

Advanced Studies and Programs

The Advanced Studies and Programs Office provides studies with opportunities to participate in academically rigorous coursework. Each high school offers numerous Honors and AP courses, expanding students' horizons and building their capacity as lifelong learners.

Annapolis, Meade, and Old Mill high schools also offer the International Baccalaureate (IB) Programme to students in their schools and within their geographic regions of the county.

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AP, PSAT, SAT, and YOU!

A guide for students and parents



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Our Program at a Glance...

Advanced Placement courses offer high school students an opportunity to experience the rigor and academic challenge of college level classes. By working closely with the College Board, we provide the best in professional development and materials of instruction for our AP teachers and their students.

AP Courses

Over the last five years we have enjoyed tremendous growth in our AP program. Currently, all 12 high schools in Anne Arundel County Public Schools offer a minimum of 19 Advanced Placement courses. Subject areas include art, science, mathematics, world and classical languages, English, and social studies. Contact your high school for additional details.

PSAT/NMSQT

All high schools offer the PSAT/NMSQT (National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test) during the mid-October Wednesday administration of this test. Students who take the PSAT/NMSQT will receive a detailed Score Report that includes suggestions for continued academic growth and free access to My College QuickStart, a valuable online resource for high school students.

SAT

Through our partnership with the College Board, Anne Arundel County Public Schools provides every high school student with access to *The Official SAT Online Course™*. Students can take full length practice SATs or focus on specific skills and receive personalized and immediate feedback.

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Resources

The following websites provide a wealth of additional information:

Anne Arundel County Public Schools
Advanced Studies and Programs
<http://www.aacps.org/advancedprograms/>

The Official SAT Online Course
<https://satonlinecourse.collegeboard.com/SR/index.jsp>

Meet the PSAT/NMSQT
<http://www.collegeboard.com/parents/tests/meet-tests/21296.html>

Meet the SAT
<http://www.collegeboard.com/parents/tests/meet-tests/21295.html>

About AP
<http://www.collegeboard.com/student/testing/ap/about.html>

AP Subjects
<http://www.collegeboard.com/student/>

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