



# AP Capstone™

**Applications due: Friday, Feb 19 (see link below)**

**AP Capstone** equips students with independent research, collaborative teamwork, and communication skills that are increasingly valued by colleges. To receive the AP Capstone Diploma, students must earn scores of 3 or higher in AP Seminar and AP Research and on four additional AP Exams of their choosing.

**AP Seminar** allows students to investigate real-world issues from multiple perspectives, gathering and analyzing information to develop evidence-based arguments

- Team Project and Presentation (20% of AP score)
- Individual Researched Essay and Presentation (35% of AP score)
- End-of-Course Exam (45% of AP score)

**AP Research** guides students in cultivating skills and discipline necessary to conduct independent research in order to produce and defend scholarly work

- Academic Paper (75% of AP score)
- Presentation and Oral Defense (25% of AP Score)

Students with a strong commitment to learning who desire education challenge are encouraged to apply:

- Must be a junior in August 2021
- GPA of 3.0 or higher (un-weighted)
- Currently enrolled in Honors English OR one AP course
- Score of 3 or higher on at least one AP exam

Click [HERE](#) to access the online application, which requires students to:

- upload a PDF of current transcript
- respond to ONE of two essay prompts (500 words or less)
- request TWO teacher recommendations
  - one English or history
  - one math or science

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