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Findlay High School
Scheduling Meeting
2022 - 2023 School Year

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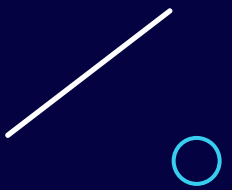


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FHS Counseling Team



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<https://fcs.org/fhs/fhs-counseling-academics/>

FHS Counseling Dept
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OHIO'S GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS



Ohio's High School Graduation Requirements

Classes of 2023 and Beyond



It's Your **Future.** Get **Ready.**

Before you know it, you'll be receiving your high school diploma. Ohio is giving you new ways to show the world what you can do with it.

As a student entering ninth grade on or after **July 1, 2019**, Ohio's new high school graduation requirements give you more flexibility to choose a graduation pathway that builds on your strengths and passions – one that ensures you are ready for your next steps and excited about the future.

Class of 2023 & Beyond

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

FIRST



Successfully complete your coursework earning a minimum of 21 credits.

- 4 credits of English
- 4 credits of Math
- 3 credits of Science
- 3 credits of Social Studies
- 1 credit of Fine Art

- .5 credit of Communications
- .5 credit of Emerging Tech
- .5 credit of Physical Education
- .5 credit of Health
- 4 credits of Electives

SECOND

Earn a passing score (684) on Ohio's high school Algebra I and English II end-of-course tests.

OR COMPLETE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING

Demonstrate two career focused activities

Enlist in the military

Complete college coursework (CCP)



THIRD

Earn two of the following diploma seals. These seals give you a chance to demonstrate academic, technical, and professional skills and knowledge that align to your planned next steps after high school.



OHIO MEANS JOBS READINESS SEAL
INDUSTRY-RECOGNIZED CREDENTIAL
COLLEGE-READY SEAL
MILITARY ENLISTMENT SEAL

CITIZENSHIP SEAL
SCIENCE SEAL
HONORS DIPLOMA SEAL
SEAL OF BILITERACY

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FHS Credit Requirements



- 4 Credits English
 - 4 Credits Math (must include Algebra II or equivalent)
 - 3 Credits Science (1 Physical Science, 1 Life Science, 1 Advanced)
 - 3 Credits Social Studies (must include: World History, American History, Gov., Fin. Literacy)
 - 1 Credit Fine Arts
 - ½ Credit Communications
 - ½ Credit Emerging Technology
 - ½ Credit Health
 - ½ Credit Physical Education (two classes or two waivers; waiver form must be submitted)
 - 4 Elective credits
 - 21 Credits Total**
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Option

1.

Demonstrate Two Career-Focused Activities*:

Foundational

Proficient scores on WebXams

A 12-point industry credential

A pre-apprenticeship or acceptance into an approved apprenticeship program

Supporting

Work-based learning

Earn the required score on WorkKeys Earn the OhioMeansJobs Readiness Seal

Option

2.

Enlist in the Military

Show evidence that you have signed a contract to enter a branch of the U.S. armed services upon graduation.

Option

3.

Complete College Coursework

Earn credit for one college-level math and/or college-level English course through Ohio's free College Credit Plus program.

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Grading Scale



| Grade | College Prep | Honors | Adv. Placement |
|-------|--------------|--------|----------------|
| A | 92 | 90 | 86 |
| B | 82 | 80 | 80 |
| C | 72 | 70 | 70 |
| D | 62 | 60 | 60 |



1/2 Credit (semester)

A = 2 Points

B = 1.5 Points

C = 1 Point

D = 0.5 Point

F = 0 Points



GPA Formula

Figure the GPA on a 4-point scale and all credits earned

- Credits are gained at the semester
- Adjust points accordingly for .25 credit courses
- Divide total points earned by total credits attempted to determine the GPA.





