Lynbrook High School AP Exam Information 2019-2020



Dear Lynbrook Students and Families,

Welcome to the 2019-20 school year! This letter is intended for any student who is planning on taking an AP exam in May of 2020.

This year, registration for AP exams will be from **September 16-October 4**. This change to the registration window is mandated by College Board[©] for all AP programs, and is not the decision of FUHSD or its schools.

We realize this registration timeline is very early in the school year, so we encourage students to talk over their exam decisions with their family, teachers, and trusted adults. Students should consider their confidence in the course content, overall workload, post-secondary plans, and their other commitments in the spring when deciding whether or not to take an AP exam. Some colleges and universities require that students taking AP courses take the corresponding exam. The exam fee is \$115 for regular format exams and \$125 for special format (World Language, Music Theory, Studio Art) exams. There will be no late registration and no refunds, so students will need to plan carefully.

AP exams will take place from May 4-15, 2020. For more information, about AP exam registration at Lynbrook, please refer to the <u>FUHSD testing</u> website or stop by the ASB office Monday-Friday, 8am-3:30pm.

Below are frequently asked questions:

1. Where do I find information about AP exams?

For general information about the AP exams, please visit the CollegeBoard website at https://apcentral.collegeboard.org/. For our FUHSD specific information on AP testing and registration, please visit our district website at: https://www.fuhsd.org/academics/accountability/testing

2. When and where do I register for the AP exams I plan to take?

Registration for AP exams will be available online starting Monday, September 16, at 8am and will close promptly on Friday, October 4, at 4pm. Fremont Union High School District offers online registration for most exams through the Infinite Campus Portal.

You may also choose to register in person from September 16-October 4, Monday-Friday, 8am-3:30pm through our school's ASB office. Some exams that have specific eligibility requirements (e.g. AP Chinese, AP Computer Science Principles, AP Studio Art, lowdemand or late exams) are available only for paper-based registration through our ASB office.

Students who are eligible for reduced fees should inquire with Mrs. Boehm in the ASB office.

3. How can I register for the AP Chinese Language & Culture Exam?

Due to a limited number of seats, registration for the AP Chinese Language & Culture exam will be managed with a priority registration process. Please refer to the chart below for details; dates of registration for priority groups will be published in late January. This exam costs \$125 and is not open to non-FUHSD students. This exam can only be purchased in person and is not available online.

DATES	WHO CAN REGISTER FOR AP CHINESE EXAM?
9/16-9/20	All Lynbrook students enrolled in AP Chinese & any 12 th grade Lynbrook
	student
9/23-9/27	(if seats available) All students mentioned above and any 11 th grade
	Lynbrook student
9/30-10/4	(if seats available) All students mentioned above and any 9 th or 10 th grade
	Lynbrook student enrolled in a Lynbrook Chinese course
9/30-10/4	Lottery sign up only for any 9 th or 10 th grade Lynbrook student NOT enrolled
	in a Lynbrook Chinese course (link to lottery will be available on district
	website on 9/30 at 8am)

4. How much do AP exams cost?

Most exams are \$115 each payable in person with check (to 'FUHSD') or cash to the ASB office, or online with a credit card or e-check thorough the online Infinite Campus Portal. Special format tests (World Language, Studio Art, and Music Theory) cost \$125 each.

Absolutely NO REFUNDS. Fee reductions are available for students who qualify. Please see Ms. Boehm in the ASB office for the application.

5. If I am not enrolled in the AP course, how do I register for the AP exam (ie, self-studying for the AP exam)?

If you are planning to take an AP exam that you are self-studying for, you need to register for the test through the Infinite Campus Portal or in person with Mrs. Boehm in the ASB office between September 16-October 4. You will be contacted by administration in early-mid October with additional instructions (ie, College Board 'join code').

Thank you, Lynbrook AP Staff