

Why should you take the AP CS Principles Exam?

You're more prepared than you think.
Over 70% of students pass the AP CS Principles Exam.

Save on college tuition

Many universities now count passing the AP CS Principles exam for course credit.

Got your major picked out?

Passing an AP Exam can help you **skip introductory courses** so you can move to upper-level classes and focus on the work you're most interested in.

No idea what your major will be?

Passing an AP Exam can help you complete your college's general education requirements, opening up more time for you to explore what you want to pursue.

Worried you won't pass?

That's fine! You don't need to report your test scores to the colleges you apply to. Research shows that students who take an AP exam are more likely to graduate college, even if they don't pass!

Be a part of history







Female students still account for only 27% of all students taking AP CS Exams and underrepresented minorities make up just 20%. It's time we change this.

Need help paying for the exam?

Financial obligations shouldn't prevent you from taking an AP Exam. Talk with your teacher or school counselor to learn about **financial assistance**.







