

**Advanced Placement Registration Statement of Understanding  
for MCHS Students/Parents**

Due Back to Student Services by March 27, 2017

As a prospective Advanced Placement **student** I am aware of and ascribe the following qualities to myself:

- I am self-motivated; wherein, I value scholarship in its own right. I exhibit a willingness to complete assignments and undertake daily engagement in classroom activities for practice and knowledge rather than simply seeking a grade or other forms of immediate gratification.
- I have the capacity to read various texts analytically and absorbingly in order to synthesize those texts into useful tools for understanding and thought building.
- I am self-disciplined and am able to measure and pace the necessary work load for the course. I am diligent about committing myself to engaging the course daily. I also understand that there will likely be assignments to complete over the summer.
- I understand the need to be resilient in the face of academic challenges greater than I have encountered before. I am able to meet these new challenges, frustrations, and struggles with the wherewithal to alter my habits to meet the higher standards.
- I have the capacity and diligence to recognize and produce quality work, and I understand that my work will be evaluated, not on effort or quantity of effort, but on quality alone.
- I understand the volume of information presented in AP courses, and my responsibility to independently recognize relationships within that information.
- I can focus and appreciate the serious academic environment of the course by eliminating distractions and treating my peers as fellow scholars who will be important to my learning and understanding. I also understand focus in an AP course includes my ability for introspection to evaluate my understanding and intellectual needs.
- I will be my own advocate, seeking to solve my own problems and utilizing my own intellectual courage to discuss difficulties with my instructor.
- I will commit myself to the AP class and my work, regardless of which semester I may be enrolled in it, and what other extra-curricular activities I may be involved in at the time.

**All students must check the MCHS Website for AP SUMMER ASSIGNMENTS prior to the beginning of Summer 2017.**

**Completing this form does not guarantee enrollment in an AP Course; that is determined by availability within the schedule.**

**I have read the above qualities, and I attest to my commitment to represent myself in the above fashion in any AP course I take. I understand the last day to drop any AP course is Friday, June 12, 2017.**

**List ALL AP Courses you are signing up for:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**By my signature, I have read the above qualities and attest to my child's readiness for AP level courses. I understand the last day to drop any AP course is Friday, June 12, 2017.**

Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_