

ACADEMIC INFORMATION - GRADES 7-12

COURSE OUTLINE

7th Grade	8th Grade	9th Grade	10th Grade	11th Grade	12th Grade
☐ English or Honors English ☐ Fundamentals of Math or Pre-Algebra ☐ Science ☐ World Studies ☐ Bible ☐ 1 Elective	English or Honors English *Pre-Algebra or Honors Algebra I Science American History Bible *Computer 1 Elective *Earn a high school credit	☐ English I or Honors English I ☐ Algebra I or Honors Geometry ☐ Biology I ☐ MS History/Geog. ☐ Bible I ☐ Communications/S peech ☐ 1 Elective	☐ English II or Honors English II ☐ Geometry or Honors Algebra II ☐ Biology II or Honors Chemistry ☐ World History ☐ Bible II ☐ Foreign Lang. I ☐ 1 Elective	☐ English III or Honors English III ☐ Algebra II or Honors Adv. Math ☐ Chemistry or Physics ☐ US History ☐ Bible III ☐ Foreign Lang. II or advanced elective	□ English IV or Honors English IV / Dual Credit English Comp. I/II □ Sr. Math, Honors Dual Credit College Alg./Trig □ Anatomy & Physiology or Physics □ Gov't / Econ. □ Sr. Project

- **Honors** courses are weighted by adding 2 points to the final average.
- AP courses are weighted by adding 4 points to the final average.

COURSES AND UNITS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION

English - 4 Units	Math - 4 Units	Science - 4 Units	History - 4 Units	Other Required Courses
English I - 9th English II - 10th English III - 11th English IV - 12th Dual Credit Eng. Comp. I - 12th Dual Credit Eng. Comp. II - 12th	Algebra I Geometry Algebra II One math above Alg. II: Adv. Math, Sr. Math, Calculus, or DC College Alg./Trig	Biology I - 9th Biology II or Chemistry - 10th Chemistry or Physics - 11th A&P or Physics - 12th	MS Studies/Geog - 9th World History - 10th US History - 11th US Gov't/Economics - 12th	Computer - 8th Foreign Language I & II (Or Adv. elective) 10th/11th Fine Arts - Art or Choir

⁷th-11th grade students are required to take a Bible class each year (earns high school credit starting in 9th grade).

ELECTIVES (course options will vary depending on teacher availability)

Grade Level	Electives	
7th and 8th	PE, Praise Team, Learning Lab, Chess, Quiz Bowl, Robotics, Strength and Conditioning	
9th, 10th, and 11th	Art, Praise Team, Yearbook, Speech & Debate, PE, Strength and Conditioning, Learning Lab, Quiz Bowl, Robotics, Chess	

REQUIREMENTS FOR LCS VALEDICTORIAN, SALUTATORIAN, & HISTORIAN

- Chosen based on numerical average, not GPA, from academic courses with Carnegie unit credit, from **grade 8** through the first semester grading period of the senior year.
- Must be in attendance at LCS for at least their junior and senior years and must have taken 12 credits towards graduation from LCS.

STAR STUDENT

- The Star student is the senior with the highest ACT score who meets the criteria listed below.
- Must have an ACT score of at least 25 and an overall average of 93 or above in selected subjects in the tenth, eleventh, and first semester of twelfth grade.

DUAL CREDIT / ENROLLMENT

- High School Junior or Senior
- Earned 14 credits
- 3.0 or higher GPA
- Must have taken the ACT
 - o 17 English ACT to take English Comp. I
 - o 19 Math ACT to take College Algebra
- Counselor Recommendation

ACT and Standardized Testing

- 7th and 8th
 - STAR Math and Reading three times per year
 - Progress monitoring throughout the year
- 8th and 9th
 - PreACT
- 10th, 11th, and 12th
 - o ACT Fall and Spring
 - Tested on campus during the school day

SENIOR CORDS

- The Twelve-Year Cord is awarded to any graduating senior who attended LCS from 1st to 12th grade.
- The **Honors** Cord will be given to graduating seniors with an overall numeric average between 80-89
- The **Highest Honors** Cord will be given to graduating seniors with an overall numeric average of 90 and above.

HONOR SOCIETY

- Students must make 90 or above in each subject at the end of the semester.
- Earns volunteer/service hours
- The induction of new members will occur in the fall of each school year.
- Receives Honors stole for graduation

ACADEMIC HONORS

At the end of each year.

- Students who obtain a grade of 80 or higher in each subject will be recognized on the All A/B Honor Roll.
- Students who obtain a grade of 90 or higher in each subject will be recognized on the All A Honor Roll.

GRADING SCALE

- 90 and above
- B 80-89
- C 70-79
- F 69 and below