

AP Exam Exemption Incentive and Contract 2017-18

Allatoona High School has implemented an AP Exam Exemption Incentive. For students to participate in this incentive, **both the Parent and Student must read and sign this contract.** As this is a school-wide incentive, **only one contract per student, per academic year is required.** Students need only return this contract to **one** of their AP teachers, ****No later than December 5th, 2017 for First Semester and March 22, 2018 for Second Semester****. The incentive details are as follows:

- If a student takes the AP Exam for a course, they are exempt from that final exam in that class. Students who exempt the final exam for the class do not have to come to school during the class period in which the final exam is administered.
- If a student wishes to exempt the final exam for a *first semester* AP course, he/she must sign up for the AP Exam by **December 5th, 2017**. While students *may* pay for the AP Exam at the time of registration, they are not required to do so until the payment deadline in March. Be reminded, any student who fails to show up for the AP Exam (in May) will have their final exam grade for the class retroactively changed to a **zero** and their Official Georgia Standard Student Transcript will be updated to reflect the new, lower grade for that course. **Failing to take the AP Exam second semester after exempting the final exam first semester can significantly impact a course grade, G.P.A. and/or class ranking.**
- If a student signs up to take the AP Exam, but opts to take the final exam as well, he/she will receive no penalty for their ambition. *For example, if a student has an 89% in the AP course, he/she might opt to take the final exam in attempt to earn an A in the class. If that student does not do well on the exam, the final class average will not drop below the 89% for the course.*
- Total Registration, an online sign-up service, is used to register for AP Exams. To qualify for the Exam Exemption Incentive, you must sign up for the AP Exam at the following website: <http://www.totalregistration.net/>. Once on the website, click the orange button at the top of the page that says, "Search for School." You will be directed through the sign-up process. If you have any difficulties signing up for an AP Exam, please see either your AP Teacher or Mrs. Rainey for assistance.

I understand that I/my child must register for the AP exam at Total Registration **AND** turn in this contract to his/her AP teacher to be eligible for the Exam Exemption Incentive. I also understand that if my son/daughter does not show up to take the AP exam during the scheduled exam period, his/her grade from that semester will be changed to reflect a zero on the final exam, altering both the final average in the course as well as the .

Student Name (Please PRINT)

Grade Level

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date

FOR OFFICIAL USE:

_____ AP Teachers; please initial once you have entered this form.