

**AP Music Theory**  
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AP Music Theory is a weighted-grade course designed for students who are planning to study music at the collegiate level, and take the AP Music Theory Test in the Spring.

**Required Course Materials**

- 3 ring binder (recommended at least 1") to create portfolio of course materials and work.
- Lined loose-leaf paper for taking notes.
- 8 ½ x 11 Manuscript/Staff Paper (can be purchased or downloaded for free online)
- Pencils, erasers, colored markers and colored pencils
- Green Textbook, which you may keep at home, to be returned when you leave the class.
- Green Workbook, which you must bring to class each day. This is YOURS. If you lose it, the replacement cost is \$120.

**Assignments and Grading**

**65% Assessments:** Tests are cumulative. Skills build on previously learned skills.

**15% Classwork:** Discussion, Interactive Smart Board Drills, Group Work, Written Work

**10% Homework:** Workbook pages, internet theory videos, [www.musictheory.net](http://www.musictheory.net) practice.

**10% Quarterly Assessment:** This is an AACPS prepared assessment given to all county APMT students.

**General Course Information:**

- **Attendance:** The AHS Attendance Policies are followed. Students may be dropped from the course after exceeding absence rules. Absences will hurt your progress since everything in music theory is cumulative in nature.
- **Responsibility:** Students are responsible for obtaining and completing all work missed due to excused absences. There will be an assignment folder/box on one of the tables designated in the room.
- **Preparation:** Completion of homework assignments and readings are essential. Being prepared gives students the opportunity to succeed on tests and quizzes. Not being prepared leads to poor performance.
- **Participation:** Students are expected to participate in discussions and group work, answer when called upon, and be attentive to material being presented.
- **Respect:** Everyone is to be respected.
- **Honesty:** The AHS Academic Integrity Policy is followed. Students must read it, know it, and abide by it.
- Put your name on all your work otherwise someone else might earn your perfect score!
- This course syllabus may be updated from time to time to reflect changing AP Course Test/Course requirements.

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## Parent/Guardian Acknowledgement

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This form is simply an opportunity for you to acknowledge that you have received a copy and have reviewed the contents of the syllabus.

Printed Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**This form is due to Mrs. Brumbach by Friday, September 14, 2018.**