## **Creating Your College Board Account for the First Time**

\*If you have an existing College Board account, please use the forgot username/password links to access your account.

If you do not have an existing College Board account, follow the steps below to create a new account.

- 1. Go to myap.collegeboard.org.
- 2. Click "Create Account."
- 3. Click "I'm a Student."
- 4. Complete the General Information required. Any item with a red \* is required throughout the process.
  - First Name
  - Middle Initial
  - Last Name
  - Gender
  - Date of Birth
  - Email Address
    - Enter your personal email address. If you do not have a personal email, enter your EMS email address, studentid#@s.ems-isd.net
  - High School Graduation (Month (May) /Year (Your specific graduation year))
  - Your Zip Code
  - Where do you go to school?
    - Saginaw High School
    - o If you cannot select the school by typing in the school name, filter by SHS zip code: 76131
- 5. Create Username and Password
  - Username: Must be 6-15 characters made up of letters and numbers
  - Password: Must be between 9-30 characters with at least one upper case letter, one lower case letter, one number and one special character (no spaces) and be different than the username
  - Choose Security Question
  - Provide Answer to Security Question
    - o Your answer is case sensitive
- 6. Complete the Personal Information required.
  - Address (You may only use Address Line 1. You can leave Address Line 2 blank.)
  - City (If your city is Fort Worth, make sure it is spelled correctly or you will receive an error.)
  - State
  - Cell Phone Number
  - Click check box to get texts from College Board.
- 7. Subscriptions
  - Keep the box checked to receive monthly student newsletter and alerts.
- 8. Complete the Parent Information. (Optional, but Recommended)
  - Parent/Guardian First Name
  - Parent/Guardian Last Name
  - Parent/Guardian Email Address
  - Check the boxes to allow your parent/guardian to receive emails from College Board.
- 9. Check "I agree with the Terms & Conditions"
- 10. Click Next.
- 11. Verify info to be directed to My AP account.