## IT'S TIME TO APPLY FOR AP COURSES: Visit the AP Corner on the Grady Website to apply. The link will open at 12:01 AM Thursday, November 2, 2017.

- > AP Information/Dual Enrollment Information Night is Wednesday, November 1, 2017, at 6:30 PM in the Vincent D. Murray Theater.
- ALL STUDENTS will apply for AP courses online via Grady's website. The link to access the online application is on Grady's website:

  <a href="http://www.atlanta.k12.ga.us/Domain/3087">http://www.atlanta.k12.ga.us/Domain/3087</a>. Choose the "AP Corner" option under Quick Links to access the application and any additional AP information. The electronic application will be active from 12:01 AM, Thursday, November 2, 2017 MIDNIGHT Friday, December 15, 2017, and it requires BOTH a student's AND a parent's/quardian's electronic signature.
- > Students who need a **PAPER APPLICATION** should see Mr. Vincent (B108) OR get one in the cafeteria (near the windows by the College Counselors' office).
- > The **AP Corner** on Grady's website also contains other resources to assist you: a course catalogue, links to sample exams, full course descriptions, etc.
- ALL APPLICATIONS (online and hardcopy) must be submitted **on or before Friday**, **December 15**, **2017**. If you are submitting a paper application, submit the completed application to Mr. Vincent's office (B108) OR to the Main Office. If he's not in his office, just slide it under the door. If you leave it in the Main Office, make SURE you give it to the secretary.

## Minimum Qualifications for Advanced Placement 2018-19

In order to be approved for an AP course, a student must meet all grade level/prerequisite requirements. In addition, the student must meet the minimum requirement in two of the following: (1) unweighted subject GPA, (2) teacher recommendation from most current subject-area instructor, (3) PSAT scores or (4) Gifted-Identified. Due to space restrictions, minimally qualified students may not be approved. Approval is tentative and does not guarantee placement in the course. If you meet the prerequisite course requirements but NOT the grade level requirements, there may be a way for you to apply and possibly be approved. Relax. The online application will guide you through this process.

		Minimum PS	SAT Scores				
AP Course	10	11	12	Prerequisites & Co-requisites	Minimum Unweighted Subject GPA	Reading & Writing	Math
Studio Art		Χ	Χ	Three art courses AND/OR portfolio review	85		
Music Theory	Х	X	Χ	Two years of Orchestra, Adv. Band, or Adv. Chorus + concurrent enrollment in third year			
Literature & Composition			Χ	9th, 10th, 11th English Lit. & Comp.	85 in Honors	500	
Language & Composition/ American Literature		X		9 <sup>th</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> English Lit. & Composition <b>AP US History may be taken concurrently</b>	Eng. & SS (90 in non-H)	500	
French		Χ	Χ	French I, II, & III or Study Abroad	80	500	
Latin		Χ	Χ	Latin I, II, & III	80	500	
Spanish		Χ	Χ	Spanish I, II, & III or Study Abroad	80	500	
Calculus AB		Χ	Χ	Accelerated Pre-Calculus or Pre-Calculus	85	500	500
Calculus BC		Х	Χ	AP Calculus AB	90	500	550
Statistics	Χ	Χ	Χ	Accelerated Geometry B/Algebra II or Algebra II	85	500	500
Computer Science A		Χ	Χ	Geometry; Algebra II (may be taken concurrently)	80	500	500
Computer Science Principles	Х	Χ	Χ	Geometry	80	500	500
Physics 1		X	X	Biology, Chemistry; Algebra I and Geometry	85 in Honors Science/ Accel. Math/Alg. II. (90 in non-H/Adv level)	500	500

Physics 2			X	Biology, Chemistry, Physics; Pre-Calculus	85 in Honors/AP Science/ Accel. Math/Alg. II. (90 in non-H/Adv level)	500	500
Biology		X	X	Biology, Chemistry Algebra II or Accelerated Geo/Algebra II (May need to take Physics concurrently to meet graduation requirements)	85	500	500
Environmental Science			Χ	Physics, Chemistry, Biology; Algebra II or Accelerated Geo/Algebra II	85	500	500
Chemistry		Χ	Χ	Biology, Chemistry & Geometry	85 in Honors Science/ Accel. Math/Alg. II. (90 in non-H/Adv level)	500	500
U.S. History		Х		Civics, & World History (AP Lang. & Comp. may be taken concurrently)	85 in Honors Eng. & SS (90 in non-H)	500	
World History	Х			AP Human Geography and/or Civics	80 in Honors Eng. & SS (85 in non-H)	500	
Psychology		Х	Х	Teacher Recommendation from most current social studies teacher	N/A	500	
Government & Politics		Χ	Χ	Civics, & World History	85 in Eng. & SS	500	
Comparative Government		Χ	Х	Civics, & World History	85 in Eng. & SS	500	
European History			Χ	AP World History and AP U.S. History	Unweighted 90 in AP U.S. History	500	
Economics (Microeconomics/ Macroeconomics)	Х	Χ	Χ	Accelerated Geometry B/Algebra II or Algebra II (Pre-Calculus or AMDM - concurrent is ok)	85	500	500
Seminar	X			Acceptance into the AP Capstone Program	<ul> <li>overall high school GPA of 85 or higher if taking any honors ELA, SCI, Social Studies and Math courses OR a GPA of 90 or higher if taking all regular ELA, SCI, Social Studies and Math courses.</li> <li>The AP Committee will read the paragraph you wrote in your application, and the score should be at least an 85 on a 100-point scale. They will evaluate based on grammar, mechanics, idea development, etc.</li> </ul>		
Research		X	X	Acceptance into the AP Capstone Program; AP Seminar	TBD		