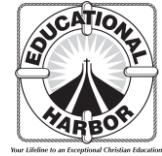


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Graduation Requirements – College Preparatory Program

We follow Florida State 1003.4282 regarding graduation requirements for a college preparatory high school diploma, along with the FCCPSA requirements for a college preparatory high school diploma:

4 credits in Language Arts from the following courses:

- English I, II, III, IV
- Any literature course
- Creative Writing or other writing courses
- Dual Enrollment at SCF or other community college

4 credits in Mathematics from the following courses:

- Liberal Arts math (prealgebra+), Consumer Math
- Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2
- (Algebra 1 may be broken up into two years, although this won't satisfy the math requirement for Bright Futures)
- Trig, Statistics, PreCalculus
- Dual Enrollment at SCF or other community college

3 credits in Science with labs from the following courses, 2 with a lab

- Physical science, biology, chemistry, physics, astronomy, earth science, anatomy, zoology

3 credits in Social Studies of the following courses

- American History
- Government and Economics
- World History

1 credit in fine or performing arts / speech and debate

1 credit in physical education

2 credits in foreign language

2 credits in Bible

6 credits of electives, from the following list:

- At least 2 rigorous elective courses offered by Educational Harbor, such as social science, social studies, or sciences
- Arts classes from Circle Arts Academy or Palmetto Arts Academy
- Sports or private music lessons from an approved source, or the local high school

24 credits total

* One course must be online with FLVS (Drivers' Ed, Boaters' License, Foreign Language)

Testing Requirements

ACT Minimum composite 20: English 18, Reading 19, Math 19 (minimum scores by subject area)

SAT Minimum Reading: 460, Math: 460, Composite 980 (minimum scores by subject area)

PERT Minimums: Reading 104, Math 123, Writing 99 (no composite score)

GPA 2.5 on the 4.0 unweighted GPA scale

Since we are such a small private school, we outsource many of our elective and performing arts credits. We utilize the Palmetto Art Center, Circle Arts Academy, and other such programs that we have ourselves examined and praise for their well-rounded classes. We work with the staff at these locations to help ensure the hourly requirement is met as well as the course descriptions. We also encourage our students in independent study and help them build programs that meet their interests. In this case, we utilize curriculums from a variety of sources.

We do not allow our students to earn less than a C in each class. We achieve this through tutoring, pacing adjustments, small class sizes, and adjusting curriculum as necessary to meet the learning style of the students, while still maintaining. We also offer summer school to help students. Although we hold firm deadlines for assignments, we work hard developing relationships with our students to help them achieve greatness. We do have an "honors" program for students who maintain a high grade-point average and perform honors-level coursework.

We also require our students to volunteer for 40 hours within the community. Students may volunteer at any local non-profit approved by Educational Harbor. Bright Futures scholarship students must have 100 community service hours to qualify.