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Individuals Exam Schedule

Please review your schedule in College Board to confirm your exam dates and locations. Please note that some individuals may have alternate dates due to test schedule conflicts and/or extended time accommodations.

Testing Accommodations

Please review your accommodations in your College Board account. Only accommodations listed there will be applied to your AP exams. If you test using accommodations that haven't been approved by College Board in advance, your scores will be canceled.

If you wish to forgo using approved accommodations, please note this on your College Board account and contact the AP Coordinators so that exams can be adjusted accordingly. If you have any questions about the implementation of your approved accommodations, please contact APcoordinator@brrsd.k12.nj.us

Student Illness

Parents/guardians must contact the AP Coordinators at apcoordinator@brrsd.k12.nj.us before/on the exam day. Please include the student's name, grade, and exam they are missing and indicate that the student will not be present due to illness. If your child will recover in time to test during the "Alternate Exams" schedule posted by The College Board, you must also request to take an "Alternate Exam" in the email.

An "Alternate Exam" can only be ordered if a note on the physician's/hospital's letterhead is submitted. This letter must state the child's name, the name/date of the missed AP exam, and contain a statement from the Physician that the child has not been cleared to sit for their AP exam on the specified date. Once this document has been received by the AP Coordinator, an AP exam will be ordered, and you will be contacted by email to confirm the date/time of the exam. If the student no longer wishes to sit for the exam, please follow the Cancellation instructions above, or you will be considered a no-show.

Getting Ready

It is never too early to start getting things in order for your AP Exams. Please take a moment to review the information below.

Identification Requirements

On Exam day you will be required to produce either a photo school ID or a government issued id. Please check now that your College Board Account name matches that on your planned identification.

Device Preparedness

Please ensure that your school issued chromebook is in good working order for testing. Any problems should be addressed by bringing your computer to the Tech department for repair before testing begins. **Only school issued chromebooks can be used for AP testing.**

Bluebook

Please take the time to see that the College Board Bluebook App is downloaded to the device you will be using during your AP ex-

Cancellation Information

Students MUST register on [Total Registration](#) as well as on the College Board to have an exam ordered.

All payments are managed through Total Registration. Students wishing to cancel an exam must go to their Total Registration account and request to cancel their exam before the test date. This is the only way to receive a refund. The College Board has set a refund fee of \$40 per exam.

Students who do not sit for an exam and do not request a cancellation through Total Registration before April 25th will forfeit their entire refund, no exceptions.

Exam Day Early Dismissal/Late Arrival

The Late Arrival/Early Dismissal Form (linked in the Google Classroom) should only be used if a student has an AP Exam and is not attending their classes prior to or after that day's exams. A separate form must be completed for each day.

Your parents or guardian will receive a form that must be submitted and approved by your parent/guardian at least 24 hours before the AP Exam. If this parental permission form is not completed, student absences will not be excused.

It's important to note that even though the absence will be excused and not considered a cut, it will still be a chargeable absence as per the attendance policy. **Please check the number of absences you have to make sure you will not lose credit in a class.** Classes missed while not testing will be counted towards the attendance policy.

ams. Sign-in and familiarize yourself with the App so that you are comfortable with how to use it on test day. Bluebook will install any updates when the application is opened so plan on opening it the night before each exam to prevent delays in starting your test.

DAC (Digital Audio Capture)

The AP French, AP German, AP Italian and AP Spanish Language Exams as well as the AP Music Theory exam, all include a recorded component. These recordings will be made on the DAC app installed on your chromebook. The AP Chinese exam is taken in a special app which should be installed on your chromebook. Please familiarize yourself with using this app before test day.

Calculators

This year for all exams that allow or require calculators, except AP Statistics, you can use the built-in Desmos gra-

phing calculator through the Bluebook testing application. Please practice using this built in calculator so it is familiar on test day.

Note that for Calculus AB, Calculus BC, and Precalculus, Desmos will only be available in the calculator-required parts of the exam. These exams continue to have parts where no calculator is allowed. Please begin now to work with the built-in Desmos calculator so you are comfortable with it on the day of the exams.

You can bring up to 2 permitted calculators to the exam. Be sure to bring calculators that you're familiar with and that are in good working order. The proctor will check all calculators before the exam starts.

