Online AP Practice Exams

Let your students know about the AP practice exams that can be found in the LearningExpress Library’s “College Prep Center.

They offer two AP practice exams each for

- Biology,
- Calculus AB,
- Chemistry,
- English Language & Composition,
- English Literature & Composition,
- European History,
- U.S. Government,
- U.S. History.

In addition, there are practice tests for the ACT, SAT, PSAT and TOEFL and resources that focus on study skills and other strategies for test preparedness.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ACCESS:

If you have already created a LearningExpress Library account through CIS, see the two paragraphs at the end of this document about avoiding double accounts.

1. Go to the South Library homepage  http://schools.4j.lane.edu/south/Library/  

Look for the Learning Express logo in the BOTTOM RIGHT-HAND CORNER  BELOW EASYBIB LINK
2. In the upper and lower right-hand corner on the homepage, click on REGISTER. Creating an account allows you to stop mid-test and come back to it later.

3. Fill out the form and click on Create Account. Your email address will be your User Name and you create your own password.

Note your user name and password for future reference!

4. On the homepage, choose the COLLEGE PREPARATION CENTER link.
5. Choose *Prepare for your AP Exam*. SAT and ACT practice tests are also available!

6. Choose which test you want to take:

**Practice for Your AP* Exam**

Use these practice exams to become familiar with the format, content, and timing of AP* exams, and to get plenty of practice before test day.

- **AP* Calculus AB Practice Exams**
- **AP* Chemistry Practice Exams**
- **AP* English Language and Composition Practice Exams**
- **AP* English Literature Practice Exams**
- **AP* European History Practice Exams**
- **AP* U.S. Government Practice Exams**
- **AP* U.S. History Practice Exams**
- **AP* Biology Practice Exams**

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**AP* Calculus AB Practice Exam 1: Section I**

Before you begin your test, it's very important to take a few minutes to review these instructions to be sure you get the most from your online testing experience.

**About This Test**

The Advanced Placement (AP) Program® is designed to allow high school students to pursue college-level studies while attending high school. Colleges use AP scores to determine students’ eligibility for advanced course placement, and/or course credit. The AP Calculus AB exam is usually given to high school students who have completed a year's study in a college-level mathematics course. The official exam is designed to measure your college-level mathematics skills, including graphical, numerical, analytical, and verbal calculus, along with overarching concepts like derivatives, integrals, limits, applications, and modeling, and approximation.

The official exam is divided into two sections: multiple choice and free response. However, this practice test contains only multiple-choice questions. On the official test, the multiple-choice section will account for 50% of your official score.

Like the multiple-choice section on the official exam, this test is broken in two parts. Part A consists of 28 questions for which a calculator cannot be used. Part B contains 17 questions, some of which will require the use of a graphing calculator. The calculator referenced in the answer explanations on this practice exam is the TI-83 Graphing Calculator.

This is a timed test, so be sure to practice answering the questions in the time allotted to help prepare you for the official test.
7. Choose which TEST MODE you want to do.

You can take a test over time and skip and come back to a question, but once you finish a section and choose “Score My Test”, you cannot go back and redo the answers.

After you choose “Score My Test” you will receive your score as well as the correct answers to any missed questions. It will also explain any reasoning behind questions/answers.

If the test includes a free-response section, after you choose “Score My Test” the database will give you several high scoring examples of how that question could have been answered as well as the reasoning behind it. Students will also see the rubric-scoring guide.

8. Once you start the test you have the choice of stopping and continuing later.

If you choose to Save and Finish Later…

A window pops up showing you choices.
9. You can then either log out, start another test or continue a previous test.

The next time you log in choose, in the upper right-hand corner to make test available to you again.

PLEASE NOTE:
The LearningExpress Library is also available in Oregon Career Information Systems (CIS). Students should choose which way to access Why? Because the LEL account in CIS is associated with a user’s CIS portfolio login so is separate and distinct from any account the user creates via the LEL link on OSLIS. In other words, if a user creates a LearningExpress Library account via the OSLIS link, the results of any LearningExpress tests saved in that account cannot be accessed via the CIS account, and vice versa.

To access LEL via CIS, users log in to CIS, click on My Career Planning Portfolio at the top right of the page, create a portfolio or log in to their existing portfolio, and then click on My Learning Express (last option on page). After clicking on Continue, users will get right in to LEL without having to log in to it separately because the LEL account is connected to their existing CIS account. When they are done using LEL and log out, they will still be logged in to CIS.