

Timber Creek High School Advanced Placement Choice Program Policies
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RESPONSIBILITIES

1. You are expected to fulfill all course requirements in order to receive credit.
2. You are expected to act in a mature manner when participating in AP courses.
3. You are expected to maintain a high level of dedication to each of your AP courses.
4. You are expected to be self-motivated.
5. You are expected to work independently.
6. You are expected to complete all assignments in a timely manner.

PARTICIPATION

1. You must complete an application to the TCHS AP Choice Program, which includes an interview and writing an essay.
2. You are expected to acquire necessary summer reading lists before you leave school for the summer break.
3. You are expected to complete summer reading assignments. Failure to complete summer reading will not be accepted as grounds for dropping an AP course.
4. You are required to complete Geometry Honors prior to beginning your sophomore year.
5. If you wish to drop from the APC Program, schedule changes will be made only at the end of the first or second marking quarter if you have a C or better in your classes AND only after a parent conference. If your grades are lower, you may drop during the year but only after a parent conference.

INDIVIDUAL COURSE REQUIREMENTS

You are expected to abide by additional policies which individual teachers may specify.

EXAMS

The following policies are established to ensure that you understand the seriousness of your commitment to participating in the TCHS Advanced Placement Choice Program. We want to provide the best testing environment possible; therefore,

1. You are required to take the AP exam for each AP course you take.
2. The exam schedule will be available to you the first quarter of the school year. It is your responsibility to plan your schedule to allow for your taking the exam(s) on the specified date(s) and time.

HONOR CODE

The nature of advanced placement work sometimes requires that students complete assignments such as tests and writing assignments out of class. You are expected to complete your own work without the assistance of others unless the instructor specifically allows collaboration. Sharing your work with another student, using another student's work as your own, or plagiarizing materials from published works or internet sources may result in your removal from that AP course and/or the APC Program.

Please note: Policies are subject to change. You will be notified in writing of any changes to the current policy.