

# 2019 Application for Pre-AP / AP Special Request

It is the goal of Pearland ISD to provide an academically rigorous curriculum for each student. This application should be completed by students who feel that they need a class that is designed for a higher grade level or for students who wish to take double Pre-AP/AP classes of the same subject area. All applications must be completed and received in the campus lead counselor's office no later than 3:00pm on April 1, 2019, for the fall semester of school year 2019-20.

\*\*\*Students are required to take STAAR EOC exams as per state/district guidelines. Students who have questions regarding grade level or advanced course STAAR EOC exams should contact Pearland ISD Advanced Academics or Fine Arts at 281-485-3203.

The Level 1 Appeal must be received by June 3, 2019. Level 1 Appeals are decided by the student's HS campus administrator. If denied or late, a Level 2 Final Appeal may be sent to the Director of Advanced Academics by August 12, 2019 at 4:00 pm.

### To be completed by the student:

Name (Last, First): \_\_\_\_\_

Campus 2018-2019: \_\_\_\_\_ Campus in 2019-2020: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level in 2019-2020 \_\_\_\_\_ Current Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

<input type="checkbox"/> Above grade level core area course(s) Please specify which course(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Double content area classes Please specify which course(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Above grade level Fine Arts* Please specify which course(s)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> AP Music Theory
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> AP Art History
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> AP Drawing <input type="checkbox"/> AP 2D Art and Design <input type="checkbox"/> AP 3D Art and Design
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-AP Studio Art (Portfolio Required)

\*An audition and/or portfolio may be requested

Courses to drop to facilitate AP Special Request: \_\_\_\_\_

### Attach the following supporting documents to this form

1. A one page letter written by the student explaining why the request is necessary and how the student expects to meet the additional demands of the above grade level class(es)
2. At least one letter of recommendation from a teacher
3. A copy of the most recent report card

Applications are not complete unless signed by the student and parent, and include all supporting documents. Incomplete application are not considered. Appeals must include a letter explaining the reason for late submission.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** All AP Special Requests are reviewed by the campus Lead Counselor and two other campus leaders as designated by the campus Lead Counselor. As part of the application process students may be expected to participate in an interview. Level 1 appeal applications are reviewed by a designated campus administrator and Level 2 appeal applications are reviewed by the Director of Advanced Academics.

Students will receive a response by mail/email within 3 business days after the appeal decision.