

WCES HIGH SCHOOL COURSES

(Space does not permit detailed course descriptions. Call for more information.)

Key: LIFEPAC = Packet of A.O.P. (Alpha Omega Publications) curriculum
 S.O.S. = Switched-On Schoolhouse (A.O.P. electronic curriculum)
 Packet = WCES or other publisher
 ✓ = Has been on UC (a-g) approved list

BIBLE courses (Non-denominational. LIFEPACs in KJV only. S.O.S. also available in NASB.)

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Credits
New Testament Survey (901-910)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC		10
Old Test. Survey (1001-1010)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC		10
Bible 11/Apologetics (1101-1110)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	N.T. Survey	10
Life Preparations (1201-1210)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	N.T. Survey	10
Foundations for Living (1-10)	LIFEPAC	N.T. Survey	10

BUSINESS courses

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Additional	Credits
Accounting (1-10)	LIFEPAC	Algebra I		10
Communication Skills (1-5)	LIFEPAC			5
Consumer Math (1-10)	S.O.S.	Algebra I, Geometry		
Home Economics (1-10)	LIFEPAC		Supplies	10

COMPUTER SKILLS courses

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Credits
MS Windows 98/2000 (1-6)	CD, 2 workbooks		5
MS Windows XP (1-8)	CD, 1 workbook	MS Windows XP	5
Microsoft Access 2000 (1-6)	CD, 2 workbooks	MS Access installed	5
Microsoft Excel 2000 (1-6)	CD, 2 workbooks	MS Excel installed	5
Microsoft FrontPage 2000(1-6)	CD, 2 workbooks	MS FrontPage installed	5
MS Outlook 2000 (1-6)	CD, 2 workbooks	MS Outlook installed	5
MS PowerPoint 2000 (1-6)	CD, 2 workbooks	MS PowerPoint installed	5
Microsoft Word 2000 (1-6)	CD, 2 workbooks	MS Word installed	5

ENGLISH courses

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Credits
Language Arts 9 (901-910)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	8 th grade English	10
✓Language Arts 9 (901-910)	On-Line S.O.S.	8 th grade English	10
Language Arts 10 (1001-1010)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	Lang. Arts 9	10
✓Language Arts 10 (1001-1010)	On-Line S.O.S.	Lang. Arts 9	10
Language Arts 11 (1101-1110)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	Lang. Arts 10	10
✓Language Arts 11 (1101-1110)	On-Line S.O.S.	Lang. Arts 10	10
Language Arts 12 (1201-1210)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	Lang. Arts 11	10
✓Language Arts 12 (1201-1210)	On-Line S.O.S.	Lang. Arts 11	10
American Literature (1-5)	LIFEPAC	10 th grade English	5
British Literature (1-5)	LIFEPAC	10 th grade English	5

FINE ARTS courses (Art requires extra parent/teacher involvement)

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Additional	Credits
Art I (1-10)	LIFEPAC		Art Supplies	10

FOREIGN LANGUAGE courses (Foreign language courses require daily work for success)

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Additional	Credits
American Sign Language	Videos + book			10
Intermediate French	S.O.S.			
Intermediate Spanish	S.O.S.		Microphone attached to	
✓Spanish I (1-10)	S.O.S.		computer sound card.	10
✓Spanish II (11-20)	S.O.S.	S.O.S. Spanish I		10
French I (1-10)	S.O.S.			10

HEALTH courses

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Additional	Credits
High School Health (1-5)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC			5
Health Science (1-12)	Packet			10
Nutrition Science (1-6)	Packet			5

MATHEMATICS courses (S.O.S. may be easier for audio-visual learners)

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Additional	Credits
✓Algebra I (901-910)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	8 th grade math		10
✓Geometry (1001-1010)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	Algebra I		10
✓Algebra II (1101-1110)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	Algebra I		10
Consumer Math (1-10)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	Algebra I, Geometry		10
✓Pre-calculus (1201-1210)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	Algebra I & II, Geometry		10

SCIENCE courses (S.O.S. science curriculum approved by Nevada Dept. of Ed.)

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Additional	Credits
9th grade Science (901-910)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC			10
Physical Science (10 packets)*	LIFEPAC		Lab materials	10
Biology (1001-1010)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC		Lab materials	10
Chemistry (1101-1110)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	Alg. I & Phys. Sci.	Lab materials	10
Physics (1201-1210)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	Alg. I, Geom., Phys. Sci.	Lab materials	10
Astronomy (5 packets)**	LIFEPAC	non-college prep student		5
Geology (5 packets)**	LIFEPAC	non-college prep student		5
Anthrop./Soc. (5 packets)**	LIFEPAC	non-college prep student		5
Science 9 experiments	VHS			
Science 9 experiments	DVD			
Science 10 experiments	VHS			
Science 10 experiments	DVD			

*selected from 8th - 9th grade LIFEPACs — not for students who used LIFEPAC or S.O.S. science in grades 8 or 9

**selected from 7th - 9th grade LIFEPACs—not for students who used LIFEPAC or S.O.S. science in grades 7-9

SOCIAL STUDIES courses (S.O.S. version offers audio-visual learning, recent updates)

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Additional	Credits
California History (79-84)	WCES Packet			5
California History (1-5)	S.O.S.			5
Civics	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC custom			5
Geography	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC custom			5
Nevada History (1-6)	WCES Packet	Nevada requirement		5
Other state histories (1-5)	S.O.S.	Other state requirements		5
Intro. Social Sciences (901-910)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC			10
✓World. History (1001-1010)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC			10
✓U.S. History (1101-1110)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC			10
✓U.S. Civics (1201-1205)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC	U.S. History		5
Consumer Econ. (1206-1210)	S.O.S. or LIFEPAC			5
U.S. Constitution (1-8)	S.O.S.	U.S. History		5

MISCELLANEOUS courses

Course Name (unit #'s)	Format	Pre-requisites	Additional	Credits
College Planner (1-5)	S.O.S.			5
Driver Education (109-114)	WCES Packet	Age 15		5
Home Economics (1-10)	LIFEPAC		Supplies	10

RECOMMENDED MINIMUM COURSE REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION

(Credits follow California method — one semester = 5 credits, one year = 10 credits)

Bible:	20 credits
Computer Skills:	10 credits
English:	40 credits (Must include 12th grade course for college preparatory diploma.)
Fine Arts:	10 credits
Foreign Lang.:	— (20-30 credits if college preparatory)
Health:	5 credits
Mathematics:	20 credits (30 credits for college preparatory). Must include Algebra I.
Physical Ed.:	20 credits
Science:	20 credits (30 credits for college preparatory). Must include at least one high school lab science.
Social Studies:	40 credits (Must include senior level Civics and Economics unless vocational student.)
Electives	to bring total to 250 credits for College Prep., 230 credits for General Prep., and 220 credits for Vocational.

RECOMMENDED GRADING SCALE

<u>A.O.P. "LIFEPACs"*</u>	<u>A.O.P. "Switched-On Schoolhouse"</u>
A = 94%—100%	A = 92%—100%
B = 85%—93.99%	B = 84%—91.99%
C = 77%—84.99%	C = 72%—83.99%
D = 70%—76.99%*	D = 64%—71.99%

*Recommended: test scores below 77% require reviewing/repeating packet and taking Alternate Test.