

AP Exam/Portfolio Ordering - Now Available for Spring 2026

For the 2026 AP exams/portfolios, students at Oak Park High School will register online. Online Exam & Portfolio registration will continue through Tuesday, March 3, 2026 at 3:00 PM. Before completing the registration steps, students should review the [May 2026 AP Exam/Portfolio Schedule](#) and speak with their parent/guardian(s) about which exam/portfolio(s) they wish to take.

****Note: The College Board fully implemented a digital exam experience in the 2024-25 school year. As in years prior, World Language exams will have a digital component, but the exam experience will still have a paper/pencil component. All other exams, including Art portfolios, will be fully digital or a hybrid set-up. Read about these updates and how each exam will be administered [here](#). Students will be given technical support both before and during these exams/portfolios.***

The AP exam registration process is two steps, but both can be completed in one sitting when the student and parent/guardian do this together. Both steps must be completed in order to have AP exams ordered:

Step 1: Begin the process by registering at www.TotalRegistration.net/AP/050006. Here you will indicate both the AP courses you are taking this year and the exams/portfolios you wish to take. You will receive your join codes and directions to complete the second required step. Any exam fees can be paid online so be sure to have a **debit card or credit card available before beginning registration**. Paying online is a great way to make sure that payment has been made while avoiding mailing payment and does not accrue any additional fees. However, a mail-in option for payment is available.

Step 2: Use the join codes provided at the completion of step one to enroll the student's AP courses and exams/portfolios in the College Board's system, if the student has not already done so at their teacher's prompting.

This year each AP exam costs \$110.00. Oak Park High School desires that every student be able to take their AP exams. Students requiring financial assistance should contact Assistant Principal Natalie Smith in the Main Office or via email at nsmith@opusd.org.

Completing the Advanced Placement exams or portfolio is an important part of all AP courses. Scoring well on an AP exam/portfolio could earn students college credit for their high school work, saving a significant amount on tuition. Oak Park High School also supports students who choose to self-study AP courses rather than enroll in the OPHS course. Therefore, OPHS allows all students to order AP exams/portfolios using the process detailed above, even if the student is not enrolled in the course. If the exam/portfolio you wish to complete is not listed in Total Registration, contact Assistant Principal Natalie Smith.

Here are the important dates for the registration process:

Date	Event
Sep 15, 2025	Date to begin registration.
Oct 30, 2025, 3 PM	LATE FEE: Begin \$10 per exam late fee for registrations for AP classes that begin <u>before</u> Nov 15, 2025 (Full Year, 1st Semester, or Self-Study). Please note, Late Fees are never refundable.
Nov 04, 2025, 3 PM	REFUND POLICY: Date by which a student can receive a Full Refund (Classes that begin before mid-November).
Nov 04, 2025, 3 PM	LATE FEE: Begin \$40 per exam late fee for registrations for AP classes that begin <u>before</u> Nov 15, 2025 (Full Year, 1st Semester, or Self-Study). Please note, Late Fees are never refundable.
Feb 26, 2026, 3 PM	LATE FEE: Begin \$10 per exam late fee for registrations for AP classes that begin <u>after</u> Nov 15, 2025 (2nd Semester courses <u>only</u>). Please note, Late Fees are never refundable.
Mar 03, 2026, 3 PM	Date to end registration (Final payment deadline extends to March 10, 2026 at 3 PM).
Mar 03, 2026, 3 PM	REFUND POLICY: Date by which a student can receive a Full Refund (2nd Semester courses <u>only</u>).
Apr 24, 2026, 3 PM	REFUND POLICY: Date by which a student can receive a Partial Refund (Any exam/portfolio). The Cancellation Fee (amount to withhold for partial refunds) is \$40 .

Please contact Loretta Brown, lbrown@opusd.org, if you have any issues when ordering through the [Total Registration website](#) for May 2026 AP Exams/Portfolios.