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Faith Academy of Marble Falls



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ADMISSION TEST SCORES

Class of 2023
SAT 1025
ACT 19
Class of 2022
SAT 1146
ACT 21
Class of 2021
SAT 1176
ACT 23
Class of 2020
SAT 1100
ACT 22

MATRICULATION

Abilene Christian University
Anderson University
Angelo State University
Austin College
Austin Community College
Baylor University
Belmont University
Bethel University
Blinn College
Central Texas College
Concordia University (Austin)
Dallas Baptist University
Dallas Christian University
East Texas Baptist University
Embry Riddle University
Hardin Simmons University
Howard Payne University
Huston-Tillotson University
LeTourneau University
Longwood University
Manhattan College, NY
McClennan Community College
McMurray University
Merchant Marine Academy
Mid-America Christian University
Oklahoma Baptist University
Oklahoma City University
Rice University
Sam Houston State
Schreiner University
Southern Nazarene University
Southwestern University
Southwestern Assemblies of God
St. Edward's University
Stephen F. Austin University
Texas A & M University
Texas A & M University Corpus Christi
Texas A&M University Galveston
Tarleton State University
Texas Christian University
Texas State Technical College
Texas State University
Texas Tech University
United States Naval Academy
University of Arizona
University of Colorado, (CS)
University of Iowa
University of Maryland Baltimore Co.
University of Mary-Hardin Baylor
University of Mississippi
University of North Texas
University of Oklahoma
University of Texas at Arlington
University of Texas
University of Texas San Antonio
University of Texas Tyler
Wheaton University

School & Community

Faith Academy is a private, Christian school, grades K-12, which is now in its twenty-third year of operation. Faith Academy strives to prepare students to be successful in college-level studies by providing them with a rigorous academic background and opportunities to develop independent study skills, work ethic, and study habits critical to college success.

Faith Academy is a certified University-Model® school. Much like schools that operate using alternate block schedule, students at Faith Academy attend classes three days each week. Students complete schoolwork at home 2 days per week. Most courses are completed in two semesters and receive six credits, three credits per semester. Each semester is sixteen weeks.

The teaching faculty has 49 members. The maximum student-teacher ratio is 20:1 for all secondary classes. The 2022-2023 year finished with 368 students (116 high school, 107 junior high and 145 PK-5th grade). Due to small class size, only students in the Top 10% are ranked for automatic admissions purposes.

The Marble Falls community is located in the Highland Lakes area, about 50 miles west of Austin. Students at Faith Academy represent seventeen different zip codes.

Faith Academy is accredited through AdvancED (Cognia) and certified through University-Model® Schools International (UMSI).

Curriculum & Grading System

PLAN III: DISTINGUISHED HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM		
Course	Hrs.	Notes
English	24	24 must be from general English core (1 year must be dual credit).
Math	24	Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Honors Pre-Calculus (Business Math is excluded) See additional requirement below.
Science	24	24 general credits, (Biology, Chemistry, Honors Physics I, Additional Lab Science) See additional requirement below.
S. Studies	24	World History & Geography I, World History & Geog II, U.S. History, and Govt/Economics (At least one year must be honors or dual credit).
Additional Requirement	6	Must meet one of the following: 1) AP Calculus as a 5 th math class or 2) Complete a 5 th year of science- must be one of the following: Honors Chemistry II, Honors Physics II, Honors Biology II or other pre-approved advanced science.
For. Lang	18	Credits in the same foreign language
Technology	6	Credits of technology course(s)
PE	6	Athletics, theater, cheerleading, dance, or other approved transfer courses
Fine Arts	6	Art, photography, or approved courses
Speech	3	Speech
Electives	24	Choose from Bible courses, courses taken beyond diploma requirements, or transfer electives per approval.
Total Credit Hrs.	165	
PLAN II: RECOMMENDED HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM		
Course	Hrs.	Notes
English	24	24 must be from general English core
Math	24	Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, and Business Math or Honors Pre-Cal or AP Calculus
Science	24	24 general credits, (Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Additional Lab Science)
S. Studies	24	World History & Geography I, World History & Geog II, U.S. History, and Govt/Economics
For. Lang	12	12 credits in the same foreign language
Technology	6	6 credits of technology courses
PE	6	Athletics, cheerleading, dance, or other approved transfer courses
Fine Arts	6	Art, photography, or approved courses
Speech	3	Speech
Electives	27	Choose from Bible courses, courses taken beyond diploma requirements, or transfer electives per approval.
Total Credit Hrs.	156	

