



Graduation Requirements

4 Credits English Language Arts (ELA)

- ELA I, II, III, IV (ELA honors, AP, AICE, IB and dual enrollment courses may satisfy this requirement.)

4 Credits Mathematics

- One of which must be Algebra I and one of which must be Geometry.
- Industry certifications that lead to college credit may substitute for up to two mathematics credits (except for Algebra I and Geometry).

3 Credits Science

- One of which must be Biology I, two of which must be equally rigorous science courses.
- Two of the three required credits must have a laboratory component.
- An industry certification that leads to college credit substitutes for up to one science credit (except for Biology I).
- An identified rigorous computer science course with a related industry certification substitutes for up to one science credit (except for Biology I).

3 Credits Social Studies

- 1 credit in World History
- 1 credit in U.S. History
- .5 credit in U.S. Government
- .5 credit in Economics with Financial Literacy

2 Credits Foreign Language (2 years of the same language)

1 Credit Fine and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, or Practical Arts

1 Credit Physical Education To include the integration of health

.5 Credit Personal Financial Literacy (required for students entering high school in 2324 school year)

5.5 Elective Credits/Bible Credits (One year of Bible for every year at LCS is required.)

24 Total Credits

Students must earn a 2.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.



Bright Futures Website: <http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/SSFAD/bf/bfmain.htm>

Application Opens October 1

<h3>Florida Academic Scholars</h3> <p>Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.5 weighted Bright Futures GPA and • Composite score of 1330 on SAT (Reading and Math sections only) OR 29 on ACT (Writing Section Excluded) OR 95 on CLT • 100 hours of community service OR 100 paid work hours OR a combination of both equal to 100 hours • Courses must include 16 credits of college preparatory academic courses. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 English (3 with substantial writing) • 4 Mathematics (Algebra I and above) • 3 Natural Science (2 with substantial lab) • 3 Social Science • 2 Foreign Language (in the same language) 	<h3>Florida Medallion Scholars</h3> <p>Requirements :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.0 weighted Bright Futures GPA and • Composite score of 1190 on SAT (Reading and Math sections only) OR 24 on ACT (Writing Section Excluded) OR 82 on CLT • 75 hours of community service OR 100 paid work hours OR a combination of both equal to 100 hours • Courses must include 16 credits of college preparatory academic courses. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 English (3 with substantial writing) • 4 Mathematics (Algebra I and above) • 3 Natural Science (2 with substantial lab) • 3 Social Science • 2 Foreign Language (in the same language)
<p>Award Amounts: Florida Academic Scholars (FAS) will receive an award to cover 100% of tuition and applicable fees and \$300 for both fall and spring semesters for additional educational expenses. Students attending a public institution will have tuition and applicable fees covered. Students attending a nonpublic institution will receive a comparable amount as noted in the Private Award Chart. FAS students can receive an award during the summer sessions to cover tuition and applicable fees, beginning with the 2021 summer term.</p> <p>The applicable fees for FAS include activity and service fee, health fee, athletic fee, financial aid fee, capital improvement fee, campus access/transportation fee, technology fee and tuition differential fee.</p>	<p>Award Amounts: Florida Medallion Scholars (FMS) will receive an award to cover about 75% of tuition and applicable fees. Students attending a public institution will have tuition and applicable fees covered. Students attending a nonpublic institution will receive a comparable amount as noted in the Private Award Chart. FMS students can receive an award during the summer sessions to cover tuition and applicable fees, beginning with the 2021 summer term.</p> <p>The applicable fees for FMS include activity and service fee, health fee, athletic fee, financial aid fee, capital improvement fee, campus access/transportation fee, technology fee and tuition differential fee.</p>

Note: Not all courses taken in high school count toward Bright Futures, so a student’s cumulative GPA and Bright Futures GPA may be different.