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Important Information Regarding Advanced Placement Exams

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Your child is scheduled to take one or more Advanced Placement Exams later this year. The AP Exams will be administered between May 7 and May 18.

In order to sit for an exam, each student must submit a fee of \$85 per exam by December 1, 2017. The only acceptable payment is a check or money order made out to Bayport-Blue Point High School. Payment for multiple exams must be made by one check or money order, and must be brought to the guidance office by December 1. For accuracy and tracking purposes, please be sure to write the student's full name on all forms of payment. The College Board does make provisions for students with acute financial need in the form of a fee reduction. This is based on a review of family income. If you feel that you might qualify for the reduction, please contact your child's guidance counselor at 472-7800, ext. 5030/5031 for more information and a confidential assessment of your eligibility.

Students take AP courses and exams for many reasons – the challenge, the sense of accomplishment, a stronger college application, and the other opportunities that might unfold as a result of their AP experience. The College Board reports that one such benefit is the potential to earn credit or advanced placement at “most of the nation's colleges and universities.” More detailed information is available on the College Board's AP website (<https://apstudent.collegeboard.org/creditandplacement/search-credit-policies>).

The **AP Bulletin for AP Students and Parents** will be available in the guidance office in December. Announcements will be made asking the AP students to pick up this valuable guide. If we may be of any assistance to you or your son/daughter, please contact his/her guidance counselor, AP teacher, or me at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Martin J. Malone".

Martin J. Malone
Assistant Principal