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AP Science Support Program Program Guide



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Bridge to AP

- Description
 - 8-9 day program during the summer
 - Teachers and students together on campus
 - Build skills within foundational content
- Logistics
 - Planning
 - Management
 - Cost-\$\$\$\$

University Lab Sessions

- Students and teachers come to the university
- Campus experience for students
- Class culture
- Carry out AP required labs
 - Equipment
 - Materials
- Cost-\$\$\$\$

AP Practice Exam

- Full length practice exam under authentic testing conditions
- Held on a Saturday approximately 1 month before exam
- Exams are scored by teachers and graduate students and then returned to the teachers that week
- Used as a preparation tool for exam preparation
- Benefits
 - Teachers
 - Students
- Cost-\$\$

AP Summer Institute (APSI)

- National resources: Check AP Central
- APSI
 - Week long summer program to help AP teachers with 0-5 years experience
 - Focuses on AP content and process skills
 - Led by a CB AP Consultant
- Why do teachers want to take it?
- Why does the district want teachers to take it?
- Little variation amongst programs
- Cost-\$



Teacher Callbacks

- Small Learning Community of teachers from across the district
- Sharing of materials, techniques, and motivational strategies
- Website for posting materials
- Cost-\$