

2017 Advanced Placement (AP) Test for Faculty of Science, National University of Singapore

Important Announcement:

Students who have read and passed NUS H3 modules or regular modules under the Non-Graduating Non-Exchange (NGNE) scheme at NUS are not allowed to sit for the AP Test(s) of these module(s).

Eligibility:

All students who have accepted the offer of admission to the Faculty of Science and have obtained excellent overall GCE 'A' Level (or equivalent) results and done very well in the relevant subjects at A-level (or equivalent) or Polytechnic diploma will be eligible. Each officially admitted student will be allowed to sit for the AP Test of a module **only once just prior to admission** to the Faculty before the start of the new academic year.

Each student will only be allowed to opt for a maximum of 5 modules (i.e. 20 modular credits) for AP Tests.

Freshmen admitted into the Faculty of Engineering or the School of Computing (for the Double Degree Programme in Computer Science and Mathematics/Applied Mathematics), may also apply to sit for the AP Test(s) of the Science modules which will fulfill their programme requirements.

Only freshmen who have applied and are shortlisted for the AP Test(s) will be allowed to sit for the test(s).

However, freshmen who are currently enrolled in the online module, PC1431X, via the iMOOC platform are not allowed to apply for AP Test for the equivalent module, PC1431.

Test Syllabus and Other Critical Information:

Students are to refer to the Faculty of Science AP Test website from March 2017 for the test syllabus and updates on the AP Test for AY2017/2018.

Format and Standard of AP Test Paper:

The format and the standard of the test are identical to the current examination format adopted for NUS undergraduates taking the module during NUS regular semesters.

Grading Basis:

Under the existing NUS framework for Advanced Placement Credits (APCs), undergraduates receiving APCs will only be awarded the modular credits with no Letter Grades being issued.

Administrative Fees:

A non-refundable administrative fee of S\$50 will be charged for the AP Test of each module.

Timeline:

Application closes on **31 May 2017**.

AP Tests will be held from **22 June 2017– 30 June 2017**.

Test results will be released to students by **middle of July 2017**.

