



Shaftesbury High School

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Advanced Placement Scholastic Pathways

The Advanced Placement (AP) program at Shaftesbury High School offers students the opportunity to pursue university-level studies while still in high school. Shaftesbury offers a wide variety of excellent Advance Placement (AP) courses. AP courses are intended for students who are notably passionate and focused in those particular subject areas and seek further challenges beyond the traditional high school curriculum.

Shaftesbury High School offers Advance Placement (AP) courses in English and Mathematics which follow an accelerated model where academically strong students can finish their regular high school programming by the end of Grade 11 to prepare for success in Grade 12 Advance Placement (AP) courses in Calculus and English Literature. Advance Placement (AP) courses in Biology, Chemistry and Physics are offered in grade 12.

Students taking AP courses will have the option of writing AP examinations administered by the American College Board and will be charged a fee of \$150.00 for each AP exam they have chosen to write. An AP exam score of 4 or 5 (out of five) will qualify for a first-year university credit for the course at universities/colleges that accept AP credentials.

Students considering AP courses should demonstrate consistent academic strength and should consider the following criteria:

- genuine interest in, appreciation, and/or love of the subject area.
- a mark of 85% or higher in the respective high school course(s).
- critical thinking skills (can apply skills learned in class to solve problems that look different than examples used in class)
- commitment to excellence (homework, attendance, preparation for tests at a first-year university level)

Please consult the table on the back of the page for AP scholastic pathways for additional AP courses offered at Shaftesbury High School.

The process of engaging in AP classes begins in Grade 11. Therefore, please indicate below the AP course(s) you are interested in taking when you are in Grade 12.

***** Please detach and return to the office by February 27, 2026 *****

Name: _____

Grade level in September 2026 _____

I am interested in taking the following AP classes in **Grade 12**. I have read the information above and understand the requirements of being an AP student in a subject area.

- Mathematics (CAL(AB)32S, 42S)
- English (LIT32S, 42S)
- Biology (BIO32S, 42S)
- Chemistry (CH32S, 42S)
- Physics (PHY(C)32S, (I)42S)



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AP Calculus Pathway

	Semester 1	Semester 2
Grade 10	Introduction to Applied and Pre-Calculus In 1 st or 2 nd semester MIAP20S	
Grade 11	Pre-Calculus Math 30S MPC30S	Pre-Calculus Math 40S MPC40S
Grade 12	AP Calculus 32S CAL(AB)32S	AP Calculus 42S CAL(AB)42S

AP English Pathway

	Semester 1	Semester 2
Grade 10	English 20F In 1 st or 2 nd semester ELA20F	
Grade 11	English Literary Focus 30S ELALF30S	English Literary Focus 40S ELALF40S
Grade 12	AP Literature 32S LIT32S	AP Literature 42S LIT42S

AP Biology Pathway

	Semester 1	Semester 2
Grade 10	Science 20F In 1 st or 2 nd semester SCI20F	
Grade 11	Biology 30S In 1 st or 2 nd semester BIO30S	
Grade 12	AP Biology 32S BIO32S	AP Biology 42S BIO42S

AP Chemistry Pathway

	Semester 1	Semester 2
Grade 10	Science 20F In 1 st or 2 nd semester SCI20S	
Grade 11	Chemistry 30S In 1 st or 2 nd semester CHEM30S	
Grade 12	AP Chemistry 32S CH32S	AP Chemistry 42S CH42S

AP Physics Pathway

	Semester 1	Semester 2
Grade 10	Science 20F In 1 st or 2 nd semester SCI20S	
Grade 11	Physics 30S In 1 st or 2 nd semester PHY30S	
Grade 12	AP Physics 32S PHY(C)32S	AP Physics 42S PHY(C)42S

Please see page 42 in our student course handbook on our website for full details.