Semester Grade

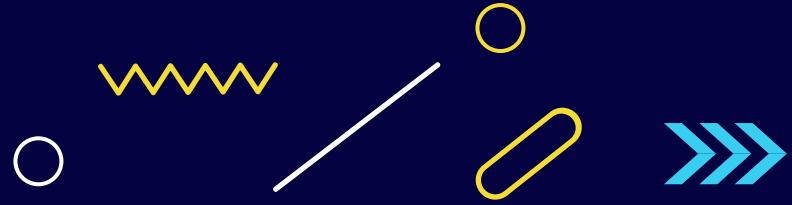


The cumulative GPA will be updated two times each school year - at the end of the first semester and at the end of the second semester.

| Quarter 1 | Quarter 2 | Exam | Final Grade |
|-----------|-----------|------|------------------|
| 37.5% | 37.5% | 25% | Must Pass 2 of 3 |



Honor Roll



Distinguished:

3.75 and above with no grade below a C. No WD/F or Incompletes

Merit:

3.25 - 3.74 with no grades below a C, no WD/F or Incompletes

A/B:

Any combination of all A's or B's. No WD/F or Incompletes



Extracurricular Involvement

It's important to document your activities throughout your high school years whether it be for graduation seals, college admission, scholarship consideration, or entering the workforce.

Things to consider getting involved in or documenting:

- Athletics
- Organizations
- Clubs
- Volunteer Experience
- Work Experience
- Community Service
- Honors that you have received



Extracurricular Opportunities



| | | | | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Art Club | Books 'N Brownies | Bowling Club | Chess & Game Club | Clean 4 Green | Creative Writing Club |
| Diversity Club | e-Sports Club | Ethics Bowl | Fall Play | Fellowship of Christian Athletes | Findlay First Edition |
| Gay-Straight Alliance | Hockeyettes | Indoor Drumline | Junior Statesman of America | Key Club | Musical |
| Pantasia Steel Drum Band | Quiz Team | Sign Language Club | Ski Club | Spanish Club | Student Athlete Leadership Team |
| Voices in Perfection | Wrestlerettes | | | | |



Athletics Opportunities



Boys Cross
Country

Girls Cross
Country

Football

Boys Golf

Girls Golf

Boys Soccer

Girls Soccer

Boys Tennis

Girls Tennis

Sideline
Cheer

Volleyball

Boys
Basketball

Girls
Basketball

Gymnastics

Boys
Swimming

Girls
Swimming

Wrestling

Hockey

Boys
Baseball

Girls Softball

Boys
Lacrosse

Girls
Lacrosse

Boys Track

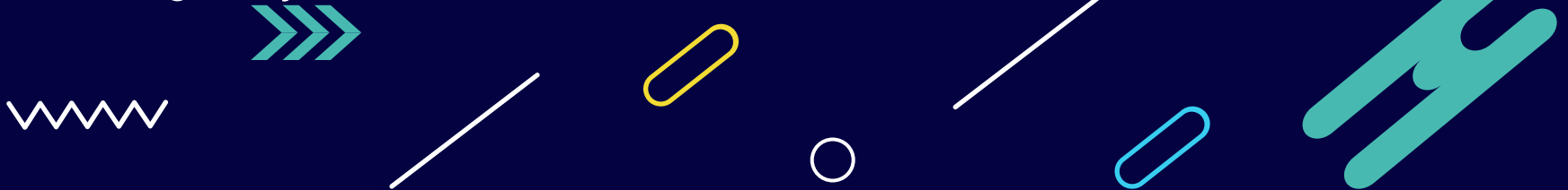
Girls Track



Extracurricular/Athletic Eligibility



1. You must pass a total of 5 full or half credit courses during the previous grading period
2. Maximum of 1 F permitted each grading period
3. At least a 1.5 GPA each grading period
 - Eligibility is determined by the previous grading period
 - Taking CCP? Work closely with your school counselor to ensure your eligibility status.



NCAA



College bound athletes should register with the NCAA
at:NCAA.org



“Guide for the College Bound Athlete” can help you through
the process





Millstream Career Center

- Single period classes for 9th - 12th grade (schedule through school counselor and can be found in the course selection guide)
- Sophomores will be part of class presentations in November and tour the building in December
- Junior/Senior programs can be found at www.millstreamcc.org
- Many of our classes include college credit plus and industry credentials used towards graduation
- Contact Millstream Career Center for a tour or to answer any questions

Saint Michael School Scheduling

Scheduling appointments will start on
January 26th through February 17th.

Please email Mrs. Morman to
set up an appointment.



