

Franklin Pierce High School

Graduation Requirement Check Sheet



Name: _____

Career Path: _____

Credits required to graduate: **22**

Graduation Year: **2018, 2019 & 2020**

Example:

Student currently in class:

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| Health |

Completed and Earned Credit

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Social Studies:

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| Civics |

Note: Washington State History is now taken in middle school.

Mathematics:

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Must be Algebra level or higher.
Reminder: Extended Algebra counts as .5 elective and .5 Math each semester

Science:

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| Biology |

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Physical Education:

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| Intro to PE |

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Health:

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SBA

☐ Reading
☐ Writing

☐ Math

Fine & Performing Arts:

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Portfolio

☐ Requirements
☐ Presentation

Career & Technical Education Electives:

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Graduation Requirements

All public high school students are required to meet statewide graduation requirements in order to earn a diploma. The goal is that more students will be better prepared to meet 21st century demands in their working and personal lives.

Washington State requires all students to complete the following in order to receive a diploma:

- Earn high school credit (minimum number of credits set by each district)
- Complete a High School and Beyond Plan
- Complete a Culminating Project
- Pass state test HSPE (High School Proficiency Exam) showing achievement in basic skills OR complete state-approved alternatives to those tests.

These requirements may be changed by the state. Any and all changes will be communicated to you.

All curriculums will be in alignment with the state essential academic learning requirements in preparation for the HSPE / state testing requirements. The FPSD graduation requirements have been adopted to match or exceed state requirements.

Franklin Pierce High School provides many supports to students to accomplish these graduation requirements. Additional math, reading, and writing supports have been implemented and students are monitored to see who needs the support of these classes. Counselors meet with students to help them complete all credit requirements as well as develop a post-secondary plan. FPHS also has a comprehensive advisory program (Cardinal Connections) where students have an advisor who works with them all four years to keep students connected and to provide assistance.

Total Possible Credits 2013 - 2015

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| Fresh | 6.0 |
| Soph | 6.0 |
| Junior | 6.0 |
| Senior | 6.0 |
| Total | 24 |

Credits Needed to Graduate

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| English | 4.0 |
| Math | 3.0 |
| S.S. | 3.0 |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• WA St Hist. (*)• 1.0 World Hist.• 1.0 American Hist.• .5 Civics• .5 CWP |
| Science | 2.0 |
| PE | 1.5 |
| Health | .5 |
| CTE | 1.0 |
| Fine Art | 1.0 |
| Elective | 5.0 |
| Total | 21 Credits Needed |

Cardinal Connections is the program we have developed to support our students' success throughout high school and the development of the culminating project through four years. Each teacher is assigned grade level team of no more than 24 students. These Cardinal Connection teams meet every week, primarily to work on tasks related to the development of the students' portfolio. The portfolio (culminating project) is used in the Student Led Conferences and Senior Presentations. Student Led Conferences are held every year. Senior Presentations are held during the spring of your senior year when you will present your portfolio to a community panel.

Credits

Successful completion of a one semester course earns half (.5) of a credit. Some of the course requirements may be completed by courses cross credited through departments other than those listed.

Franklin Pierce has transitioned from an eight (8) period day to a six (6) period day. Credit requirements for each graduating year will be different because of the number of credits that were possible to earn.

(*) = Washington State History is a required course for graduation. If taken in 7th/8th grade and passed, this meets the State requirement.

The Franklin Pierce High School diploma will be awarded *only* to students who have completed the required number of credits and the required courses. In keeping with Board Policy #2410, students must have completed all requirements for graduation prior to receiving a diploma and participating in the graduation ceremonies. At the time of admission to Franklin Pierce High School, and on many other occasions thereafter, students and parents are informed of Washington State and Franklin Pierce School District requirements for graduation. ***It is the responsibility of the student to see progress toward graduation is maintained and requirements are met.***