

ALL COURSE PLACEMENT WILL BE BASED ON:

- Teacher Recommendation;
- Results of High School Placement Test (HSPT);
- 8th grade report card (semester and exam grades) and EOC assessment;
- 8th grade standardized test scores (ITBS, FSAT, etc.)

SFCA HONORS CRITERIA

- Earning an “A” average in subject area;
- Demonstrating initiative, organizational skills, seriousness of purpose, and an ability to work above minimum requirements;
- Receiving 8th grade teacher recommendation;
- Achieving High School Placement Test scores rated as “Above Average”.

SFCA ADVANCED PLACEMENT CRITERIA

Students who choose to be considered for these courses are **required** to take the Advanced Placement test for that course at its conclusion in May. **There is a cost for each test** (currently \$94).

AP placement will be determined by the following entrance criteria:

- Completing all prerequisites and earning an “A” average in the subject area;
- Demonstrating initiative, ability to work independently, seriousness of purpose, and a desire to learn and research beyond the normal work required;
- Receiving 8th grade teacher recommendation and approval from the SFCA Guidance Department;
- Committing to take the Advanced Placement test in May.
- Achieving High School Placement Test scores rated as “High”.