

# GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

For 2025 Graduates and Beyond



<u>Department</u>	<u>FFCHS College Prep Requirements</u>
Bible	4
English	4
Mathematics	3
Science, 2 labs	3
Social Studies	3.5
World Languages	2
Health	0.5
Physical Education	1.5
Visual/Performing Arts	2
Occupational Education	1
Technology/Computers	0.5
Electives	Included above
	<b>TOTAL 25</b>

## Standard FFCHS Diploma

9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup>	12 <sup>th</sup>
New Testament Survey	Old Testament Survey	Apologetics & Christian Doctrine*	Life In Christ
Algebra I Geometry	Geometry Algebra II	Algebra II Pre-Calculus (College Algebra/Trigonometry)* Calculus*	Pre-Calculus (College Algebra/Trigonometry)* Calculus*
Themes in Literature	World Literature	American Literature*	British Literature*
Physical Science w/ lab	Biology w/ lab	Chemistry w/ lab	Physics w/ lab
Practices to Success/World Geography	World History	US History*	CWP*/Civics
Spanish I	Spanish II	Electives	Electives
Electives/PE	Electives/PE	Electives/PE	Electives/PE

\*College credit option may be available

## **CREDIT REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION**

To graduate and earn a diploma from Firm Foundation Christian High School, a student must complete a four-year program earning 25 credits. Any failed course must be recovered to receive credit. FFCHS can help develop an individualized program of study for students who do not plan to pursue a standard college prep track. Please set up an appointment with the Administration if interested in this option.

Courses taken prior to 9<sup>th</sup> grade will only be accepted if the courses taken were at a high school level and Administration approves the credit. Students must receive prior approval from the Administration in order to receive high school credit for off-campus instructional hours. Students transferring to FFCHS from another high school must recover any required courses missing from their transcript except for Bible courses. A transcript review is part of the transfer admissions process.

## **SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION**

**Bible** – Four (4) credits of Bible are required. Students who transfer to FFCHS are not required to complete credit recovery for bible credits that were missed prior to attending FFCHS.

**English** – Four (4) credits of English are required.

**Mathematics** – Three (3) credits of college preparatory mathematics are required including Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II. Other math courses offered are Consumer Mathematics, Pre-Calculus and Calculus. Pre-Algebra does not meet the mathematics requirement. Four (4) credits of mathematics are recommended.

**Science** – Three (3) credits of science are required including 2 lab sciences, Biology and Chemistry. Four (4) credits of science are recommended.

**Social Studies** – Three and one half (3.5) credits of social sciences are required including World Geography (.5 credits), World History (1 credit), U.S. History (1 credit), Contemporary World Issues (.5 credits) and Civics (0.5 credits). An additional requirement of Washington State History must be met. FFCS students fulfill this requirement in 7th grade.

**World Languages** – Two (2) credits of the same language are required. World language is required of ALL ninth and tenth grade students in attendance at FFCHS.

**Health** - One half (0.5) credit of health is required. Red Cross CPR and First Aid certification is required for graduation and is completed in the FFCHS Health course.

**Physical Education** - One and one half (1.5) credits of physical education are required. Students must complete PE-A and PE-B to meet this requirement. Students are permitted to submit a PE/Sport Waiver for up to .5 credits only during their high school years.

**Visual or Performing Arts** – Two (2) credits of art are required. Students are permitted to acquire .5 credits of Visual/Performing Arts by participating in the FFCS Drama Club. Actors and backstage support qualify to acquire the credit.

**Occupational Education** – One (1) credit of occupational education is required.

**Technology/Computers** - One half (0.5) credits of computer technology is required.

**Electives** - Elective credits are included in the courses listed above. Transfer students may need additional classes to fulfill the 25 credits required by FFCHS for their high school diploma.