Composition
- Mr Garcia and Mr Spjute – Literature and Composition

- **Mathematics** – Ms Vang – Calculus
- Mr Clark – Statistics

- **Spanish** – Sra Aviña-Garibay – Language and Literature

- **Science** – Dr. Romero-Torres – Biology
- Mr. Creamier – Chemistry

AP Teachers at McLane

- **Social Science**
- **European History and Psychology** – Ms. Mrkaich
- **US History** – Mr. Marhenke
- **Macroeconomics and US Government** – Mr. Johansson

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AP[®] Exams

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AP Exams are administered by schools worldwide on set dates in May each year.

- Exams are typically 2–3 hours and include:
 - Multiple-choice questions
 - Free-response items such as essays, problem solving, document-based questions and oral response



AP[®] Exam Fees

- The exam fee for 2017 is
- \$0 per exam.

Exam Schedule

Week 1

May 1st	Chemistry	Psychology
May 2nd	Spanish Lang	
May 3rd	English Lit	
May 4th	US Gov't	
May 5th	US History	

Exam Schedule

Week 2

May 8th	Biology	
May 9th	Calculus	Spanish Lit
May 10th	English Lang	Macroecon
May 11th		Statistics
May 12th	Human Geo	Euro. History

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What is it like to take AP[®]?

Our School Offers Support for AP[®] Students

Our school offers these resources and programs to support our AP students:

- *After School Program – staffed by tutors from area colleges*
- *Individual Tutoring – from teachers in classroom*
- *Extra Study Sessions – closer to exam time on Saturday mornings*
- *Khan Academy*



**Now.... Mr. Arun to talk about
Pathways**