International Recognition
The AP program acts as a yardstick against which students can measure their educational progress. Admissions committees of the most competitive universities are aware of the high standard of AP exams and view the AP experience as a reliable indicator of future success at the post-secondary level.

Post-secondary institutions in more than 30 countries recognize AP in their admissions process (including 90% of North American colleges and universities). National university systems in the UK, France and Germany recognize the AP program.

Senator O’Connor College School has a long history of offering Advanced Placement courses to students. Our program is designed to enhance the learning of highly motivated students and represents a valuable component in the educational experience of the Gifted student.

Grade 9, 10 and 11 AP Students
Lunchtime prep skills session for PSAT exam.

AP Students with OCS Graduate Balthazar Crane (Class of 2013) at his first UofT Engineering Science Praxis
Our graduates stay connected, helping younger students understand university options.

If you are a student who is motivated, curious, hard working, if you are hungry for knowledge and eager for accelerated learning experiences, consider AP at O’Connor.

Applications are available on the Senator O’Connor College School website: see Admissions and Registration.

Deadline is December 5, 2014.

We look forward to hearing from you.

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Senator O’Connor College School Advanced Placement Program

Adrianna Wong
AP Student
Senator O’Connor College School, Class of 2010
School of Medicine, University College, Dublin, Class of 2015
“I liked that the AP program allowed me to accelerate my courses. I didn’t get bored!”

TCDSB Regional Congregated Advanced Placement Centre, Toronto East
The Advanced Placement program at Senator O’Connor College School continues a tradition of achievement, by providing students with the opportunity for academic enrichment. At O’Connor, students are offered a full complement of Pre-AP and AP courses in core subjects during their four years of high school.

**What is AP?**

An Advanced Placement course offers university level content to students at the high school level.

**What are the benefits of AP?**

**Enrichment**

Students in AP courses study topics in greater depth, enhancing their intellectual development.

**Flexibility**

AP Programs can be tailored to meet the specific needs of each student. Students can maintain co-curricular participation while participating in specific AP subjects in their fields of interest.

**Challenge**

AP gives students the opportunity to realize their full potential by challenging themselves, allowing the students to master university-level material while still in high school.

**University Preparation**

Students are exposed to university level content and expectations in AP courses, allowing them to feel more comfortable and confident once they reach the academic setting of university.

**University Acceleration**

Because AP courses include university material, students may achieve advanced academic standing or equivalent credits in participating universities in Canada, the United States and overseas. This head start gives students the opportunity to take a double major, study their area of interest in more depth or graduate early.