AP vs. CCP CLASSES

Which is best for me? Comparing AP and CCP Courses

When making scheduling decisions, one of the most commonly asked questions is: "Which is better, AP or CCP?" This question does not consider the simple fact that students are different. Whether it's the student's goal, interests, passions or abilities that make up the differences, there can never be a single "right" approach to a student's individual growth and development.

The first question to ask yourself when considering an AP class is, "Do I LOVE this subject?" An AP class is all school year, usually has summer work, and requires quite a bit of reading and studying to be successful.

Please take the time to review and consider the pros and cons of each program in each content area. Mixing course formats may be a better choice than all of one or another. Choose a path that is as unique as you.

Why? Completion of CCP courses allows students to earn transcripted college credit toward a degree or career certification during high school, and is accepted by most Ohio colleges and could be accepted at out-of-state colleges as well. Start with www.transferology.com and also check with your college of interest for transferability options.	**Why?** Completion of AP courses with qualifying exam grades are accepted for credit, accelerated placement or both by most colleges, both in and out of Ohio.
What? An opportunity to take college courses and earn both high school and college credit. Courses can be taken at GHS or online/in person at a local college.	**What?** Challenging academic program designed to provide motivated high school students with college level academic courses.
When? CCP courses are available to any student in grades 9-12 who meets the admission require-	**When?** AP courses are typically available to students at the freshman, sophomore, junior and senior levels.
Where? CCP courses can be taken at GHS or online/in person at a local college.	**Where?** AP courses are offered at GHS
Assessments Throughout the college semester resulting in a final transcripted grade.	**Assessments** AP exam at the end of each course. Check with your colleges of interest to confirm required AP test score requirements and course equivalency.