

PRE-REGISTRATION & INSTRUCTOR APPROVAL FORM

AP U.S. HISTORY

Student Name (print): _____ **Date:** _____

There are two ways to pre-register for APUSH. No student may register for an AP course without completing the pre-registration process that follows:

1. Current history teacher's recommendation for entrance into **AP U.S. History** for 2017-18 school year.

Current Instructor Recommendation:

_____ Recommend _____ Do not recommend (see option 2)

Current Instructor Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Future Instructor Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

2. If recommendation is denied, you are still eligible to apply for admission to APUSH:
 - a. Type a one-page, double-spaced essay detailing your strengths and reasons for wanting to be in the course.
 - b. Submit essay with this form attached to the front office by Friday, March 3, 2017
 - c. The Social Science Department will determine acceptance or denial and inform applicant before registration for the 2017-18 school year begins.

STUDENT SECTION

Please read the following and acknowledge with your signature:

By signing up for this course, I understand that this is a challenging college-level class offered in a high school setting. Furthermore, I understand that I will be expected to participate fully in the class as well as complete all assigned tasks, which will include reading, writing, individual and group projects, etc. I will also take the AP exam in May, for which we will prepare all year.

Student Signature _____ **Date** _____

PARENT SECTION

Please read the following and acknowledge with your signature:

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

Parent Signature _____ **Date** _____

STM COURSE WITHDRAWAL POLICY: Read carefully and initial below

Students enrolled in yearlong courses must complete the full year in order to receive credit. If a student withdraws from the class at any time before the end of a semester, he/she will receive a "WF" (Withdrawal-F). This will be placed on the transcript and figured into GPA. If a student drops a yearlong course at semester time, he/she will not receive credit or the grade received for the semester completed. The full year must be completed to receive credit and to have the grade count towards the student's GPA. If the student drops the class at the end of the first semester, there will be a "W" (Withdrawn from class) placed on the transcript for both semesters. Administration discretion may be used in extreme circumstances.

Student Initials _____ **Date** _____ **Parent Initials** _____ **Date** _____

**COMPLETED FORM DUE TO THE FRONT OFFICE BY
FRIDAY MARCH 3, 2017 @ 3:45 P.M.**