



Graduation Checklist / Planner – Class of 2026 and Beyond

STUDENT NAME: _____ CLASS OF: _____

Department / Courses	Credit Earned
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ENGLISH (minimum of 4 credits) - Students must be enrolled in English during every semester.

1 English Credit for 9 th Grade	
1 English Credit for 10 th Grade	
1 English Credit for 11 th Grade	
1 English Credit for 12 th Grade	

MATH (minimum of 4 credits) - Students must be enrolled in Math during every semester.

1 Credit of Algebra 1	
1 Credit of Geometry	
1 Credit of Algebra 2	

At least one additional credit of math may include:

1 Credit of Pre-Calculus	
1 Credit of AP Calculus	
1 Credit of Probability & Statistics	
1 Credit of AP Computer Science Principles	

BIBLE (minimum of 1 credit for each year a student is enrolled at LCA. Students must be enrolled in an LCA Bible class during every semester.

1 Credit of Old Testament Survey	
1 Credit of New Testament Survey	
1 Credit of Understanding the Faith	
1 Credit of Understanding the Times	

SOCIAL STUDIES (min. of 3 credits, must include:)

1 Credit of World History	
1 Credit of U.S. History	
.5 Credit of U.S. Government	
.5 Credit of Personal Finance	
Optional 4 th Credit for Academic Honors	
Optional 5 th Credit for SS&CE Honors	

SCIENCE (min. of 3 credits, must include:)

1 Credit of Biology	
1 Credit of Chemistry	
1 Credit of Physical Science or Physics	
Optional 4 th Credit for Honors Diploma	

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SPEECH (minimum of .5 credit must be earned)

.5 Credit of Speech	
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FINE ART (minimum of 1 credit must be earned)

1 Credit of Fine Arts --	
Optional 3 additional Fine Arts Credits for FINE ARTS Honors	

WORLD LANGUAGE (minimum of 2 credits must be earned)

1 Credit Year 1	
1 Credit Year 2	
Optional Year 3 Credit for Honors	
Optional 2 credits of 2 nd WL for Honors	

HEALTH / PE (The PE credit can be waived by participation in two seasons of a sport). If waived, an additional .5 credit elective must be earned.

.5 Credit of HS Health	
.5 Credit of Physical Education	

Electives / Additional Credits Earned – all students must earn a minimum of 20 credits plus .5 credit of Bible for each semester they are a student at LCA. Some Honors Diplomas require a specific focus of elective credit.

State Testing Requiring Competency

All students must take and meet competency levels on the following state EOC tests:

TEST	SCORE	PERFORMANCE LEVEL	Comp. Met?
Algebra 1 EOC			
ELA 2 EOC			

Additional State Testing

All state EOC tests must be taken unless the course was taken:

1) Homeschool, 2) Out of State, 3) Untraditionally

Some are options for earning the Grad. Seals described below.

TEST	SCORE	PERF LEVEL
Geometry EOC		

Graduation Seals – Minimum of 2 Required

One must be a state defined seal

SCIENCE SEAL	SCORE	PERF LEVEL or GRADE	✓
Proficient on Biology EOC			
Or Min. B- in an Adv. Science			

CITIZENSHIP SEAL	SCORE	PERF LEVEL or GRADE	✓
Combination of scores and grades are okay			
Prof. on U.S. History EOC			
AND Prof. on U.S. Govt. EOC			
OR Min. B- in U.S. History			
AND Min. B- in U.S. Govt.			

COLLEGE READY SEAL	ACT / SAT Required	SCORES	✓
	English—18/480		
	Reading—22		
	Math—22/530		

OTHER STATE SEALS

Honors Diploma Seal (Earn an Honors Diploma)	✓
Technology Seal (complete one)	
2 or better on AP CSP Exam	
B- or higher in a CCP technology course	
Complete an approved HS technology course	
Industry Recognized Credential Seal (See Mr. Bryant)	
Seal of Biliteracy (Achieve both)	
Meet an English Language proficiency qualifier	
Meet a World Language proficiency qualifier	

OTHER STATE SEALS Continued	✓
Military Enlistment Seal (complete one)	
Show evidence of enlistment in a branch of military Participate in JROTC program for at least 2 school yrs.	
Ohio Means Jobs Readiness Seal	
Work with mentors to validate demonstration of 14 identified professional skills across a min. of 2 of 3 environments-- school, work, and community.	

LCA DEFINED SEALS	✓
Community Service Seal (Complete both)	
60 hours or community service for single org. or cause 3-page reflection paper on your service experience	
Student Engagement Seal (Complete one)	
Earn four varsity letters in athletics Participate as cast member in 4 plays and/or musicals Serve on student senate for three academic years	
Fine and Performing Arts Seal (Complete all)	
At least 4 credits in Fine and Performing Arts Unweighted F&PA GPA of at least 3.5 Above average rating in an adjudicated F&PA contest	

LCA Career Academies

Earn recognition in the following academies by completing the prescribed coursework and a 30-hour internship / job shadow.

Business and Entrepreneurship Academy	
Business Fundamentals and Marketing	
Innovation and Entrepreneurship	
Computer Science and Applied Technology Academy	
AP Computer Science Principles	
Robotics	
Health Sciences Academy	
Anatomy and Physiology	
Medical Terminology and Intro. to Pharmacology	
Leadership and Ministry Academy	
Leadership Theory and Practice	
1 cred. approved Leadership/Ministry/Service elective	

Honors Diploma Options	
For all of the honors diplomas, you must meet all but one of the listed requirements:	

ACADEMIC HONORS DIPLOMA	✓
Fourth Math credit is beyond Algebra 2	
One additional credit of advanced Science	
One additional credit of Social Studies	
Three sequential credits of one World Language OR Two each of two World Languages	
Minimum Unweighted GPA of 3.5	
Min. ACT composite of 27 or SAT total of 1280	
Two additional diploma seals, not including the Honors Diploma Seal	
Field Experience, Portfolio or Work-Based Learning, or Ohio Means Job Readiness Seal (if not used above)	

STEM HONORS DIPLOMA	✓
Fourth Math credit is beyond Algebra 2	
One additional credit of advanced Science	
Two additional STEM courses as electives	
Three sequential credits of one World Language OR Two each of two World Languages	
Minimum Unweighted GPA of 3.5	
Min. ACT composite of 27 or SAT total of 1280	
Earn the Industry Recognized Credential Seal or the Technology Seal	
Field Experience, Portfolio, Work-Based Learning, or Ohio Means Job Readiness Seal	

ARTS HONORS DIPLOMA	✓
Fourth Math credit is beyond Algebra 2	
Four credits of Fine Arts	
Two additional Fine Arts courses as electives	
Three sequential credits of one World Language OR Two each of two World Languages	
Minimum Unweighted GPA of 3.5	
Min. ACT composite of 27 or SAT total of 1280	
Earn Fine Arts Seal	
Field Experience, Portfolio, Work-Based Learning, or Ohio Means Job Readiness Seal	

SOCIAL SCIENCE AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT HONORS DIPLOMA	✓
Fourth Math credit is beyond Algebra 2	
Two additional credits of Social Studies	
Three sequential credits of one World Language OR Two each of two World Languages	
Minimum Unweighted GPA of 3.5	
Min. ACT composite of 27 or SAT total of 1280	
Earn the Community Service Seal	
Earn the Citizenship Seal	
Field Experience, Portfolio, Work-Based Learning, or Ohio Means Job Readiness Seal	

One of the three shaded requirements can be replaced by a “Student Strength Demonstration.” These include:

- 12 total CCP college credits earned
- 3 AP courses with a score of 3 or higher on the exam