

Verrado has been approved by The College Board to begin offering the AP Capstone program in the 2019-2020 school year! This includes two AP Capstone courses, AP Seminar and AP Research.

Sophomores, juniors, and seniors are all eligible to take AP Seminar. This class gives students the opportunity to delve into real-world issues, gather data from a variety of sources, and develop credible arguments. Research and argument skills are honed in this class!

The second AP Capstone class is AP Research. Juniors and seniors who have passed AP Seminar are eligible to take this class, which builds on the research and writing processes covered in AP Seminar. AP Research conduct independent research to create and defend their own scholarly work. This class allows students to practice research skills and writing skills that will be useful after high school, while also allowing them to pursue areas of interest.

Passing both AP Capstone tests earns a certificate, and passing both AP Capstone tests along with four other AP classes/exams earns students an AP Capstone diploma. Both of these are an excellent way to both prepare for post-secondary education and to show your readiness in college applications.



Any current freshmen, sophomores, or juniors interested in adding AP Capstone to their course selections for next school year should contact their counselors ASAP!

For more info:

<https://youtu.be/yPsQvn6NaLE>

For a student perspective:

<https://youtu.be/0aoEXEIQKTM>