Glenwood Middle School Scheduling

Mr. Seth Johnston - Last Names A-L

Mr. Kyle Hackenburg - Last Names M-Z

Glenwood Middle School - Scheduling Timeline

- **January 19th, 20th, and 21st:**
 - Counselors meeting with 8th grade math classes to review FHS graduation requirements, policies, scheduling procedures, etc.
- **January 25th:**
 - 8th Grade Scheduling Night held at FHS Auditorium
- **January 26th - End of February**
 - Counselors will begin meeting with students 1:1 (pulling from math classes) to review teacher recommendations for classes and select elective options.
 - Students will bring home course selection sheets for signatures.

Want to Schedule a Meeting?

If you would like to schedule a meeting with your student's School Counselor to review your student's scheduling choices, please contact us directly.

Seth Johnston (Last Names A-L)

sjohnston@fcs.org | 419.429.3748

Kyle Hackenburg (Last Names M-Z)

khackenburg@fcs.org | 419.429.3759

Donnell Middle School Scheduling

Riley Delben - Last Names A-L

Kristyn Bishop - Last Names M-Z

Want to Schedule a Meeting?

If you would like to schedule a meeting with your student's School Counselor to review your student's scheduling choices, please contact us directly.

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rdelben@fcs.org | 419.429.3708

Kristyn Bishop (Last Names M-Z)
kbishop@fcs.org | 419.429.3703



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Findlay High School
Honors Opportunities
2022 - 2023 School Year

Honors Courses at FHS



| | |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| English | English 9 Honors, English 10 Honors |
| Math | Algebra I Honors, Algebra II Honors, Geometry Honors, Pre-Calculus Honors, Calculus Honors |
| Science | Physical Science Honors, Biology Honors, Anatomy & Physiology Honors, Chemistry Honors, Physics Honors |
| Social Studies | World History Honors |
| World Languages | Spanish II Honors, Spanish III Honors, Spanish IV Honors, Spanish V Honors |
| Music | Wind Ensemble Honors |



Advanced Placement (AP)



What is AP?

AP is a program that offers college level courses and exams that students can take in high school. FHS currently offers 10 AP Courses. Taking AP Courses in High School could give students an advantage in college by letting them:

-Earn College Credit

-Earn Advanced Placement

-Save Money and Time

-Stand Out to Colleges

What can students expect when taking an AP class?

-the same rigor as a college class

-fast paced, extensive in breadth and depth and with lengthy reading passages and writing responses required daily

-about 10 hours a week doing work for an AP Class



Advanced Placement (AP)



What is the intent of the learning through AP Classes?

- higher scores on college entrance exams
- a stronger chance of students being accepted into the college of their choice
- enhanced chances of being awarded competitive scholarships

What should students do if they want to be placed in an AP Class?

-When scheduling for the next school year, students should get a recommendation from their current teacher who teaches the subject in which they would like to take the AP Course. On their Course Request Form, students should sign up for the AP Class that they want to take and have their current teacher sign the form if they agree with this placement.



AP Courses at FHS



English AP Language & Composition (11th),
AP Literature & Composition (12th)

Math AP Calculus AB, AP Statistics

Science AP Chemistry

Social Studies AP American History, AP American Government & Politics,
AP Microeconomics with Financial Literacy

World Languages AP Latin III/IV

Art AP Art IV



College Credit Plus



Ohio's College Credit Plus program is an opportunity for students in grades 7-12 to earn college and high school credits at the same time by taking college courses from local colleges or universities. The purpose of this program is to promote rigorous academic pursuits and to provide a wide variety of options to college-ready students.

Taking a college course from a public college or university is "free." That means no cost for tuition, books or fees. There are times where you may have to reimburse the district for the cost of your course (if you fail a course, etc.) If you choose to attend a private college or university, you also may have limited costs.

School districts **MUST** provide counseling services to high school students and their parents/guardians PRIOR to participating in the CCP program, including risks and consequences of participation.

