

**NEWTON SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL
140 BRANDEIS ROAD
NEWTON, MA 02459**

September 15, 2022

Dear AP Students and Families,

Taking the Advanced Placement (AP) exam is an important part of all AP courses. Newton South High School expects that all students enrolled in an AP class will register for and take the AP exam. Scoring well on an AP exam can often help students earn college credit.

There are **TWO steps** to the AP exam registration process. **Both steps need to be completed for an exam to be ordered.**

- **Step 1** - Register for an exam(s) on the College Board MyAP Site -<http://myap.collegeboard.org>. *(When asked for an email address, do not use a student NPS email address.)*
 - Students enrolled in an AP Course at South should be directed by their AP course teacher to register for the AP exam on the College Board MyAP website using a unique join code for their class.
 - If a student is self-studying for an AP exam, please contact the AP Coordinator for an exam-only join code.
 - Approval for self-study is subject to space limitations, with priority for upperclassmen
 - Newton South students requesting 2 or more self-study may be asked to check in with counselor first
 - Newton South students requesting self-study for a course offered at South may be asked for Department Head approval
 - Students wishing to take an exam MUST select “Yes” under the Order Exam section. Exams marked “Undecided” will NOT be ordered, regardless of payment status. This is a change from previous years.
- **Step 2** - Pay for the AP exam(s).
 - Students/Families will need to pay for the exam(s) they register for. Students/Families will need to use *Total Registration* <http://www.totalregistration.net/AP/221548>. *(When asked for an email address, do not use a student NPS email address.)*

The DEADLINE to complete BOTH STEPS is November 15, 2022.

Late registration remains open until March 15, 2023, with a \$40 late fee.

The cost per AP exam is \$105.00 in subjects offered at Newton South High School. Exams in subjects not offered at Newton South will cost \$155.00. Newton South High School desires that every student be able to take their AP exam(s). If you feel you qualify for financial assistance, please contact your guidance counselor by November 1, 2022.

Full refunds will be granted until November 15th. After November 15th, a \$65 refund will be granted, \$40 is withheld from the refund to pay the College Board cancelled/unused exam fee. No refunds will be granted after March 15, 2023.

If testing accommodations are needed and you haven't previously applied for College Board testing accommodations then please contact your guidance counselor or special education liaison by November 1.

Exam Schedule and Format - As of right now, all exams will be in person, paper-based (except Chinese - this will be in person, computer-based). If there are any changes, they will be communicated with you.

Conflicts – If you are taking 2 or more exams, please look at the schedule below.

If you are scheduled to take 2 exams in one day at different times, this is not a conflict unless you have approved extended time accommodations. The afternoon exam will not start until the morning exam ends and students taking both have had a chance to take a short break and eat lunch.

If you are scheduled for a rare combination of exams that conflict, I will be in touch with you directly to provide alternative testing date options.

Week 1	Morning 8 a.m. Local Time	Afternoon 12 p.m. Local Time
Monday, May 1, 2023	United States Government and Politics	Chemistry Spanish Literature and Culture
Tuesday, May 2, 2023	Chinese Language and Culture Environmental Science	Psychology
Wednesday, May 3, 2023	English Literature and Composition	Comparative Government and Politics Computer Science A
Thursday, May 4, 2023	Human Geography Macroeconomics	Seminar Statistics
Friday, May 5, 2023	European History United States History	Art History Microeconomics

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Art and Design: Friday, May 5, 2023 (8 p.m. ET), is the deadline for AP Art and Design digital portfolios to be submitted to the AP Program.

Week 2	Morning 8 a.m. Local Time	Afternoon 12 p.m. Local Time	Afternoon 2 p.m. Local Time
Monday, May 8, 2023	Calculus AB Calculus BC	Computer Science Principles Italian Language and Culture	
Tuesday, May 9, 2023	English Language and Composition Japanese Language and Culture	Physics C: Mechanics	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism
Wednesday, May 10, 2023	Spanish Language and Culture	Biology	
Thursday, May 11, 2023	French Language and Culture World History: Modern	Physics 1: Algebra-Based	
Friday, May 12, 2023	German Language and Culture Music Theory	Latin Physics 2: Algebra-Based	

** Start and end times are subject to change.*

Sincerely,
Ms. Victoria Paige Perkinson
Newton South High School Interim AP Coordinator