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Dear AP Student/Parent,

Students are invited to participate in a *NEW* virtual AP Summer Program that the district will be offering for many AP courses during the month of August. The purpose of the program is to provide students with the support and encouragement necessary for success in the Advanced Placement setting during next school year. Unlike previous, traditional summer assignments, the virtual AP Summer Program offers students the unique opportunity to receive personalized instruction in essential prerequisite areas for each AP class. In addition, some sessions will also have a curriculum jump-start component where students will be introduced to a portion of the AP course prior to the start of the school year. The combination of tailored review and/or introduction to the AP syllabus/curriculum is intended to help students successfully meet the challenges of AP coursework next school year, in spite of any changes to the delivery of curriculum that may have been necessary this spring due to the need to shift to virtual home instruction.

Each course will run for approximately 10 hours during the month of August. Sessions will be offered at flexible times and will be the equivalent of the first two weeks of instruction during the school year. To see which AP courses will be available for this summer opportunity and to register, please check the link [here](#) **once it is activated on Wednesday, June 17th. The deadline for registering is Friday, July 10th.**

Students who are unable to participate in the AP summer program will be expected to complete and submit the curriculum that is introduced during the summer sessions in their AP course(s) no later than Wednesday, September 30, 2020. Supporting resources necessary to complete the summer program work will be provided once school begins.

We strongly recommend that our AP students register for the participating courses and take advantage of this opportunity in order to ensure a solid foundation of prerequisite skills/knowledge is established prior to the official beginning of the new school year in September. There is a [video](#) on the district website in which AP students and teachers talk about the virtual learning experiences during the past few months that we recommend you watch if you have not already done so.

Best wishes for a restful summer and an academically fulfilling AP experience,  
*The Middletown Township Public Schools Curriculum Department*