Grace Christian High School

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2025-2026 School Year

Mission Statement:
The Mission of Grace Christian School is to assist Christian parents by providing a sound academic education in a Christ-centered environment, designed to prepare our young people to know God and to live in obedience to His will for their lives.

Administrative Staff:

Head of School	Donald M. Larson, Ph.D.
Principal.....	Rod Bowers
Guidance Counselor.....	George McNair
Registrar.....	Kathy Kilmer

Accreditation:
Grace Christian School is accredited by the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI) and AdvanceEd/Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).

The School and Community:
Grace Christian High School is a private Christian high school with an enrollment of approximately 90 students in grades nine through twelve, located in downtown Staunton, Virginia. The city of Staunton is located in the beautiful historic Shenandoah Valley of western Virginia. The city lies at the heart of Virginia's Education and Technology Corridor, with 9 colleges and universities in the region, and is situated at the intersection of Interstates 81 and 64.

Non-Discrimination Policy:
Grace Christian School admits students of any race, color, national, or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally made available to students at the school and does not discriminate based on race, color, national, or ethnic origin in administering its educational policies, admission policies, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

Curriculum

Grace Christian School offers a comprehensive program for all students in grades 9-12. Students who enroll in advanced classes must meet prerequisites.

Honors classes include American Literature and British Literature, Calculus, Geography, World History, Physics, Spanish III, and Spanish IV.

Advanced Placement (AP) courses include English Language and Composition and English Literature and Composition.

Dual Enrollment (DE) classes (through Colorado Christian University and Blue Ridge Community College) include Advanced Biology, Business, Psychology, and U.S. History.

Credits Required for Graduation

Bible	4
English *Honors Distinction: one year of AP English*	4
Logic	1
Mathematics *Honors Distinction: four math credits, including Precalculus*	3
Laboratory Sciences *Honors Distinction: four science credits, including one Honors or DE-level science course*	3
Social Studies *Honors Distinction: two years of Honors or DE-level Social Studies*	4
Economics	1
Health and Physical Education	2
Foreign Language (elective) *Honors Distinction in Foreign Language: three Spanish credits**	
Electives *Spanish courses are counted as electives. Guidance course is required.*	3
TOTAL 25	

*Foreign language courses are not required for graduation but are recommended for college-bound students.

Symbols on Transcripts

AP - Advanced Placement
DE - Dual Enrollment
HNR - Honors
P - Pass - Student has completed the course requirements (e.g., homeschool), but the grade is not included in the student's GPA.
WP - Withdrawn Passing
WF - Withdrawn Failing

GPA and Grading Scale

			Honors	AP	DE
Scale	Symbol	GPA	GPA	GPA	GPA
98-100	A+	4.33	4.83	5.33	5.00
93-97	A	4.00	4.50	5.00	5.00
90-92	A-	3.67	4.17	4.67	4.67
87-89	B+	3.33	3.83	4.33	4.33
83-86	B	3.00	3.50	4.00	4.00
80-82	B-	2.67	3.17	3.67	3.67
77-79	C+	2.33	2.83	3.33	3.33
73-76	C	2.00	2.50	3.00	3.00
70-72	C-	1.67	2.17	2.67	2.67
67-69	D+	1.33	1.83	2.33	2.33
63-66	D	1.00	1.50	2.0	2.0
60-62	D-	0.67	1.17	1.67	1.67
0-59	F	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

SAT Data

Averages	ERW	Math
GCS (Class of 2025)	662	600
Virginia (2024)	567	544
National (2025)	521	508