

## Mohonasen High School Honors/AP Application

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Directions to students:

1. Fill in your name, the date, and the course you are interested in applying for. If you are interested in applying to more than one subject area, *fill out a separate form for each.*
2. *If you are applying for an English, Social Studies or Science course, see your teacher about the required writing sample. Please be sure to complete the writing sample and attach it to this form when you turn it in.*
3. Have your teacher fill out Part 1.
4. Bring the form home to share with your parents and have your parents complete Part 2.
5. Return this form (**and writing sample for English, Social Studies and Science courses**) to Mrs. Plano in room 36 no later than **February 26, 2010. If the writing sample is not included with this form, the application will be considered incomplete.**

Honors or Advanced Placement Course applying for in 2010-2011, title and grade level: _____	
<p><b>Part 1: For Teacher</b></p> <p>Please fill in the student's grades and rate the student in each category</p>	<p>Teacher (Print): _____</p> <p>Teacher Signature: _____</p> <p>Current Course: _____</p>
<p>Quarter 1 Average: _____ Quarter 2 Average: _____ Midterm Grade (If Applicable): _____</p>	
<p><b>Academic Interest:</b>                  Exhibits Intellectual Curiosity                  Contributes to classroom discussions                  Consistently works to maintain a high academic standard</p>	<p>Always    Sometimes    Never</p>
<p><b>Academic Responsibility:</b>                  Meets Deadlines                  Regularly attends class and seeks help when necessary                  Follows directions                  High quality homework and preparation for class</p>	<p>Always    Sometimes    Never</p>
<p><b>Other Teacher Comments:</b></p>	
<p><b>Part 2: For Parent/Guardian</b></p> <p>I have read, considered, and discussed the recommendations and expectations for the _____ course offered at Mohonasen High School. I, Parent/Guardian (Print) _____, support my child's application for consideration in this course. I understand the final decision will be contingent upon a number of factors, including the criteria set forth below, continued academic achievement, scheduling considerations and submission of a writing sample. (Writing sample is for Social Studies, English and Science only).</p> <p>Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____</p>	

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**Part 3: For English, Social Studies and Science: writing sample attached to this application?**      Y    N

**Part 4: 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Average:** \_\_\_\_\_      **Regents Exam** \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Summary Rating of Candidate:</b>	<u>Recommended</u>	<u>Not Recommended</u>	<u>Incomplete Application</u>
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# AP United States History

## Writing Sample for 2010-2011

**Directions:** You must answer the question written below. However, please take a few minutes organizing or outlining your essay with the following information.

Write an essay that:

- Has a relevant thesis and supports that thesis with appropriate historical evidence.
- Addresses all parts of the question.
- Makes direct, relevant comparisons.
- Analyzes relevant reasons for similarities and differences.

### Question

Compare the emergence of nation-states in nineteenth-century Latin America with the emergence of nation-states in ONE of the following regions in the twentieth century.

1. Sub-Saharan Africa
2. The Middle East

*Deadline for application:*

**Please return with completed application to Ms. Plano in Room 36 no later than February 26, 2010.**

Good luck!

Mr. Dan Lucca, Social Studies Administrator K-12