

# AP Computer Science Principles

## 2022-2023

The following information outlines expectations from students interested in taking AP Computer Science Principles.

### **Recommended Grade Level**

10<sup>th</sup> Grade, 11<sup>th</sup> Grade, 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

### **Recommended Pre-Requisite Courses/Skills**

B or higher in Algebra I or the equivalent

### **Required Summer Work**

None

### **Average Homework/Study Time Expectations**

30 minutes per night on average; most work can be completed during class/lab

### **Assessment Frequency**

Occurs on a weekly basis in the form of projects, practice AP performance tasks, and quizzes/tests.

### **Characteristics of an AP Computer Science Principles Student**

Students who are interested in computer science but aren't quite sure what it entails. The AP Computer Science Principles course is designed to be equivalent to a first-semester, introductory college computing course. Students should have good time management skills and be motivated learners.

### **2023 Exam Date - REQUIRED**

May 2023 - TBD

### **Additional Resources**

For additional information about the AP Computer Science Principles course from CollegeBoard, visit <https://apcentral.collegeboard.org/courses/ap-computer-science-principles/course>.

