

Notes from AP Webinar on April 2, 2020 at 7:00 pm EST

College Board Updates are posted here:

<https://apcentral.collegeboard.org/about-ap/news-changes/coronavirus-update>

Please read these notes carefully, and know this is only a summary of key points. It is critical that you (student) read and understand what the College Board releases today (April 3rd) so you can make an informed decision, with parent support, about taking your AP Exams in the online format.

No new test orders are being accepted by the College Board. Students can withdraw from taking the Exam (and receive a full refund from school). Please respond to the AP Survey to inform Sun Valley of your decision. All AP teachers have access to the AP survey and can distribute it to you if needed.

- **Exam Formats:**

- AP World and US prompts will be a DBQ with 5 documents instead of 7
- AP English Language and Literature will be FRQs (prose & rhetorical analysis)
- Most other exams will have two FRQs timed at 25 minutes and 15 minutes each
- World Languages will not have writing or reading, just listening and speaking
- AP Calculus-BC students can switch to AB if counselors allow it. No AB sub-scores this year

- All AP Exams are online.
- Students will be required to be available at the College Board assigned time, uninterrupted for the 45-minute period.
- Test dates are 5/11-5/22 (see schedule below). June testing dates are make-ups only and must be pre-approved by the school administration.
- Students have to “time keep” themselves. 45-minute timer is on screen but they can turn it off if it is distracting. Only responses uploaded in time can be graded.
- Must submit answers on same device in which they retrieved the questions.
- Extended testing time will be granted through portal automatically to students who have previously made this arrangement and have been approved.
- Other accommodations will be detailed in coordinator manual (late April).
- Students can type responses or hand write responses and upload a picture.
- College Board should have a video explanation of all testing procedures by late April and they hope to provide a practice round so students are familiar with the technology and can explore the portal so they are prepared on test day.
- Live videos on AP YouTube will also show the platform.
- Students may use notes and search engines during the test, but CANNOT consult with another person. Cheating protocols will be strict, especially for plagiarism. Severe consequences such as alerting all colleges of a student in question of cheating, plagiarism, etc.

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- Exams questions will be more application based.
- Students can only use one device and must "submit with the same device they retrieve the question with."
- AP reading (scoring) will all be online this year. In-person readings will return next year (CDC-permitting). Each response is going to be read twice.
- Teachers will receive copies of student work (no later than May 26th) so they can alert AP to any inconsistencies and/or use the work as part of a grade in their class if they choose (like a final).
- Revised rubrics will be posted for classes tomorrow (e.g. essays in History and Government)
- World Language recordings will be student-led and could remain in the future

2020 AP[®] Exam Schedule



| Exam Start Times ▶ Local times may vary depending on a student's geographic location. | Hawaii Time: 6:00am Alaska Time: 8:00am Pacific Time: 9:00am Mountain Time: 10:00am Central Time: 11:00am Eastern Time: 12:00pm | Hawaii Time: 8:00am Alaska Time: 10:00am Pacific Time: 11:00am Mountain Time: 12:00pm Central Time: 1:00pm Eastern Time: 2:00pm | Hawaii Time: 10:00am Alaska Time: 12:00pm Pacific Time: 1:00pm Mountain Time: 2:00pm Central Time: 3:00pm Eastern Time: 4:00pm |
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| Primary | | | |
| Mon, May 11 | Physics C: Mechanics | Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism | United States Government and Politics |
| Tues, May 12 | Latin | Calculus AB Calculus BC | Human Geography |
| Wed, May 13 | Physics 2: Algebra-Based | English Literature and Composition | European History |
| Thurs, May 14 | Spanish Literature and Culture | Chemistry | Physics 1: Algebra-Based |
| Fri, May 15 | Art History | United States History | Computer Science A |
| Mon, May 18 | Chinese Language and Culture | Biology | Environmental Science |
| Tues, May 19 | Music Theory | Psychology | Japanese Language and Culture Italian Language and Culture |
| Wed, May 20 | German Language and Culture | English Language and Composition | Microeconomics |
| Thurs, May 21 | French Language and Culture | World History: Modern | Macroeconomics |
| Fri, May 22 | Comparative Government and Politics | Statistics | Spanish Language and Culture |
| Make-up | | | |
| Mon, June 1 | United States Government and Politics Physics C: Mechanics | Human Geography Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism | Calculus AB Calculus BC Latin |
| Tues, June 2 | English Literature and Composition Spanish Literature and Culture | Physics 1: Algebra-Based European History | Chemistry Physics 2: Algebra-Based |
| Wed, June 3 | United States History Art History | Environmental Science Computer Science A | Biology Chinese Language and Culture |
| Thurs, June 4 | English Language and Composition German Language and Culture | Japanese Language and Culture Italian Language and Culture Microeconomics | Psychology Music Theory |
| Fri, June 5 | World History: Modern Macroeconomics | Spanish Language and Culture Comparative Government and Politics | Statistics French Language and Culture |