

Graduation Requirements

Home School Codes for ACT (969-999) and SAT (970000)

STANDARD ACADEMIC COURSE OF STUDY (SACoS) 24.0 CREDITS

COLLEGE PREPARTORY COURSE OF STUDY (CPCoS) 28.5 CREDITS

A credit unit is defined as a course of study in which a student participates approximately one hour a day for 170 days.

<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>SACoS</u>	<u>CPCoS</u>
Bible	4.0 Credits	4.0 Credits
English	4.0 Credits	4.0 Credits
Mathematics (Algebra I)	2.0 Credits	4.0 Credits
Science (Physical & Life) [usually requires labs]	2.0 Credits	4.0 Credits
History (US, World, Government, & Economics)	3.0 Credits	4.0 Credits
Christian Worldview (in addition to Bible)	1.0 Credit	1.0 Credit
Physical Education	None	1.0 Credit
Health	0.5 Credit	0.5 Credit
Computer Science	0.5 Credit	0.5 Credit
Foreign Language	None	2.0 Credits
Electives	7.0 Credits	3.5 Credits

COURSE / SUBJECT SUGGESTIONS

This is in no way a complete list of subjects that may be taken. A suggested college prep course of study has been included but if your student plans to attend a university or college, it is advisable to inform yourself of the prerequisites recommended for student enrollment. Before your student starts 9th grade check the websites of a dozen or so colleges that your student might want to attend and to see which courses are required or recommended for admission.

This is especially true for **JUNIOR COLLEGES**. State Junior Colleges require 4 x 4: that is 4 credits each of English, Mathematics, History, and Science. Colleges vary in their requirements for admission with highly selective colleges and universities having more rigorous requirements. It is the parent's responsibility to be aware of your student's post-high school directions and to plan your student's high school program to include those subjects that will help him or her to gain admission to the college of their choice.

ENGLISH

Grammar (9, 10, 11, 12)
American Literature
World Literature
British Literature

MATHEMATICS

Algebra I
Algebra II
Geometry
Consumer Mathematics
Trigonometry
Calculus
Business Mathematics
Accounting

SCIENCE

Physical Science
Life Science (Biology, Anatomy, Physiology)
Chemistry
Physics
Marine Biology
Health (0.5 Credit)
Labs (0.5 Credit)

HISTORY

Geography
World History
U.S. History
Government (0.5 Credit)
Economics (0.5 Credit)
Alabama History (0.5 Credit)

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Applications
Coding
Keyboarding / Typing

ELECTIVES

ACT Preparation
Agriculture
Auto Mechanics
Business Technologies
Career Development
Child Development / Care
Debate
Driver's Education (0.5 credit)
Entrepreneurship
Family & Consumer Science
Fine Arts (Art, Dance, Drama, Music)
First Aid / CPR
Foreign Language
Home Economics
Internships
Journalism / Yearbook
Photography
Psychology
Shop / Woodworking
Sign Language
Small Business Management/Internship
Sociology
Speech