



# 2011 AP Exam Results Report

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The results are in for May 2011 Advanced Placement (AP)\* exams...

...and Patrick Henry College Preparatory Academy's 2010-11 AP students have done *exceptionally well*.

What do we mean by "exceptionally well"?

Answering that question is what this report is all about. In the pages below, you will find tables displaying the results of our students' hard work and preparation in each subject. You will see average exam scores, pass rates, and score distributions. You will also be able to compare their performance in each subject with the performance of students worldwide.

Scoring highly on the College Board's AP exams can qualify our students to receive college credit or advanced placement when they begin their undergraduate studies. Receiving college credit or advanced placement for work done in high school puts our students ahead in college, and beyond. That's an achievement to celebrate.

Congratulations, PHC Prep Academy students!

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## About the AP Exam Results Report

The scores reported on the following pages are from students who completed a course with Patrick Henry College Preparatory Academy during the 2010-2011 academic year and took the corresponding College Board Advanced Placement (AP) exam in May 2011.

The great majority of these scores are taken from the College Board's AP Subject Score Roster for Online Providers (2011). The Subject Score Roster displays scores for each exam taken by PHC Prep Academy students who identified PHC Prep as their online provider when they took the exam. A handful of the scores were reported to us by individual students after this report was first released.

On an as-needed basis, PHC Prep may revise this report to reflect new scores we receive from students, or new College Board data. (Please see the top of this page for the date this report was last modified.)

If you have any questions about the information in this report, you may contact the Academy office via phone at 540-338-8290 or via email at [info@phcprep.org](mailto:info@phcprep.org).

## About AP Exam Scoring

Advanced placement exams are scored on a scale of 1 to 5, indicating whether the student is qualified in the exam's subject and recommended to receive college credit or advanced placement.

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|---|--------------------------|
| 5 | Extremely well qualified |
| 4 | Well qualified           |
| 3 | Qualified                |
| 2 | Possibly qualified       |
| 1 | No recommendation        |

The AP credit policy of each college or university that awards credit or advanced placement for AP exam scores determines the value of a particular score at that college or university. Typically, a score of 3 or higher is considered a passing score.

For more information on how the scoring process works, visit the College Board's website: [http://www.collegeboard.com/student/testing/ap/exgrd\\_set.html](http://www.collegeboard.com/student/testing/ap/exgrd_set.html).

# PHC Prep Academy Score Summary for May 2011 Exams

As of December 15, 2011, **166 total exam scores** have been reported for PHC Prep Academy students.

AP Score Results Summary				
Course Name	Total Scores Reported	Average Score	Passing Scores (3 or above)	
			Number passing	Percent passing
ALL 2010-2011 Academic Year Courses	166	3.55	136	82%
AP Calculus AB	15	3.73	12	80%
AP English Language and Composition	42	3.83	37	88%
AP English Literature and Composition	27	3.37	23	85%
AP Microeconomics	23	3.13	17	74%
AP Macroeconomics	25	3.48	19	76%
AP U.S. Government and Politics	34	3.62	28	82%

Student Score Distributions										
Course Name	Score of 5		Score of 4		Score of 3		Score of 2		Score of 1	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
ALL 2010-2011 Academic Year Courses	37	22%	58	35%	41	25%	20	12%	10	6%
AP Calculus AB	7	47%	3	20%	2	13%	0	0%	3	20%
AP English Language and Composition	11	26%	18	43%	8	19%	5	12%	0	0%
AP English Literature and Composition	3	11%	8	30%	12	44%	4	15%	0	0%
AP Microeconomics	2	9%	9	39%	6	26%	2	9%	4	17%
AP Macroeconomics	5	20%	11	44%	3	12%	3	12%	3	12%
AP U.S. Government and Politics	9	27%	9	27%	10	29%	6	18%	0	0%

If you studied with PHC Prep during the 2010-2011 academic year and took one or more AP exams, but believe we may not have received your score(s), please contact the PHC Prep Academy office at 540-338-8290 or [info@phcprep.org](mailto:info@phcprep.org). Thank you.

## Comparison to Global AP Exam Results

The following table compares the performance of PHC Prep students with the performance of AP test takers in general in each subject area.

For more information about global score distributions, you may visit the College Board’s “AP Central” website: <http://professionals.collegeboard.com/testing/ap/scores/distributions>.

Student Score Distributions									
Course Name		Total Scores	Mean Score	Pass (3+)	Score of 5	Score of 4	Score of 3	Score of 2	Score of 1
AP Calculus AB	<b>PHC Prep 2011</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>3.73</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>20%</b>
	Global 2011	255,357	2.82	56%	21%	16%	19%	11%	33%
AP English Language and Composition	<b>PHC Prep 2011</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>3.83</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>0%</b>
	Global 2011	412,466	2.92	61%	11%	20%	30%	28%	11%
AP English Literature and Composition	<b>PHC Prep 2011</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>3.37</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>0%</b>
	Global 2011	367,962	2.81	57%	8%	18%	31%	32%	11%
AP Microeconomics	<b>PHC Prep 2011</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>3.13</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>17%</b>
	Global 2011	56,303	3.01	64%	16%	26%	21%	16%	21%
AP Macroeconomics	<b>PHC Prep 2011</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3.48</b>	<b>76%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>12%</b>
	Global 2011	90,134	2.76	54%	13%	24%	17%	18%	28%
AP U.S. Government and Politics	<b>PHC Prep 2011</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>3.62</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>18%</b>	<b>0%</b>
	Global 2011	225,837	2.67	52%	13%	14%	25%	24%	24%