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Curriculum & Grading System (continued)

PLAN I: MINIMUM HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM		
Course	Hrs.	Notes
English	24	24 must be from general English core
Math	18	Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II
Science	18	Biology, Chemistry, and 3 rd Lab Science
S. Studies	18	U.S. History, Govt/Econ, and either World History & Geography I or World History & Geog II
For. Lang	12	12 credits in the same foreign language
Technology	6	6 credits of technology courses
PE	6	Athletics, cheerleading, dance, or other approved transfer courses
Fine Arts	6	Art, Photography, or approved courses
Speech	3	Speech
Electives	45	Bible courses count toward elective credits, as well as other elective credits, courses taken beyond diploma requirements, driver's ed., or transfer electives per approval.
Total Credit Hrs.	156	

The school year is divided into two sixteen week semesters, Fall (August-December), and Spring (January-May). All classes are 55 minutes and meet three days per week. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, from March through the last day of school, May 2021, classes continued through our online platform, Canvas, with very little disruption, grading policies did not change.

All courses are considered to be college-preparatory rigor. AP courses are weighted by an additional 10 points (on a 100 point scale) and 1 point (on a 4.0 scale). Dual Credit and Honors courses are weighted by an additional 5 points (on a 100 point scale) and 0.5 point (on a 4.0 scale).

Courses are graded on a scale of 0-100 (exception: athletics, mascot, aid and trainer are graded on a

pass/fail basis). The course grade represents a percentage of content mastery. WP indicates a withdrawal after six weeks with a passing grade. WF indicates withdrawal after six weeks with a failing grade.

Courses include: English I-IV; D.C. Comp I & II; D.C. British Lit I and II; Algebra I and II; Geometry; Business Math; Honors Pre-Calculus; AP Calculus; Biology; Chemistry; Physics; Honors Physics I; Anatomy and Physiology; Honors Biology II and Honors Physics II; D.C. Psychology; World History and Geography I; World History and Geography II; U.S. History; D.C. U.S. History; Government; Economics; Honors Government; Honors Economics; Spanish I, II; Honors Spanish III; French I-III; Sign Language I-III; Technology I; Honors Programming I; Multimedia (Digital Marketing); Art I-IV; Dig Art and Media; Speech; D.C. Speech; miscellaneous electives; and athletics (cross country, volleyball, football, basketball, tennis, track and field, baseball, softball, and golf).

GRADE DISTRIBUTION

Class of 2023: 22 Students

97.5 -- 94.0	5 students
93.9 – 88.2.....	6 students
88.1 – 85.5.....	6 students
85.4 & below.....	5 students

Median Average.....89.8 (unweighted)
(Effective 07/26/2023)

Numerical	Grade Points	DC/Adv	AP
90-100	4.00	4.50	5.00
80-89	3.00	3.50	4.00
70-79	2.00	2.50	3.00
69 & Below	0.00		

National Merit Scholarship Program

2006	1 Commended Student
2011	1 National Merit Scholar
2018	1 Commended Student
2019	1 Commended Student
2021	1 Commended Student

College Board Recognition Program

National Hispanic Scholar
2019 (1), 2021 (1), 2022 (1), 2023 (1)

National Rural & Small Town Scholar
2020 (1), 2021 (2), 2022 (5), 2023 (4)

Class Rank

Faith Academy ranks only the Top 10% for automatic college admissions purposes.