

**RENO HIGH SCHOOL  
AP CONTRACT  
2024-2025**

All AP classes are college level courses. Essentially, students will be taking college classes while still in high school. These classes require extensive reading, writing, research, problem solving, discussion, and homework.

**It is important that students display the proper commitment required for successful completion of courses.**

Students who register for AP classes are expected to and agree to the following:

- **Remain in AP Classes until the first academic warning period**
  - Dropping the class because the workload is too much is not a valid reason to drop
  - Dropping the class because student is concerned about not scoring well on the AP exam is not a valid reason to drop
    - Score on the AP exam **does not** affect the grade earned in the class. The rigor and exposure to a college leveled curriculum puts students above their counterparts who have not taken an AP class. AP classes are taught at a **higher** cognitive level and require a higher level of commitment.
  
- If the student still wants to drop the class, then the student needs to have a conversation with the teacher **FIRST**. A conference attended by the teacher, student, parent, and counselor may then be held.
  - Student/parent(s) understand that students may not be moved into a regular class for that semester and may have to obtain the required credit **OUTSIDE** of RHS OR **take the course the following** year (if it is a required course for graduation).
  
- **The AP Exam is REQUIRED (Given in May) and the student/parent agrees to pay the AP exam fee by **SEPTEMBER 27, 2024** (approximately \$99 per exam) to the bookkeeper.**

Both student and parent/guardian need to sign and date below. **Return the completed contract to Sue Rodriguez, Counselor/AP Coordinator, no later than **February 9, 2024**.**

**REMINDER- ALL FEES ARE DUE SEPTEMBER 27, 2024**

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Student signature

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Date

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Parent/Guardian signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Student Name (PRINT LEGIBLY) : \_\_\_\_\_