

WHS Placement Appeal - Request for a more advanced course
current HS student must return form to WHS guidance by March 1
current 8th grade students must return form to WHS guidance by April 1

Academic challenge is important. We do our best to make fair and appropriate recommendations using achievement data. Student's abilities, work habits, and tenacity will also contribute to academic success.

Name of Student _____ Current Grade _____

Parent email: _____

Name of class & level being appealed: _____

Name of class & level wanted: _____

When considering a level change the student should:

- Consult current teacher of the content to discuss placement & potential challenges to changing to a more rigorous curriculum
- Consult the course guide & teacher website to learn more about course expectations
- Students requesting an AP class are recommended to speak with the teacher of the course to discuss content, expected workload, rigor and class expectations.

AP Calculus (AB)	AP Language & Composition
AP Statistics	AP Studio Art
AP Biology	AP Psychology
AP Chemistry	AP US History
AP** Physics	AP Human Geography
AP French Language	AP Microeconomics/AP Macroeconomics
AP Spanish Language	AP Music Theory
AP English Literature and Composition	AP Computer Science Principles

** It is highly recommended that students requesting AP Physics be in the honors math track due to the higher algebraic math concepts used in the course.

*When students request a placement changes to a more rigorous curriculum, WHS assumes the family is ready to support that decision by arranging help and/or tutoring outside of school hours if needed.

*Students must follow the [add / drop procedures](#) and timelines for changing classes should a change take place during the school year.

Student please read and sign the statement: I have consulted the curriculum guide, my current teacher, and parent. I am requesting the above mentioned change, I understand that I will likely need to work harder to achieve success in the course.

Student signature:

Parent signature:

WHS guidance department will review the achievement data and this request. Parents will be informed of the appeal decision by April 15.