

# COMMACK HIGH SCHOOL

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*An International Baccalaureate School*

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Dear Parents and Students of Advanced Courses,

Below is information published from the IBO and College Board regarding the assessments for our IB and AP courses.

## **International Baccalaureate:**

As per the [IBO.org](http://IBO.org), please be aware of the following information for the May 2020 Examination session:

- *The May 2020 examinations, as scheduled between April 30 and May 22, for Diploma Programme students will no longer be held.*
- *Depending on what students registered for, the student will be awarded a Diploma or a Course Certificate which reflects their standard of work. This is based on student's coursework and the established assessment expertise, rigor, and quality control already built into the programmes.*
- *You can read initial FAQs on the IB website: [COVID-19 update page](#).*
- *More information and FAQs will be released on the IB website on or about March 27.*

## **Advanced Placement Exams:**

As per [College Board](http://College Board), please be aware of the following information for the May 2020 Examination session:

- *Traditional face-to-face exam administrations will not take place. Students will take a 45-minute online free-response exam at home.*
- *Some students may want to take the exam sooner rather than later, while the content is still fresh. Other students may want more time to practice. For each AP subject, there will be 2 different testing dates.*
- *Students with approved College Board testing accommodations will be granted such accommodations. More information to be shared as it becomes available.*
- *On March 25, College Board will make available free AP review classes.*
- *College Board has made available any relevant free-response questions in AP Classroom for digital use so students can access all practice questions of the type that will appear on the exam.*
- *The full exam schedule, specific free-response question types that will be on each AP Exam, and additional testing details will be available by April 3.*

## **College Level Courses:**

As we receive information from our affiliated colleges and universities with regards to course content and credit, we will continue to inform you of the plans.

Further information will be forthcoming. We greatly appreciate your patience and understanding related to questions concerning coursework, exams and fees. Thank you.

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