Possible Themes

These themes are possible starting points. Within these themes, issues can be identified for exploration and investigation.

- Aesthetics
- Belief
- Communication
- Courage
- Culture
- Democracy
- Discovery
- Discrimination
- Diversity
- Education
- Environment
- Evolution
- Food
- Freedom
- Government
- Health
- Home

- Identity
- ▶ Immigration
- ▶ Innovation
- Intelligence
- Justice
- Language
- Leisure
- Liberty
- Media
- Modeling
- Myth
- Networks
- Opportunity
- Patterns
- Peace
- Perception
- Place

- Power
- Protest
- Representation
- Revolution
- Rights and responsibilities
- Social media
- Space
- Sustainability
- Technology
- Theory
- Traditions
- Transformation
- Utopia
- War
- Wealth and poverty
- Work

Multiple Perspectives and Interdisciplinary Connections

Exploring different points of view and making connections across disciplines are fundamental components of the AP Seminar experience. Students consider each topic through a variety of lenses and from multiple perspectives, many of which are divergent or competing. Analyzing topics through multiple lenses aids in interdisciplinary understanding and helps students gain a rich appreciation for the complexity of important issues. Teachers should encourage students to explore a topic through several of the following lenses:

- Cultural and social
- Artistic and philosophical
- Political and historical
- Environmental
- Economic
- Scientific
- Futuristic
- Ethical