



High School Statement of Expectations for Advanced Level Courses

Fort Worth ISD is committed to providing the best educational opportunities possible for all students. Advanced level Pre-AP, Pre-IB, Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate courses prepare students for future academic and professional success.

Please read and sign the following statement of expectations:

I understand that I am a student of great potential with the ability to be successful in Pre-AP, Pre-IB, Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate or Dual Credit courses. With this understanding, I am willing to make the commitment of time and effort required by these classes. I understand the following about this trajectory:

- Advanced level courses prepare students for success in future college level advanced placement coursework, college courses, and future related jobs.
- These courses will follow a more rigorous level of curriculum (as outlined by the College Board, International Baccalaureate or state and district curriculum) and will require increased commitment of the student’s time and effort. Courses include AP, Pre-AP, Honors, IB and Dual Credit as defined in Bulletin 100.
- Students enrolled in these classes should expect frequency of homework, completion of independent projects, individual performances or presentations.
- Advanced Placement classes are college-level courses that require critical reading, writing, application of cross-curricular knowledge and constant analysis.
- Students enrolled in Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate courses are required to take the appropriate Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate exam(s) (administered by the campus AP/IB Coordinator).
- Students enrolled in advanced level courses leading to licensure or certification are expected to complete required coursework which leads to attainment of this professional qualification.
- Students will participate in campus or district tutorials and review sessions as needed.

Fort Worth ISD adheres to the College Board’s equity policy statement accessible below-
http://apcentral.collegeboard.com/apc/members/repository/ap03_ap_equity_policy_22057.pdf.

Withdrawal from an advanced level course must be approved by the teacher, parent, Programs of Choice Coordinator, Counselor and Principal. A student may not be withdrawn without following protocol.

I, _____, (insert printed student name) am willing to make the commitment of time and effort required by advanced level coursework in Pre-AP, Pre-IB, Advanced Placement, or International Baccalaureate classes. **For School Year 2019-2020.**

Student’s Signature

Parent’s Signature

Counselor’s Signature

Coordinator’s Signature

Schedule of Advanced Level Courses

