

# Graduation Requirements (Federal Way High School) Updated 11/13/2008

## Earn 23.5 Credits

Earn 23.5 credits, including the following:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> English 9                    | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> English 10                   | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> English 11                   | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> English 12                   | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PNW/Pac Region               | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> World History                | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> US History                   | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Civics/Senior Social Studies | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics (see below)      | 1 credit  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics (see below)      | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Science                      | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Science                      | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Science                      | .5 credit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PE                           | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PE                           | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health                       | .5 credit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fine Arts                    | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Occupational Ed              | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elective                     | 1 credit  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Elective                     | 1 credit  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elective                     | .5 credit |

Total credits 23.5 credits

### IMPORTANT

- If a student has not passed the Math WASL he or she must continue to earn 1.0 credit in Math each year AND take an approved math assessment each year until graduation.
  
- University-bound students should also complete 1) a minimum of two consecutive years of a foreign language; and 2) a year of Chemistry or Physics.

## Complete a Master Portfolio

The Master Portfolio consists of the **13<sup>th</sup> Year Plan** and **Culminating Project**.

The Master Portfolio must contain these items:

### 13<sup>th</sup> Year Plan Components

- Final Data Sheet
- Letters of Recommendation (2)
- Cover Letter
- Reference sheet
- Resume
- Personal or College Essay
- Post High School Plan (A, B, or C)
- Application
- FAFSA - Optional
- WASL Results
- Transcripts with Graduation Requirements

### Culminating Project (Best Works)

- Reading
- Writing
- Math
- Science
- History
- Civics
- Fine Arts
- Health/PE
- Elective

Seniors will present his or her Master Portfolio during Student Led Conferences in the spring of their senior year. At this time, students will also complete a senior banner.

**Master Portfolios that meet all requirements listed above will be awarded the GOLDEN EAGLE SEAL OF EXCELLENCE**

## Meet the WASL Requirements

### Reading and Writing WASL

- Score 400 or above on the Reading WASL **AND** score 17 or above on Writing WASL

**OR**

Successfully complete ONE of the following alternatives\*:

- Collection of Evidence (COE)
- Score 350+ on SAT Reading
- Score 13+ on ACT Reading
- Score 380+ on SAT Writing
- Score 15+ on ACT Writing
- Score 3 or better on one of the following AP Tests
  - AP English Language and Composition (Writing WASL ONLY)
  - AP English Literature and Composition
  - AP United States History
  - AP World History
  - AP Comparative Government and Politics

### Mathematics WASL

- Score 400 or above on the Math WASL

**OR**

Successfully complete ONE of the following alternatives\*:

- Collection of Evidence (COE)
- Score 3 or better on one of the following AP Tests
  - AP Calculus
  - AP Statistics
- Score 470+ on SAT Math
- Score 19+ on ACT Math

**OR**

- After 10<sup>th</sup> grade, earn one credit of Math each year **and** take a Math assessment (WASL, COE, ACT, SAT, AP Calculus or AP Statistics) each year until graduation

\* Students must take the WASL at least once before accessing alternatives unless transferring from out of state to FWHS as a junior or senior