

2002-2003 AP[®] EXAMINATION FORMATS

Exam	2002		2003	
	% of Grade	Format	% of Grade	Format
Art History	40%	Section I - Part A: 4 sets of questions based on slides, 16 minutes, 4 minutes per set Part B: 85 questions in 44 minutes	40%	Section I - Part A: 4 sets of questions based on slides, 16 minutes, 4 minutes per set Part B: 83 questions in 44 minutes
	60%	Section II - Part A: 7 short essays based on slides in 1 hour Part B: 2 30-minute essays in 1 hour	60%	Section II - Part A: 7 short essays based on slides in 1 hour Part B: 2 30-minute essays in 1 hour
<p>Note: One of the 30-minute essays will require students to use an example from beyond the European tradition. This essay will be based on one of two previously announced topics: 1) How Art (Including Architecture) Conveys Power and Authority or 2) The Human Body in Art. See the <i>2002-2003 Art History Course Description</i> for further details.</p>				
Biology	60%	Section I - 120 questions 1 hour 30 minutes		SAME
	40%	Section II - 4 <u>mandatory</u> essays 1 hour 30 minutes		
Calculus AB	50%	Section I - Part A: No calculator 28 questions in 55 minutes Part B: Graphing calculator required 17 questions in 50 minutes		SAME
	50%	Section II - Part A: Graphing calculator required 3 problems in 45 minutes Part B: No calculator 3 problems in 45 minutes		
Calculus BC	50%	Section I - Part A: No calculator 28 questions in 55 minutes Part B: Graphing calculator required 17 questions in 50 minutes		SAME
	50%	Section II - Part A: Graphing calculator required 3 problems in 45 minutes Part B: No calculator 3 problems in 45 minutes		
<p>Notes for Calculus AB and BC: For Section II, if a student finishes Part A before the end of the timed 45 minutes for Part A, he/she cannot begin working on Part B; the student must wait until the beginning of the timed 45 minutes for Part B. However, during the timed portion for Part B, students may keep the green insert and go back and work on the problems in Part A without the use of a calculator. The problems will NOT appear in the Section II test booklet. The three Part A problems will be printed in the green insert. The three Part B problems will be printed in a separate sealed blue insert. Each part of all six problems will have a designated workspace in the test booklet.</p>				
Chemistry	45%	Section I - 75 questions 1 hour 30 minutes No calculator		
	55%	Section II - 40 minutes for Part A: Calculator allowed 1 required question 1 of 2 other questions 50 minutes for Part B: No calculator allowed 3 required questions 1 of 2 other questions		SAME
Computer Science A	50%	Section I - 40 questions 1 hour 15 minutes		
	50%	Section II - 4 questions 1 hour 45 minutes		SAME

Note: The Computer Science A examination will include questions on the AP Marine Biology Case Study.

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Computer Science AB	50%	Section I - 40 questions 1 hour 15 minutes		
	50%	Section II - 4 questions 1 hour 45 minutes		SAME
Note: The Computer Science AB examination will include questions on the AP Marine Biology Case Study.				
Economics: Micro	66 2/3%	Section I - 60 questions 70 minutes		
	33 1/3%	Section II - 10-minute reading period 3 required free-response questions 50 minutes		SAME
Note: Calculator not permitted.				
Economics: Macro	66 2/3%	Section I - 60 questions 70 minutes		
	33 1/3%	Section II - 10-minute reading period 3 required free-response questions 50 minutes		SAME
Note: Calculator not permitted.				
English Language & Composition	45%	Section I - 54 questions in 1 hour		
	55%	Section II - 3 essays in 2 hours		SAME
Note: There have been some changes to the format of the pink Section II booklet for AP English Language and Composition for the 2003 administration. The essay questions will be printed in the pink booklet as well as the green insert. Students will be required to write their answers to each of the three essay questions on the particular lined pages designated for each essay. In addition, students will be told to write their answers to each question inside the border that has been added to each of the lined pages. The instructions on the back cover of the pink Section II booklet have been updated to accommodate these changes in format.				
English Literature & Composition	45%	Section I - 55 questions in 1 hour		
	55%	Section II - 3 essays in 2 hours		SAME
Environmental Science	60%	Section I - 100 questions 1 hour 30 minutes		SAME
	40%	Section II - 4 <u>mandatory</u> questions 1 hour 30 minutes		
European History	50%	Section I - 80 multiple-choice questions 55 minutes		
	50%	Section II - 15-minute reading period DBQ and 2 thematic essays (1 each from 2 groups of 3 essays) 1 hour 55 minutes		SAME
French Language	50%	Section I - 83 questions 1 hour 25 minutes	50%	Section I - 82 questions 1 hour 25 minutes
	50%	Section II - Writing - 60 minutes Speaking - 15 minutes	50%	Section II - Writing - 60 minutes Speaking - 15 minutes
Note: Students will be asked to start and stop their tape recorders at various points during the speaking test.				
French Literature	40%	Section I - 70 questions 1 hour 20 minutes	40%	Section I - 68 questions 1 hour 20 minutes
	60%	Section II - 1 directed textual analysis 1 essay 1 hour 40 minutes	60%	Section II - 1 directed textual analysis 1 essay 1 hour 40 minutes
Geography: Human	50%	Section I - 75 questions 60 minutes		SAME
	50%	Section II - 3 essays in 60 minutes		
German Language	45%	Section I - 98 questions Approximately 1 hour 30 minutes		SAME
	55%	Section II - Writing - 50 minutes Speaking - 20 minutes		