Only certain types and brands of calculators are allowed, please review the [AP Calculator Policy](#) for a list of specific calculators allowed.

Calculators are permitted on the following AP exams:

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| • Biology | • Physics 1 |
| • Calculus AB | • Physics 2 |
| • Calculus BC | • Physics C: Mechanics |
| • Chemistry A | • Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism |
| • Environmental Science | • Precalculus |
| • Macroeconomics | • Statistics* |
| • Microeconomics | |

**The Desmos graphing calculator is not available for the Statistics exam because Desmos does not currently have the required statistics computational capabilities.*

Calculators are not allowed for any other AP Exams, including Computer Science A and Computer Science Principles, unless a student has an approved accommodation for use of a 4-function calculator.

Test Day Restrictions

NO BACKPACKS WILL BE ALLOWED INTO THE TESTING SITES

You MUST place any allowed/necessary items into a clear plastic bag to bring into the testing site.

Please take a moment to check in Powerschool for your locker number and combination so you can locate and test the combination to be able to put your backpack into the locker during testing.

Students will secure items and will be allowed back in the testing room if the exam has not begun. If the exam has started students will not be allowed entrance into the room and the exam will be cancelled with no refund or rescheduling.

Items Allowed

- A government-issued or your school-issued photo ID.
- Fully charged testing device (devices should be able to hold a charge for at least 4 hours) with Bluebook installed
- Charging cord/AC adapter that is compatible with their testing device
- Several sharpened No. 2 pencils (with erasers) for completing multiple-choice answer sheets.
- Pens with black or dark blue ink for completing areas on the exam booklet covers and for free-response questions in most exams.
- Up to two approved calculators with necessary capabilities if you are taking an exam that permits calculators
- Personal analog watch.
- Bottle of water and simple snack

Students that are found to be in possession of anything other than the allowable items on the above list will be dismissed from the exam room.

Items prohibited

- Text books, Course notes etc.
- Mechanical Pencils
- Non-College Board approved Calculators
- ALL cell phones /Smart Watches
- Back packs, tissues, pencil cases, hats, blankets, purses, wallets, ID protectors, etc.
- The College Board prohibits ALL electronic devices.

Students that are found to be in possession of an electronic device including cell phones will be dismissed from the exam room.

- The device may be temporarily confiscated and The College Board will immediately be made aware of the violation of testing security policies. Possible outcomes for breach of security policies may result in score cancellation, no rescheduling and no refund. Under some circumstances students may be banned from future testing (AP, SAT, CLEP).

2025 AP Test Schedule

Confirm Date, Time and Location of individual AP exams through your College Board account.

Date		Time
Wed Apr 30	AP Research	
Mon May 5	AP Biology	7:20 AM
	AP Latin	7:20 AM
	AP European History	12:00 PM
	AP Microeconomics	12:00 PM
Tue May 6	AP Chemistry	7:20 AM
	AP United States Government and Politics	12:00 PM
Wed May 7	AP English Literature and Composition	7:20 AM
	AP Comparative Government and Politics	12:00 PM
	AP Computer Science A	12:00 PM
Thu May 8	AP Statistics	7:20 AM
Fri May 9	AP Italian Language	7:20 AM
	AP United States History	7:20 AM
	AP Chinese Language and Culture	12:00 PM
	AP Macroeconomics	12:00 PM
	AP 2D Art & Design	8PM Submission Deadline
	AP Drawing	8PM Submission Deadline
Mon May 12	AP Calculus AB	7:20 AM
	AP Calculus BC	7:20 AM
	AP Music Theory	12:00 PM
	AP Seminar	12:00 PM
Tue May 13	AP French Language and Culture	7:20 AM
	AP Environmental Science	12:00 PM
	AP Physics 2	12:00 PM
Wed May 14	AP English Language and Composition	7:20 AM
	AP German Language and Culture	7:20 AM
	AP Physics C: Mechanics	12:00 PM
Thu May 15	AP Art History	7:20 AM
	AP Spanish Language and Culture	7:20 AM
	AP Computer Science Principles	12:00 PM
	AP Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	12:00 PM
Fri May 23	AP Physics 1	7:20 AM
	AP Psychology	12:00 PM