

“The great thing about taking AP Exams is that I was able to **earn 15 college credit hours** which is equivalent to an entire semester.”



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Benefits of Taking an AP Exam

Regardless of your teen's score, preparing for and taking an AP Exam sharpens the skills they need to transition from high school to college.

Completing an AP Exam can benefit your teen in many ways, including:



SAVE MONEY

AP credits can help lower college costs. Some students even graduate college early because of the credits they earn in high school through AP.



SAVE TIME

By earning advanced placement your teen may be able to skip introductory college courses, freeing up time in their schedule to pursue a double major, study abroad, or take part in an internship or other special program.



STAND OUT

Taking an AP course and exam is a great way to stand out to colleges. All AP Exam scores show colleges your teen is serious about their education, willing to take on a challenge, and has completed college-level work.

Free Resources to Prepare for AP Exams

Help your teen get ready for their AP Exams by watching AP Daily: Practice Sessions. This new video series is focused on practicing free-response and multiple-choice questions.

Learn more about AP Daily: Practice Sessions and view a full list of free resources.

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