COURSE TITLE: Advanced Placement Human Geography

COURSE NUMBERS: 2807/2808

DEPARTMENT: Social Science

PREREQUISITE: None

LENGTH OF COURSE: One Year

SEMESTER PERIODS OF CREDIT: 5 per semester

GRADE LEVEL(S): 9-12

DATE ADOPTED: March 6, 2012

MEETS EUHSD Elective Credit or CTE Requirement

MEETS UC “a” ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

TEXTBOOK: In addition to the EUHSD Board Approved textbook, teachers will utilize a variety of resources designed to assist students in meeting the requirements set forth by the College Board in preparation for the Advanced Placement Exam. In addition, Advanced Placement teachers are required to submit their Course Syllabus in accordance with College Board requirements and receive individual teacher approval to utilize a variety of instructional strategies and course materials in order to meet the requirements set forth in the Advanced Placement Course Guides.


COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This course is equivalent to an introductory college-level course in human geography. The course introduces students to the systematic study of patterns and processes that have shaped human understanding, use, and alteration of Earth’s surface. Students employ spatial concepts and landscape analysis to examine socioeconomic organization and its environmental
consequences. They also learn about the methods and tools geographers use in their research and applications. The curriculum reflects the goals of the National Geography Standards (2012).

For current course curriculum go to www.collegeboard.org