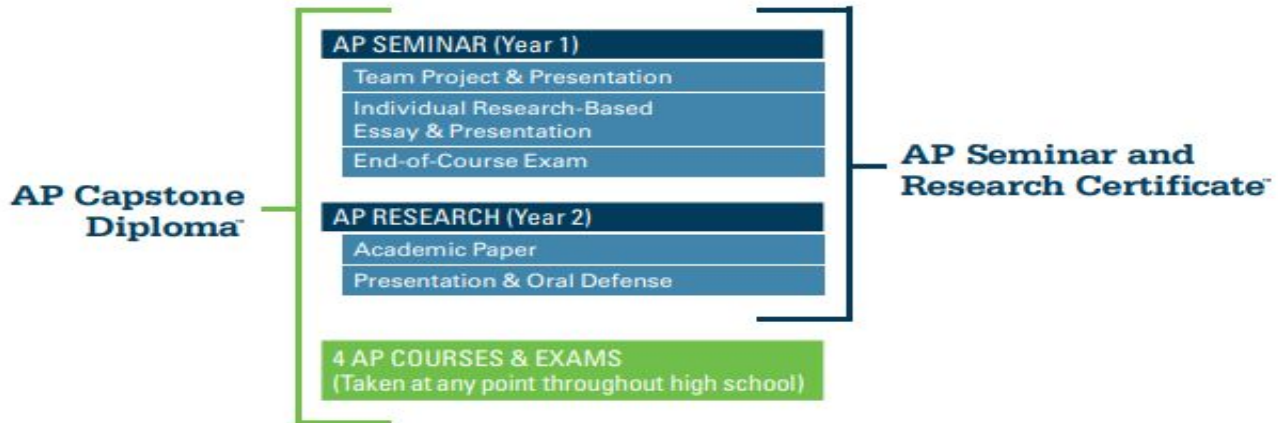

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Assessment Overview:

Task 1 - Team Project and Presentation (20% of AP score)

Individual Research Report, 1200 words (50% of 20%)

Team Multimedia Presentation and Defense, 8-10 minutes plus defense questions (50% of 20%)

Task 2 - Individual Research-Based Essay and Presentation (35% of AP score)

Individual Written Argument, 2000 words (70% of 35%)

Individual Multimedia Presentation, 6-8 minutes (20% of 35%)

Oral Defense, two questions from teacher (10% of 35%)

Task 3 - End-of Course Exam (45% of AP score)

Part A - One source and students identify the author's argument, explain the line of reasoning, and evaluate the effectiveness of the evidence the author uses (30% of 45%)

Part B - Four sources and students identify a theme or issue within them, present her/his own perspective on the theme or issue and incorporate at least two of the sources as supporting evidence (70% of 45%)

Making Connections with AP

The AP Seminar course topics can be viewed through different disciplinary lenses which relate to courses in the AP Program

