

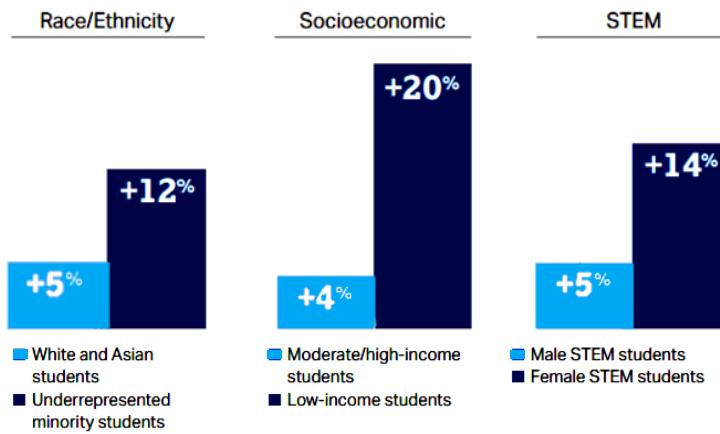
Dear NYOS AP Community,

The exams in an Advanced Placement Course are an important part of participating in the AP program offered at NYOS. It is through the AP College Board Exams in May of 2020 that students have the potential to earn college credit for these courses, thus saving both time and tuition in the future.

For the 2019-2020 academic year, AP College Board, has changed their timelines for registering for exams. As a result, **NYOS is asking that students register and pay for their AP exams by the end of 1st Quarter, September 27, 2019**. The AP College Board found the following:

More Students Succeed When They Register in the Fall

More than half of schools that offer AP ask students to commit to taking the exam in the fall, boosting their chance of earning a score that translates to college credit. We've seen the benefits firsthand. Our 2017-18 fall exam registration pilot included 100 schools and 40,000 students. At these schools, scores of 3 and above increased across student groups:



This data led to the change in timeline, which resulted in an earlier registration date. Due to Fall Break, **please make sure your student both registers and pays for their AP exams by September 27, 2019**.

Students need to register for their exams online. Please take time to sit down with your student to ensure everyone is on the same page about which exams will be taken. To view and register for exams, students will need to log-on to their AP College Board account. For each exam the student wishes to take, they will need to select Register for Exam, and follow the prompts to sign up for the AP exam.

The fees associated with the exams are outlined below:

Exam	Fee	Late Registration**
AP Exam (per test)	\$94	\$134
Reduced Fee*	\$23	\$63
AP Seminar	\$142	\$182
Reduced Fee*	\$71	\$111
Cancelled Exam**	\$40	

*Reduced fee is based on free and reduced lunch qualifications. If you are uncertain, contact Paul Jomini at pjomini@nyos.org for eligibility questions.
Reduced fees now reflect the TX additional subsidy for AP testing that took effect as of 8/22/19.

** These fees apply to any changes to exams after November 15th. Exams cannot be ordered after March 13th.

NYOS is pleased to offer multiple options to pay for the AP exams. You can pay by check (made out to NYOS Charter School) or cash by delivering the payment to Paul Jomini in Building D, Room 100, or you can pay online by going to:

<https://co.clickandpledge.com/sp/d2/default.aspx?wid=158127>

This link can also be accessed by navigating to www.nyos.org. From the home page navigate to *Secondary Student Resources*. There you will see a page for *AP Final Exam Schedule & Payment*. Though you need to pay for each exam, you only need to make one payment. So a student taking 2 Regular AP exams, and AP Seminar would need to pay \$330 (\$94 + \$94 + \$142 = \$330).

Here is a timeline of registration and important dates:

- August 12th, 2019 begin registration for AP exams, and fees can be deposited
- **September 27th, 2019 AP registration and fees due to NYOS**
- October 31st 2019 NYOS AP Teachers finalize students taking exams
- November 15th, 2019 AP College Board exam order date
- March 13th, 2020 Last day to order late exams (additional fees apply)
- May 4th, 2020 Regular exam testing begins

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to your student's AP teacher or myself.

Thank you for your help and support,

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