

BISHOP FEEHAN HIGH SCHOOL
AP Course Contract

Student Name: _____ Year of Graduation: _____
Student Email: _____ Current HR #: _____
AP Course: _____

Advanced Placement (AP) courses at Feehan are exceptionally rigorous and come with unique requirements and expectations. The purpose of the form is to ensure the student's and parent's awareness of those expectations and the very specific commitments associated with AP enrollment. Student and parent signatures indicate understanding of the following:

- AP courses are college-level courses in which students with a strong academic skills and passion for the subject immerse themselves in intensive, college-preparatory learning experiences.
- AP courses are more rigorous than other courses and demand more time and effort from the student.
- AP courses require strong work habits, study skills and time management in and out of class. Work may include, but is not limited to, independent reading, writing, research and projects.
- Students are required to attend mandatory class meetings outside of the regularly scheduled class period. Work may be assigned in the summer before the class and during school vacations.
- Students will not be removed from an AP class once enrolled. Grades may be lower than a student is used to; struggles (and necessary perseverance) are often part of the AP experience.

Student

Initials

I understand that ...

_____ I will not be removed from the course once enrolled.
_____ I must provide longer periods of study time to this class and will attend required meetings outside of regular class time.
_____ I may need extra tutoring and will be proactive about seeking outside support.
_____ I must proactively communicate with and seek help from the teacher.
_____ I must monitor progress in PlusPortals on a weekly basis.
_____ I must practice the highest level of academic integrity.
_____ I am required to take the AP exam for this course and pay the associated exam fee.
_____ I am responsible for learning portions of the material on my own outside of class instruction time, including during the summer and school vacations.

STUDENT COMMITMENT

I acknowledge the rigorous nature of an AP course. I am making a commitment to putting my best efforts into success in this course, even in the face of challenges. I understand and agree that I will not be removed from this class once enrolled.

Signature: _____
Date: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN COMMITMENT

I acknowledge the rigorous nature of my child's enrollment in this AP course. I have discussed the commitments listed above with my child and I understand my child will not be removed from this class once enrolled.

Signature: _____
Date: _____