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Government & Politics: Comparative	50%	Section I - 60 questions 45 minutes		SAME
	50%	Section II - 4 mandatory essays 1 hour 40 minutes		
Government & Politics: United States	50%	Section I - 60 questions 45 minutes		SAME
	50%	Section II - 4 mandatory essays 1 hour 40 minutes		
Latin Literature	40%	Section I - 50 questions 60 minutes		SAME
	60%	Section II - 15-minute reading period 3 Catullus questions 3 of 9 questions (Cicero, Horace, Ovid) 1 hour 45 minutes		
Latin: Vergil	40%	Section I - 50 questions 60 minutes		SAME
	60%	Section II - 15-minute reading period 5 Vergil questions 1 hour 45 minutes		
Music Theory	45%	Section I - 73 questions Approximately 1 hour 15 minutes	45%	Section I - 74 questions Approximately 1 hour 15 minutes
	45%	Section II - 7 exercises Approximately 65 minutes	45%	Section II - 7 exercises Approximately 65 minutes
	10%	Section II - 2 sight-singing exercises Approximately 8 minutes per student	10%	Section II - 2 sight-singing exercises Approximately 8 minutes per student
Note: For the second year two subscore grades (one for aural-based items and one for nonaural-based items) will be included in the score report. The overall grade will be reported as well.				
Physics B	50%	Section I - 70 questions 1 hour 30 minutes No calculator		SAME
	50%	Section II - 7 questions 1 hour 30 minutes Calculator permitted, except “qwerty” keyboards		
Physics C: Mechanics	50%	Section I - 35 questions 45 minutes No calculator		SAME
	50%	Section II - 3 questions 45 minutes Calculator permitted, except “qwerty” keyboards		
Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism	50%	Section I - 35 questions 45 minutes No calculator		SAME
	50%	Section II - 3 questions 45 minutes Calculator permitted, except “qwerty” keyboards		
Psychology	66 2/3%	Section I - 100 questions 1 hour 10 minutes		SAME
	33 1/3%	Section II - 2 essays 50 minutes		

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Spanish Language	50%	Section I - 90 questions Approximately 1 hour 30 minutes		SAME
	50%	Section II - Writing - 60 minutes Speaking - 20 minutes		
Spanish Literature	45%	Section I - 68 questions 1 hour 20 minutes	40%	Section I - 65 questions 1 hour 20 minutes
	55%	Section II - 3 essays 1 hour 40 minutes	60%	Section II - 3 essays 1 hour 50 minutes
Statistics	50%	Section I - 40 multiple-choice questions 90 minutes		SAME
	50%	Section II - 6 free-response questions 90 minutes Graphing calculator expected		
Studio Art	33 1/3%	Section I (Quality) - 3-D Design Portfolio: 10 slides; 2 views each of 5 works Drawing Portfolio and 2-D Design Portfolios: 5 actual works		SAME
	33 1/3%	Section II (Concentration) - Drawing, 2-D Design and 3-D Design Portfolios: 12 slides		
	33 1/3%	Section III (Breadth) - Drawing and 2-D Design Portfolios: 12 slides 3-D Design Portfolio: 16 slides; 2 views each of 8 works		
Note: See 2002-03 Studio Art Poster for specific information.				
United States History	50%	Section I - 80 questions 55 minutes		SAME
	50%	Section II - 15-minute reading period DBQ and 2 essays (1 each from 2 groups of 2 essays) 1 hour 55 minutes		
World History	50%	Section I - 70 multiple-choice questions 55 minutes		SAME
	50%	Section II - 10-minute reading period 3 <u>mandatory</u> questions DBQ, change-over-time essay, comparative essay 2 hours		