

SANGER ISD Honors and AP Course Agreement

Student Name _____ ID # _____ Current Grade: _____

Fill in the Honors and AP courses you intend to take below, and get current teacher signatures.

Subject:	Course:	Teacher Signature
English:	_____	_____
Mathematics:	_____	_____
Science:	_____	_____
Social Studies:	_____	_____
World Language:	_____	_____

About AP and Honors Courses

College Board Advanced Placement Courses provide college level studies for high school students who desire and are ready to do college level work. In other words, these students have a strong curiosity about the subject and a willingness to work hard. AP and Honors courses are taught using advanced materials and strategies. Because of the intensity of AP and Honors courses, students should expect the pace and academic rigor to be above grade level to prepare students for College Board Advanced Placement coursework.

Typically, successful AP and Honors students are task-oriented, proficient readers who are able to organize their time and who have parental/guardian support. Students who are already overextended with academics or extracurricular activities should seriously consider whether they have the time to devote to AP/Honors classes. Outside study time is at least one to two times the amount of time spent in class per week.

STUDENT AND PARENT/GUARDIAN AND TEACHER RESPONSIBILITIES:

- STUDENT I agree to take full responsibility
- to show a commitment to academic excellence
 - to complete summer reading requirement as required by each grade level and content area
 - to attend class regularly, or tutorials if needed
 - to do my own work in order to improve my ability to reason, analyze and understand
 - to organize my time and study habits to complete successfully the above named course(s)
 - to confer with the teacher and take immediate action if I fall behind

PARENT/ GUARDIAN I agree to be familiar with the AP or Honors course requirements and exit procedures and help my son/daughter organize study time in support of class assignments. I agree to encourage him/her to communicate openly with the teacher when disciplinary or curricular questions or concerns arise. If the situation remains unresolved, I will request an appointment with the teacher.

TRANSFER POLICY:

A student may transfer from an AP or Honors class at the end of the first grading period or at the semester. Transfers beyond the first grading period window may be granted with administrative approval. To transfer out of an AP or Honors course, the AP/ Honors course withdrawal form must be filled out. A meeting with parent/guardian, teacher, and the student must take place and will determine on a case-by-case basis whether a course change is in the best interest of the student.

ACADEMIC INTEGRITY POLICY:

The class will operate according to SangerISD Academic Integrity Policy as described in The Student Code of Conduct.

STUDENT: _____
Signature Date

PARENT/GUARDIAN: _____
Signature Date