

OUR MISSION

First Assembly Christian School educates in a manner consistent with a Biblical worldview so that students are prepared for college and are equipped to live for God’s glory.

OUR VISION

FACS strives continually to improve curricula and instruction, Biblical worldview training, and technological capability in order to prepare students to live for God’s glory.

OUR BELIEFS

- Education consistent with a Biblical worldview promotes academic excellence, Spirit-led vision, moral courage, emotional balance, cultural understanding, and physical fitness.
- Biblical truth is the strongest foundation for intellectual achievement.
- Jesus Christ is preeminent in all facets of academic, fine arts, and athletic education at FACS.
- Administrators, faculty, and staff at FACS maintain a Christian witness and communicate Biblical values to all students.
- Students at FACS are viewed as unique individuals and are encouraged through appropriate resources to develop their God-given talents and abilities.
- Student learning is a cooperative effort of FACS stakeholders comprised of parents, students, faculty, staff, school board, and community.

FACTS & FIGURES

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| ACCREDITATION: | AdvancED (formerly known as SACS) | |
| MEMBERSHIP: | Memphis Association of Independent Schools (MAIS) Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association (TSSAA) | |
| ENROLLMENT: | JrK-6 | 323 students |
| | 7-12 | 431 students |
| | Total | 754 students |
| ACT SCORES*: | Top 10% | 30 |
| | Top 25% | 29 |
| | Average | 23 |
| | <small>*Class of 2015 ACT/CEEB Code 431401</small> | |
| COLLEGE BOUND: | 98% | |

GENERAL INFORMATION

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| SCHOOL HOURS: | JrK (half day) | 8:00am - 11:30am |
| | JrK-12 | 8:00am - 3:00pm |
| LUNCH: | Hot lunches available for JrK-12 | |
| DRESS CODE: | Neatness and modesty are priorities at FACS. Standardized apparel is provided through Dennis Uniforms and is required and enforced for students in grades SrK-12. | |

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

| SUBJECT | CREDITS |
|-------------------|--|
| English | 4 |
| Math | 4 (credits begin with Algebra I) |
| Science | 3 (must include Biology & Chemistry) |
| Social Studies | 3 (must include US History & Gov't/Econ) |
| Foreign Language | 2 (two years of same language) |
| Bible | 2 |
| Fine Arts | 1 |
| Wellness | 1 |
| Computer Keyboard | 0.5 |
| Speech | 0.5 |
| Electives | 3 (must include one academic subject) |

TOTAL **24**

SECONDARY GRADING SYSTEM

QUALITY POINTS

| GRADE | G.P.A. | HONORS | A.P. |
|------------|--------|--------|------|
| A+ 98 + | 4.67 | 5.67 | 6.67 |
| A 93 - 97 | 4.33 | 5.33 | 6.33 |
| A- 90 - 92 | 4.00 | 5.00 | 6.00 |
| B+ 87 - 89 | 3.67 | 4.67 | 5.67 |
| B 83 - 86 | 3.33 | 4.33 | 5.33 |
| B- 80 - 82 | 3.00 | 4.00 | 5.00 |
| C+ 77 - 79 | 2.67 | 3.67 | 4.67 |
| C 73 - 76 | 2.33 | 3.33 | 4.33 |
| C- 70 - 72 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 4.00 |
| D 65 - 69 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 |
| F < 64 | 0.00 | | |

As a result of our competitive college preparatory program, small differences in grades result in significant differences in ranks. Therefore, class rank is not computed other than for designating Valedictorian and Salutatorian.

COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

Graduates have attended or been accepted to the following colleges and universities:

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| Arizona State University | Pellissippi Community |
| Arkansas State University | Penn State University |
| Austin Peay University | Phillips University |
| Baptist School of Health & Science | Rhodes College |
| Baylor University | Samford University |
| Belhaven College | Seattle University |
| Belmont College | Seattle Pacific University |
| Blue Mountain College | Shepherd's Academy |
| Bryan College | Southeastern College |
| Campbellsville University | Southeast Missouri State University |
| Carson Newman College | Southwest Tennessee Community |
| Catawba College | Spelman College |
| Central Bible College | TCAT |
| Centre College | Tennessee Tech |
| Chattanooga State University | Tennessee State University |
| Christian Brothers University | Tulsa University |
| Clark College | USAF Academy |
| Crichton College | USMA West Point |
| College of Wooster (Ohio) | Union University |
| Delta State University | University of Alabama |
| Duke University | University of Arkansas |
| Dyersburg State Community | University of Central Arkansas |
| East Tennessee State University | University of Central Florida |
| Emmanuel College | University of Cumberland |
| Evangel University | University of Florida |
| Freed-Hardeman University | University of Kentucky |
| Full Sail University | University of Louisville |
| Hiwassee College | University of Memphis |
| Johnson and Wales University | University of Miami |
| Lambuth University | University of Michigan |
| Lee University | University of Mississippi |
| Liberty University | University of New Orleans |
| Lipscomb University | University of North Alabama |
| Memphis College of Art | University of Oklahoma |
| Methodist School of Nursing | University of Pittsburgh |
| Middle Tennessee State University | University of Tennessee (Chatt.) |
| Mississippi College | University of Tennessee (Knoxville) |
| Mississippi State University | University of Tennessee (Martin) |
| Murray State University | University of Southern Mississippi |
| Northern Arizona University | University of the South (Sewanee) |
| Northeast Miss. Community | Vanderbilt University |
| Northwest Miss. Community | Watkins College of Art |
| Notre Dame University | Western Kentucky University |
| New Mexico State University | Wheaton College |
| Oral Roberts University | William Jewel College |
| Ouachita Baptist University | Williams Baptist College |
| Patrick Henry College | Winthrop University |