

Second Floor Scoop

LaProgram.org

AP FAIR



STUDENTS: Discover LaGuardia's AP Offerings at Our Second Annual AP Fair!

Students are invited to attend LaGuardia's AP Fair on **Wed., Apr. 21**, in the Seventh-floor Cafeteria. The information session is meant to raise awareness of the opportunities and challenges that AP classes offer.

INTERIM REPORTS



TEACHERS: Interim Reports are due to Department APs by Wed., May 5, at 9:00am.

Affix the proper label to each student's **Interim** Report before giving it to your chairperson. If you cannot find a label, write the student's name and the student's 9-digit ID directly on the form.

STUDENT SURVEYS



STUDENTS: You Will Be Asked to Complete the New York City Student Survey on Fri., Apr. 16 During Third Period.

ADMINISTERING STUDENT SURVEYS



TEACHERS: Please Administer Student Surveys on Fri., Apr. 16, During Third Period.

You will find in your zip-lock bag a class roster, individual envelopes labeled with student names, and student surveys in foreign languages. **Survey administration should take about thirty minutes during class.**

Once the students have completed the surveys, they should enclose **ONLY the completed answer sheet** in the envelope.

Ask students to remove and **discard** the envelope's peel-off label and seal the envelope.

Please collect the sealed envelopes in the zip-lock bag that has been provided, and return them to **Room 261.**

PARENT SURVEYS



PARENTS: We Ask You to Complete an Submit Your Parent Survey by April 23.

The feedback provided by parents of LaGuardia students will help the Department of Education to improve schools. Thank you.

TEACHER SURVEYS



TEACHERS: You May Complete Your Survey on Library Laptops.

Information regarding log-in was placed in your mailbox before vacation. To facilitate in-school opportunities to complete the survey, we will place four laptop computers in the Library on **Apr. 21-23.**

Mark Law will be available to help. If you need assistance, please call him before completing the survey online at extension 1425.

Fri., Apr 23, is the last day to complete the survey.

PROGRAMMING CALENDAR



STUDENTS, TEACHERS, and PARENTS: Review the Spring Programming Calendar at LaProgram.org!

Find important due dates on the Spring 2010 Programming Calendar. Note that teacher requests for classes will be distributed on **Tue, April 20.**

Spring 2010 Programming Calendar

April 20	Teacher requests for classes are distributed.
April 21	AP Fair
April 28	Open Daedalus for students to request classes.
May 12	Close Daedalus. This is the last day to request AP, honors, and electives (no extensions)!

REQUESTING COURSES



STUDENTS: Visit LaProgram.org to request classes.

Students may request classes through Daedalus from **Wed., Apr. 28,** through **Wed., May 12.** The last day to request AP, honors, and elective classes is **Wed., May 12.**

Review the **Academic Sequencing Calendar, course descriptions, and AP Course Offerings** at LaProgram.org before requesting classes.

MEASURES OF PROGRESS



TEACHERS: Grades Are Due on Monday, April 26 at 9am.

The second marking period ends on **Friday, April 16.** Mark Law will help teachers send EGG files in **Room 317 on Friday, April 23.** Thank you in advance for submitting grades by **9AM on Monday, April 26.**

DO

- ...give grades in increments of five unless you are giving a grade between 90 and 100 or an 88.
- ...submit your grades on time! Otherwise, you may not be able to make corrections before report cards are printed.

DON'T

- ...forget to select "Save Target As" after right-clicking on the attachment in your e-mail.
- ...give any grade lower than a 40. The only exception to this rule is if you teach physical education, drama, or dance and are giving a 9 to a medically excused student.
- ...change the name of the original file in any way. The correct format is **LASTNAME_2009_2_2.** Thank you for your work with EGG files!

COMMAND OF LANGUAGE

discard	v.	to throw away, reject
interim	adj.	taking place between two events
annual	adj.	recurring or done every year
vibrant	adj.	full of vigor or energy
informed	adj.	based on reliable information

The American Heritage Dictionary 2001 ed.

AP FAIR

Discover LaGuardia's Advanced Placement Program!

Students are invited to LaGuardia's second annual AP Fair. This celebration of our rich AP offerings will take place during the five lunch periods on **Wed., April 21**, in the **Seventh-floor Cafeteria**. Our goal is to heighten student awareness of the opportunities and challenges that AP courses present.

Attending the AP Fair will help students to make **informed** decisions about the classes for which they choose to register.

An informational booklet regarding our **vibrant** AP offerings will be distributed at this celebration of our students, teachers, and class offerings. The Advanced Placement Course Offerings booklet contains course descriptions and further information from those involved with our AP Program.

AP teachers are asked to e-mail names of student volunteers to Ivankeu@schools.nyc.gov. Teachers who are able to participate should contact Ms. van Keulen, LaGuardia Arts AP Program Coordinator.

We look forward to seeing you at the AP Fair!



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2010 Exam Calendar - Week 1		
	Morning - 8 a.m.	Afternoon - 12 p.m.
Monday, May 3	United States Government and Politics	Comparative Government and Politics French Language
Tuesday, May 4	Computer Science A Spanish Language	Statistics
Wednesday, May 5	Calculus AB Calculus BC	Chinese Language and Culture
Thursday, May 6	English Literature and Composition English Literature and Composition	Japanese Language and Culture
Friday, May 7	United States History	European History Studio Art (portfolios due)

LaGuardia offers the following AP classes:

- **English:** AP Language and Composition and AP Literature and Composition
- **Mathematics:** AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, and AP Statistics
- **Science:** AP Biology, AP Chemistry, and AP Environmental Science
- **Social Studies:** AP U.S. History
- **Foreign Language:** AP French, AP Japanese, and AP Spanish
- **Studios:** AP Art History and AP Music Theory

You can find the AP Course Offerings Informational Booklet, course sequencing tables, and more at **LaProgram.org**.



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2010 Exam Calendar - Week 2			
	Morning - 8 a.m.	Afternoon - 12 p.m.	Afternoon - 2 p.m.
Monday, May 10	Biology Music Theory	Physics B Physics C: Mechanics	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism
Tuesday, May 11	Chemistry Environmental Science	Psychology	
Wednesday, May 12	English Language and Composition	Art History	
Thursday, May 13	Macroeconomics World History	Microeconomics	
Friday, May 14	Human Geography Spanish Literature	Latin: Vergil	

If you have any questions regarding information on this page, please call Ms. van Keulen, AP of Data and Technology, at (212) 496-0700 X 2261, or contact another member of the CFI Team.