



FAIRPORT HARBOR

EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fairport Harbor Exempted Village Schools

Classes of 2023 & Beyond

(Board Adopted Feb. 25, 2025)

In addition to fulfilling curriculum requirements and earning the competency requirements listed above, students also must show they are prepared for college or careers. Ohio law created 12 seals for students to demonstrate academic, technical, and professional readiness for careers, college, the military, or self-sustaining professions. Each seal allows students to demonstrate knowledge and skills essential for future success. Students will demonstrate readiness by earning at least two diploma seals, one of which must be state-defined and one will be defined locally. Seals help students develop an array of critical skills that are valuable to them as they transition to the next steps after high school.

Listed below are the three locally defined seals that students may earn and the requirements needed.

Local Community Service Seal

- In order to earn the Community Service Seal at Fairport Harding High School under the Ohio graduation requirements for students in the graduating classes of **2026** and beyond, each student will need to complete a total of **60 hours** of community service during their four years of high school. It is recommended that students complete **15** hours of community service each year. Students who transfer to Fairport Harding High School will only be held accountable for 15 hours per year of enrollment. Students will use the Community Service Form to document volunteerism, which needs to be signed by the volunteer coordinator and turned in to the School Counselor. During the Senior year, earned hours must be documented by **April 1. Completed community service hours must be submitted to the School Counselor.**

Local Fine and Performing Arts Seal

- In order to earn the Fine and Performing Arts Seal at Fairport Harding High School under the Ohio graduation requirements for students in the graduating classes of 2023

and beyond, each student will need to complete 3 credits in the areas of Fine and Performing Arts with a grade of C or higher. Fine Arts courses include Art courses (Drawing, Painting, Art Appreciation, Mixed Media, Art), theater, band (Marching, Pep, or Jazz), and any courses listed in higher education curriculum guides. If you are unsure if the course you are taking meets these criteria, please seek guidance from the school counselor.

Local Student Engagement Seal

- In order to earn the Student Engagement Seal at Fairport Harding High School under the Ohio graduation requirements for students in the graduating classes of 2023 and beyond, each student will need to complete 4 activities during their high school career in any non-academic program(s) such as athletics and or theater. Students who transfer to Fairport Harding High School will only be held accountable to complete one activity per year of enrollment. Students will use the Student Engagement Form to document participation, which needs to be signed by the advisor and turned in to Guidance. Activities may include any extracurricular activities such as athletics or clubs (may include, but not limited to, Student Council, NHS, Camera Club, Art Club, Yearbook, Just Write, Buckeye Boys, Buckeye Girls, HOBY, Leadership Lake County, American Red Cross volunteer work).



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Anchored in Community & Illuminating Futures

Fairport Harding High School

Community Service Verification Form

Student Name:		Graduation Year	
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This is to verify that the above-named student performed the following community service at the following location:	
Employee/Authorized Signature:	
Address/location:	
Position:	
Contact Phone Number:	
Email:	
Date:	

Date:	*Time In:	*Time Out:	Total Time:	Activities or Duties Completed

*Attach timesheet if applicable.

Please complete a separate sheet for each location where community service hours are earned.



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Student Engagement Form

Student Name _____

Date/Grade	Activity	Daily Duties Performed	Advisor Signature
	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
	4.		