

Forestview High School AP Capstone Program

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Gaston County School of Choice Collegiate Preparatory Academy

The Collegiate Preparatory Academy is an elite program offering rigorous coursework for ambitious students. This program creates better scholars, successful professionals, and well-rounded adults.

Students enrolled in this program are given priority enrollment in the many Advanced Placement courses offered at Forestview High School, the most extensive in the county. This program requires its candidates to take the pathway courses as well as four or more other AP classes. These courses are enhanced by participation in the AP Capstone framework.

AP Capstone is the cornerstone of the Advanced Placement pathway, including four courses that teach the skills needed for success in rigorous academics. This program teaches students to be critical thinkers, articulate speakers, and scholarly writers. Students learn to make connections between the world in which they live and the courses in which they learn. AP Capstone candidates will have the needed academic skills and the confidence of being truly prepared and more successful in high school and in college.



Hard work is rewarded. Collegiate Preparatory Academy graduates are AP Capstone candidates. They are:

- prioritized for enrollment in AP classes at FHS.
- awarded preferential application status on the NC Common Application for college.
- preferred by university admissions officers as AP Scholars.
- recognized at graduation with a medal and by receiving diplomas before the rest of their classmates.
- entering college with six or more college course credits.
- prepared for sustainable academic success.

<u>College Prep Academy &</u> <u>AP Capstone Pathway:</u>

Honors Research Methods (9th) AP Prep Research & Composition (10th) AP Seminar (11th) AP Research (12th)

Other Advanced Placement

<u>Classes at FHS:</u>

English Language & Composition English Literature & Composition Spanish German Calculus Statistics Chemistry Biology Physics Earth & Environmental Science Psychology **Government & Politics** US History World History European History Human Geography 2D Studio Art 3D Studio Art **Music Theory**



Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire. – William Butler Yeats

2020-2021 Registration Process

January 19, 2021 **School Choice Lottery Opens** February 28, 2021 School Choice Applications DUE Students not zoned for Forestview must complete the online application through the GCS School Choice portal. 20 sophomores and 30 freshmen will be accepted. February 2021 (TBA) COLLEGIATE PREP ACADEMY PRESENTATIONS AND INFO SESSIONS February 15-19, 2021 **REGISTRATION PACKETS TO GRADE 8** February 28. 2021 CP ACADEMY APPLICATIONS DUE March 1-5. 2021 **REGISTRATION PACKETS TO GRADES 9-11** March 11, 2021 **GRADE 8 REGISTRATION FORMS DUE** March 15-19. 2021 **REGISTRATION FOR GRADE 8** March 22-April 1, 2021 **REGISTRATION FOR GRADES 9-11**



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