Students must notify the district prior to April 1st of the preceding academic year to participate

CCP Courses at FHS



English

English Composition, Intro to Literature, British Literature, Literature & the Holocaust, Literature of Graphic Novels, Public Speaking (*Rhodes State*)

Science

General Physics, Basic Chemistry, Environment & Society, Intro to the Biological Sciences (*University of Findlay*)
Life in the Sea (*Bowling Green State University*)

Social Studies

History of the United States to 1865,
History of the United States Since 1865, American Politics
(*University of Findlay*)

World Languages

Beginning Spanish Language I, Beginning Spanish Language II,
Intermediate Spanish I, Intermediate Spanish II (*Rhodes State*)



English Department



English 9 Honors

English 10 Honors

AP Language & Composition (11)

AP Literature & Composition (12)

CCP English Composition (COM1110)

CCP Intro. to Literature (LIT2210)

CCP British Literature I (LIT2301)

CCP Literature & the Holocaust (LIT2310)

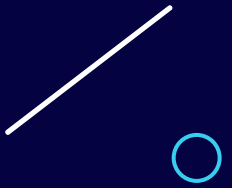
CCP Literature of Graphic Novels (LIT2227)

CCP Public Speaking (COM2110)



Math Department

Algebra I Honors
Algebra II Honors
Geometry Honors
Pre-Calculus Honors
Calculus Honors
AP Calculus AB
AP Statistics



Science Department

Physical Science Honors

Biology Honors

Anatomy & Physiology Honors

Chemistry Honors

Physics Honors

AP Chemistry

CCP General Physics I (PHYS250)

CCP Basic Chemistry (CHEM111)

CCP Environment & Society (ESOH100)

CCP Life in the Sea (BIOL1080)

CCP Intro to the Biological Sciences (BIOL102)

Social Studies Department

World History Honors

AP American History

AP American Government & Politics

AP Microeconomics with Financial Literacy

CCP History of the United States to 1865 (HIST110)

CCP History of the United States Since 1865 (HIST111)

CCP American Politics (POL110)



World Languages Department

AP Latin III/IV

Spanish II Honors

Spanish III Honors

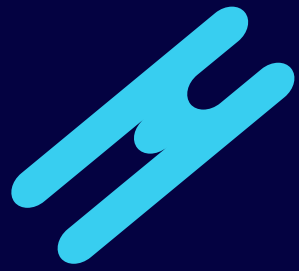
Spanish IV Honors

Spanish V Honors

CCP Beginning Spanish Language I (SPN1010)

CCP Beginning Spanish Language II (SPN1020)

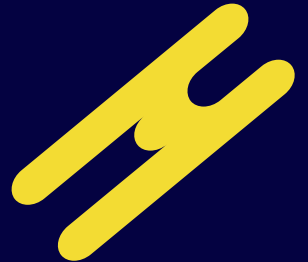




Music & Art Departments

Wind Ensemble Honors

AP Art IV



All Honors, AP, & CCP Courses at FHS

| English | Math | Science | Social Studies | World Language | Music |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| English 9 Honors | Algebra I Honors | Physical Science Honors | World History Honors | AP Latin III/IV | Wind Ensemble Honors |
| English 10 Honors | Algebra II Honors | Biology Honors | AP American History | Spanish II Honors | |
| AP Language & Composition (11) | Geometry Honors | Anatomy & Physiology Honors | AP American Government & Politics | Spanish III Honors | Art |
| AP Literature & Composition (12) | Pre-Calculus Honors | Chemistry Honors | AP Microeconomics with Financial Literacy | Spanish IV Honors | AP Art IV |
| CCP English Composition (COM1110) | Calculus Honors | Physics Honors | CCP History of the United States to 1865 (HIST110) | Spanish V Honors | |
| CCP Intro. to Literature (LIT2210) | AP Calculus AB | AP Chemistry | CCP History of the United States Since 1865 (HIST111) | CCP Beginning Spanish Language I (SPN1010) | |
| CCP British Literature I (LIT2301) | AP Statistics | CCP General Physics I (PHYS250) | CCP American Politics (POLS110) | CCP Beginning Spanish Language II (SPN1020) | |
| CCP Literature & the Holocaust (LIT2310) | | CCP Basic Chemistry (CHEM111) | | CCP Intermediate Spanish I (SPN2010) | |
| CCP Literature of Graphic Novels (LIT2227) | | CCP Environment & Society (ESOH100) | | CCP Intermediate Spanish II (SPN2020) | |
| CCP Public Speaking (COM2110) | | CCP Life in the Sea (BIOL1080) | | | |
| | | CCP Intro to the Biological Sciences (BIOL102) | | | |

Honors Diploma



Ohio offers several Honors Diploma Options:
Academic, Career Tech, STEM, Arts, Civic Engagement

[Honors Diploma](#)

[International Baccalaureate Honors](#)

[Career Tech Honors Diploma](#)

[STEM](#)

[Arts](#)

[Social Science and Civic Engagement](#)

High school students can gain state recognition for exceeding Ohio's graduation requirements through an honors diploma. Students challenge themselves by taking and succeeding at high-level coursework and in real world experiences.

