

Concordia Jr./Sr. High School

Graduation Requirements & College Admission Requirements

SUBJECT AREAS	Concordia (<i>Graduation Requirements</i>)	Cal State University (CSU) (<i>Admissions Requirements</i>)	University of California (UC) (<i>Admissions Requirements</i>)	University of Southern California (USC) (<i>Admissions Requirements</i>)	Concordia University, Irvine (<i>Admissions Requirements</i>)
ENGLISH	45 credits (includes 5 credits Speech)	40 credits	40 credits	40 credits	40 credits
HISTORY & SOCIAL SCIENCE	30 credits (must include US History, Government, & Economics)	20 credits (must include US History, & Government)	20 credits (must include US History, & Government)	20 credits (must include US History, & Government)	20 credits (must include US History, & Government)
MATH	30 credits (through Algebra 2 strongly recommended)	30 credits	30 credits (40 credits recommended)	30 credits (40 credits recommended)	30 credits (algebra I, algebra II & Geometry)
SCIENCE	30 credits (includes 10 credits Biology)	20 credits (lab) (10 credits biological & 10 credits Physical—Intro to Chemistry does not fulfill requirement)	20 credits (lab) (30 recommended—Intro to Chemistry does not fulfill requirement)	20 credits (lab) (10 credits biological & 10 credits Physical—Intro to Chemistry does not fulfill requirement)	30 credits (20 lab) (10 credits biological & 10 credits Physical—Intro to Chemistry does not fulfill requirement)
FOREIGN LANGUAGE	20 credits	20 credits (same language)	20 credits (30 recommended—same language)	20 credits (30 recommended—same language)	20 credits (recommended)
VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS	10 credits	10 credits (same course)	10 credits (same course)	0 credits	0 credits
BUSINESS & TECHNOLOGY	10 credits (includes Career & College Planning)	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits
ELECTIVES	30 credits	10 credits (Must be College Prep)	10 credits (Must be College Prep)	30 credits of additional courses in subjects above or academic electives (e.g. computer science, art, music, speech)	
RELIGION	40 credits	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits	
PE & HEALTH	25 credits (includes 5 credits Health)	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits	

270 credits required for graduation

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ENGLISH	42.5 credits (includes 2.5 credits Speech)	40 credits	40 credits	40 credits	40 credits
HISTORY & SOCIAL SCIENCE	30 credits (must include US History, Government, & Economics)	20 credits (must include US History, & Government)	20 credits (must include US History, & Government)	20 credits (must include US History, & Government)	20 credits (must include US History, & Government)
MATH	30 credits (through Algebra 2)	30 credits	30 credits (40 credits recommended)	30 credits (40 credits recommended)	30 credits (algebra I, algebra II & Geometry)
SCIENCE	30 credits (includes 10 credits Biology)	20 credits (lab) (10 credits biological & 10 credits Physical—Intro to Chemistry does not fulfill requirement)	20 credits (lab) (30 recommended—Intro to Chemistry does not fulfill requirement)	20 credits (lab) (10 credits biological & 10 credits Physical—Intro to Chemistry does not fulfill requirement)	30 credits (20 lab) (10 credits biological & 10 credits Physical—Intro to Chemistry does not fulfill requirement)
FOREIGN LANGUAGE	20 credits	20 credits (same language)	20 credits (30 recommended—same language)	20 credits (30 recommended—same language)	20 credits (recommended)
VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS	10 credits	10 credits (same course)	10 credits (same course)	0 credits	0 credits
BUSINESS & TECHNOLOGY	7.5 credits (includes Career & College Planning)	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits
ELECTIVES	35 credits	10 credits (Must be College Prep)	10 credits (Must be College Prep)	30 credits of additional courses in subjects above or academic electives (e.g. computer science, art, music, speech)	
RELIGION	40 credits	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits	
PE & HEALTH	25 credits (includes 5 credits Health)	0 credits	0 credits	0 credits	

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