

Advanced Placement Chemistry Contract (19-20)

Kinnick High School is offering *Advance Placement Chemistry* during the 2019-2020 school year. This course is taught at the college level and provides an opportunity for students to develop an advanced understanding of chemistry; to improve their reasoning and communication skills; and to develop study skills, habits and knowledge they can use to be successful in college. Its primary goal is to prepare students to take the AP Chemistry Examination which may result in their obtaining college credit. In consideration of this opportunity, students are asked to make an advanced commitment to the course. The following paragraphs describe that commitment. Student, teacher, administrator and parent are required to sign below to indicate their recognition of, and acceptance of, their part in making this student's participation in *AP Chemistry* fully successful:

I, _____ (print name), understand that AP Chemistry is an elective class taught at an accelerated pace and advanced level of instruction. The class requires me to study outside of the classroom an average of ½ to 1 hour **per** day (not block). I will be responsible for reading the assignments from our textbook and that there will be regular and frequent homework that I must complete. I understand that self-motivation and self-discipline are expected of students in this course. Finally, I recognize that attendance is essential and I will make every effort to be in class every day!

I understand that no curriculum modifications will be made to slow the pace or limit the level of instruction. My participation in other activities such as sports, drama, or musical groups will not impede my performance in this class and that they will not be an excuse to fall behind or require extra time to complete assignments.

I plan to prepare for the AP Exam throughout the year and will collaborate with my classmates and teacher towards this common goal.

Student Name (Please Print)

Email (Please Print)

Student Signature

Date

I agree to support my student's commitment to this challenging course.

Parent Signature

Date

Mr. Craig Maxey, Principal

Date

Scott Andrews, Instructor

Date