Academic Honors Diploma

Must meet 7 of 8

- 4 credits English
- 4 credits Math (includes Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2, and another higher level math or 4 year sequence)
- 4 credits Science (including 2 advanced science credits)
- 4 credits Social Studies
- 3 credits Foreign Language (same language or 2 units in each of 2 different languages)
- 1 Credit Fine Arts
- GPA of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale (7 semester GPA)
- 27 or greater on ACT or 1280 or greater on SAT (depends on year of test)





ACT & SAT

These tests are used to aid universities in their admissions processes, with a standardized test that can compare students across the country and the world.

There are “practice” opportunities available to help students prepare themselves to take ACT and SAT tests.

- PreACT (10th grade)
<https://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/preact.html>
- PSAT (11th grade)
<https://satsuite.collegeboard.org/psat-nmsqt>

Ohio offers a free Statewide ACT Administration for all juniors, which is typically administered in late February or early March. Students test at their high school, during the school day, for this free opportunity.



ACT vs SAT

ACT

www.actstudent.org

All US Colleges Accept

Tests: Reading, English, Math, Science

Time: 2 hr 55 min + (optional) 40 min Essay

Composite Scores (no writing): 1-36

All Sections Multiple Choice

No Penalty for Guessing

Only Correct Answers Scored

Approx. Cost without Writing: \$50.50

SAT

www.collegeboard.org

All US Colleges Accept

Tests: Reading, Writing, Language, Math

Time: 3 hr + (optional) 50 min Essay

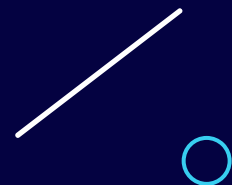
Composite Scores (no writing): 400-1600

Most Sections Multiple Choice

No Penalty for Guessing

Only Correct Answers Scored

Approx. Cost without Writing: \$47.50



VAL/SAL and Class Rank



Valedictorian and Salutatorian honors, is determined using several factors as listed below-

- Attend FHS not less than 2 years
- Highest GPA
- 28 min credits (min of 5 AP, CCP or combination of the two courses, totaling at least 5 credits)
- Highest composite/superscored composite on the ACT (as of Feb test in year of graduation)
 - (Tie: composite SAT as of the March test in the year of graduation, second place SAT is Sal. If tied on ACT and SAT, multiple Val and no Sal. If tie on Sal, tiebreaker is SAT as of March test in the year of graduation. If still tied, multiple Sal's will be recognized)
- Middle school classes taken for high school credit will be included in the calculation of a student's GPA.
- Outside of Val/Sal, students attaining 4.0 cumulative GPA will be ranked by ACT composite/superscored composite on the ACT (as of Feb test in year of graduation) Tied on ACT, they will hold the same ranking.
- Class rank will be calculated at the end of the students' sixth semester

full policy can be found at 8.20a1 of FCS Board Policy Manual

Sample Rank



Example: (other criteria for Val/Sal in example below presupposes other requirements are met, i.e. AP/CCP, 28 credits, etc)

| | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Val - 4.0 - 35 (1410) | 9th - 4.0 - 23 | 18th - 3.97368 |
| Sal - 4.0 - 35 (1370) | 9th - 4.0 - 23 | 20th - 3.89248 |
| 3rd - 4.0 - 34 | 12th - 4.0 - 20 | |
| 4th - 4.0 - 33 | 13th - 4.0 - 18 | |
| 4th - 4.0 - 33 | 14th - 4.0 - 16 | |
| 6th - 4.0 - 29 | 15th - 4.0 | |
| 7th - 4.0 - 27 | 15th - 4.0 | |
| 8th - 4.0 - 24 | 17th - 3.97674 | |
| 9th - 4.0 - 23 | 18th - 3.97368 | |



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