

P/AP, AP, and Honors STUDENTS ONLY

List the Pre-AP, AP, or honors classes you are registering for. Your CURRENT teacher's signature needs to be included.

Class	Teacher Signature

THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA SHOULD BE MET TO ENROLL IN THE CLASS OF INTEREST.

Personal Criteria

- Strong study skills & self-motivated
- Self-discipline that enables students to plan, organize & carry out tasks to completion
- Able to manage time between the high expectations of honors courses and involvement in extracurricular activities

Academic Criteria

- Proficient oral & written communication skills
- Passed the majority of district checkpoint tests
- Most recent EOC score for subject area is 75% or greater
- Reading on or above grade level (EOC level II)
- Semester grade average of 85 or higher in the class/course of the subject area

Grade	Semester Grade		
	Regular	Honors, Pre-AP, GT	AP
95-100	3	6	7
90-94	2.5	5	6
85-89	2	4	5
80-84	1.5	3	4
75-79	1	2	3
70-74	0.5	1	2
Below 70	0	0	0

Dual Credit courses offered on campus receive Honors points

General Course Expectations

- Successful completion of each honors course requires significant individual study time outside of class on a regular basis because of the quick pace of an Honors class.
- Students should consider that taking an honors course *will not* guarantee a positive effect on your rank or GPA. (See table above)
- If your classes have summer assignments, it is your responsibility to get and complete them all *before* school starts. Summer assignments can be found on the Mesquite High School website.
- Participation in science fair or a district approved alternative is required in all Pre-AP and Honors science courses.
- Registering for an honors class is a *yearlong* commitment. It is expected that each student in an AP course sit for the AP exam at the end of the year.
- Students may need to purchase supplemental materials for some of the honors courses. The course requirements will be made known by the teacher in the course.
- Individual student integrity is a standard of excellence for honors students. All students are expected to do their own work.

By signing here I am confirming I have received a copy of the P/AP, AP, and Honors expectations.

I understand I will remain in the advanced classes for the full year unless I notify my counselor by June 1, 2017 (the last day of school) that I no longer wish to participate in advanced classes.

Student Signature: _____ Parent Signature: _____