

# **Advanced Placement Preparation Summer Program**

- Program meets once a week for 3 hours for 5 weeks over summer.
- Designed for students interested in taking AP coursework during their high school career.
  - Content focuses on Social Studies, but skills emphasized will prove beneficial for all AP courses.
- Explanation of Advanced Placement Program and the tests that are given every May.
- Students gain understanding of expectations of AP coursework.
- Students gain an understanding of the pace and the complexity that makes AP classes different.
- Students get feedback on the AP coursework they are producing in the course.
- Weekly homework assignment and exam at end of course to help students understand what they will be exposed to on a regular basis.
- Focus on development of skills that have proven critical for AP success including:
  - Reading skills (some students going from 8<sup>th</sup> grade books to college level reading in 1 year)
  - Writing skills (writing skills developed for Social Studies very different than those used in English)
  - Verbal skills and listening skills
    - Classroom participation stressed
    - Students will work independently and in a group dynamic
  - Time management
  - Test preparation and test taking skills

**June 7, 14, 21, 28 and 30**

**8:00am-11:30am**

***To register for the program, please complete the bottom portion of the form and return it to the Financial Office with a payment of \$50***

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**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ID#:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone#:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Parent Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Date Paid:**

**Initials:**

