



Faith Academy Graduation Requirements

are developed from the Alabama High School Graduation requirements for each of the listed diplomas. These requirements must be fulfilled in grades 9–12. Transfer students are eligible for elective credit substitutions.

Standard Diploma	
	Credits
English Language Arts	4
Four credits to include the equivalent of:	
English 9	1
English 10	1
English 11	1
English 12	1
Mathematics	4
Four credits to include the equivalent of:	
Algebra I	1
Geometry	1
Algebra II	1
One additional math credit	1
Science	4
Two credits to include the equivalent of:	
Biology	1
Physical science	1
Two additional science credits	2
Social Studies	4
Four credits to include the equivalent of:	
World History	1
United States History I	1
United States History II	1
United States Government	0.5
Economics	0.5
Electives	12
Bible	4
Physical Education/Fine Arts Education	1
Health Education	0.5
Speech	0.5
Electives	6
Total Credits	28

Advanced Diploma with Academic Endorsement	
	Credits
English Language Arts	4
Four credits to include the equivalent of:	
English 9	1
English 10	1
English 11	1
English 12	1
Mathematics	4
Four credits to include the equivalent of:	
Algebra I (can be completed in 8 th grade)	1
Geometry	1
Algebra II with Trigonometry*	1
Precalculus	1
Statistics	1
Calculus	1
Science	4
Two credits to include the equivalent of:	
Biology	1
Physical science	1
Two additional science credits	2
Social Studies	4
Four credits to include the equivalent of:	
World History	1
United States History I	1
United States History II	1
United States Government	0.5
Economics	0.5
Electives	12
Bible	4
Physical Education/Fine Arts Education	1
Health Education	0.5
Speech	0.5
Advanced Electives	
• Career Technical	
• Computer Applications	2**
• World Languages	
Electives	4
Total Credits	28

*Algebra II is required to graduate and is a prerequisite for Physics.

**2 credits must be derived from Advanced Electives

Information Concerning Valedictorian and Salutatorian

Valedictorian and Salutatorian shall be determined based on the student's weighted cumulative GPA. Weighted GPA shall be calculated using four advanced core courses and Bible in grades 9–12 and three advanced elective courses in grades 10–12, in accordance with Faith Academy's weighted GPA policy.