

PRE-REGISTRATION & INSTRUCTOR APPROVAL FORM
AP[®] CHEMISTRY

This course follows the scope and sequence of the AP[®] Chemistry course as described by the Advanced Placement (AP[®]) Program. These objective ensure that the student will develop problem-solving skills and a college-level understanding of general chemistry principles and applications. The curriculum is adjusted each year when the publication of curriculum changes. Students enrolled in the class must take the AP[®] exam. Scientific calculators are used extensively. There is a long summer assignment due upon return in the fall. For enrollment in the class, students must have completed chemistry with a minimum B⁺ average. Completion of pre-calculus is recommended. Students concurrently registered for pre-calculus should have earned a B average in Algebra II. Recommendations from current math and science teachers are also required. Administrative discretion applies.

Student Name _____

Date _____

Previous Science	Year Taken	Letter Grade	Previous Math	Year Taken	Letter Grade
<i>Physical Science</i>			<i>Algebra I</i>		
<i>Biology</i>			<i>Geometry</i>		
<i>Chemistry</i>			<i>Algebra II</i>		
			<i>Pre-calculus</i>		
			<i>Trigonometry</i>		

My current math teacher approves my entrance into AP[®] Chemistry for the upcoming school year.

Current Instructor Recommendation:

_____ Strongly recommend

_____ Recommend

_____ Conditional (please explain)

_____ Do not recommend

Current Instructor Signature: _____

Date: _____

My current science teacher approves my entrance into AP[®] Chemistry for the upcoming school year.

Current Instructor Recommendation:

_____ Strongly recommend

_____ Recommend

_____ Conditional (please explain)

_____ Do not recommend

Current Instructor Signature: _____

Date: _____

If your current instructor does not recommend you, you are still eligible to apply for admission in AP[®] Chemistry if you type a one-page, double-spaced essay detailing your strengths and reasons for wanting to be in the course. The Science Department will determine acceptance or denial and inform applicant prior to 2017-2018 course registration dates. Submit essay with this form attached to the front office on or before 3:45pm on Friday, 3 March 2017.

Department Use Only:

Accepted: YES NO

Department Head

Signature: _____

Date: _____

_____GPA

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Please see back of page for student and parent understanding statement.

Parents and Students: please read the following carefully before signing:

By signing up for this course, I/we understand that this is a challenging college-level class offered in high school. Furthermore, I/we understand that I/my child will be expected to participate fully in this year-long class as well as complete all assigned tasks, which may include reading, writing, individual and group projects, labs, etc. I/my child will also take the AP[®] exam in May, for which we will prepare all year. Payment of ~\$90 testing fee will be due and collected in the spring prior to completion of the AP[®] Chemistry test.

I/we understand that I am enrolling in year-long course and am required to complete the full year. I/we understand that if I withdraw from AP[®] Chemistry at any time before the end of a semester I will receive a "WF". I/we understand the "WF" will be placed on my transcripts and figured into my GPA. If I drop AP[®] Chemistry at semester, I will not receive credit for the semester finished and the grade I earned will be figured into my GPA without the GPA weighted grade. I/we understand a "W" will be reflected on my second semester transcript. I/we understand that administrative discretion applies.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

COMPLETED FORM DUE TO THE FRONT OFFICE BY 3:45pm FRIDAY 3 MARCH 2015

Late forms will not be accepted.