

AP Courses and Resources

AP Courses offered at Ridgewood High School

- AP Human Geography
 - AP U.S. History
 - AP Psychology
 - AP Government
 - AP Music Theory
 - Concert Band Honors
 - Concert Choir Honors
 - Percussion Methods Honors
 - Symphonic Band Honors
 - AP Italian
 - AP Spanish
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- AP Language & Composition
 - AP Literature & Composition
 - Algebra 2 Honors
 - Geometry Honors
 - Pre-Calculus Honors
 - AP Calculus A-B
 - AP Computer Science Principles
 - AP Computer Science A
 - Honors Project Lead the Way: Physics/Engineering
 - AP Biology
 - AP Chemistry
 - AP Physics 1

RESOURCES

1. **MyAP**
2. **Mrs. Gonzalezes' Additional AP Resources**

[Study Skills: Crash Course](#): High quality educational videos on various topics related to study skills.

[Studying 101: Study Smarter not Harder](#): From the Learning Center of University of North Carolina

[Study Skills from Lehigh University](#): Includes Study Skills Questionnaire

[Baylor University](#) - Improve your Study Skills Section

3. **Resources By Discipline**

AP Calculus

1. AP Classroom for AP Calculus – College Board website
2. Flex Friday – period 8 – per student request we have an extra class every week; students can join on zoom or have to watch the recording of it in their own time.

AP Computer Science Principles

1. MyAP
2. Digital Portfolio: Create Performance Task

AP English Language

The course is divided into nine units (by the College Board), and the focus is to analyze the rhetorical situation, to understand and analyze argument--how to read and write to identify and explain how claims are created and arguments are sustained--and to write to use methods to develop and advance an argument.

Textbook: *The Language of Composition*, 2nd edition.

Additional Resources for non-fiction texts: *New York Times*, *Atlantic*, *The Guardian*, *The Economist*

MyAP: (<https://myap.collegeboard.org/login>), online test prep and videos published by the College Board.

AP Literature

Textbook: *Literature: Reading Fiction, Poetry, and Drama* by Robert DiYanni

MyAP

AP World Languages (Italian and Spanish)

ACTFL's Proficiency Scale and level descriptors: <https://www.d234.org/academics/world-languages/>

All World Languages students have access to the following paid sites for additional listening, speaking, reading, and writing practice:

1. MyAP:

Italian - <https://apstudents.collegeboard.org/courses/ap-italian-language-and-culture>

Spanish - <https://apstudents.collegeboard.org/courses/ap-spanish-language-and-culture>

2. ThisIsLanguage: <https://www.thisislanguag.com/> (listening, reading, grammar, verb practices)
3. Conjugemos: <https://conjugemos.com/> (tense conjugation practice)
4. Quizlet: <https://quizlet.com/> (vocabulary and culture)

The WL Department also suggests students refer to the following sites for additional practice and information:

1. WordReference: <https://www.wordreference.com/it/> (online dictionary)

2. (Spanish) <http://www.laits.utexas.edu/spe> (practice listening comprehension)
3. (Spanish) <https://cnnespanol.cnn.com>
4. (Italian) La Repubblica www.repubblica.it
5. (Italian) www.istat.it
6. (Italian) www.censis.it _