What is API ?

API stands for Application Programming Interface.

It is a way for an application to interact with a certain system/application/library/etc.

Basically APIs is a set of rules, protocols and tools for developing software applications. An API also specifies how two or more programs interact with each other.

What is API testing ?

API testing is a type of software testing that involves testing APIs directly as part of integration testing in order to determine if they meet the expectations for functionality, reliability, performance and security.