



# 2026-2027 Core Course Options

Please note that all students must take the following core courses in order to meet graduation requirements at Valor:

**Bible (3.0 credits required, beginning with the class of 2030, 3.5 credits required)** - The Life of Christ, In the Steps of Paul, Senior Bible

**English (4.0 credits required)** - 1 credit in each of 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th grades

**Foreign Language (2.0 credits required)** - 2 credits of the same foreign language, showing progression

**History (3.0 credits required)** - The World & the West, United States History, Economics, Government

**Math (4.0 credits required)** - Including a minimum of Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II/Trig, plus 1 additional credit

**Science (3.0 credits required)** - Biology, Chemistry and 1 additional full credit of science

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## **Bible (3.0 credits required in 9th, 10th and 12th grades, 3.5 required beginning with class of 2030)**

The Life of Christ (9th/Transfer) (1.0)

In the Steps of Paul (10th) (1.0)

In the Steps of Paul: Biblical Leadership (10th - Endorsement Only) (1.0)

Honors Humanities II (1.0) (Honors Humanities Only) (\$)

DC Old Testament (0.5) (Elective)

DC New Testament (0.5) (Elective)

Biblical Greek^ (0.5) (Elective)

Senior Bible (12th) (1.0)

Senior Bible: Endorsement Capstone (12th - Biblical Leadership Only) (1.0)

Senior Bible: Humanities Capstone (12th - Honors Humanities Only) (1.0)

## **English (4.0 credits required)**

English 9 (1.0)

Honors English 9 (1.0)

Honors Humanities I (1.0)

English 10 (1.0)

Honors English 10 (1.0)

Honors Humanities II (1.0)

English 11 (1.0)

AP English Language & Composition (1.0)

DC Rhetoric (1.0, Honors Humanities Track) (\$)

English Seminar: Creative Writing (12) (1.0)

English 12 (1.0)

DC English 12 (1.0) (\$)

AP English Literature & Composition (1.0) (\$)

## **History (3.0 credits required)**

The World and the West (1.0)

Honors World and the West (1.0)

Honors Humanities I (1.0)

United States History (1.0)

AP United States History (1.0) (\$)

Honors Humanities II (1.0, Honors Humanities Track)

Economics (0.5)

AP Micro/Macro-Economics (1.0) (\$)

United States Government (0.5)

DC United States Government (0.5)

Controversial America (0.5)

DC European History (1.0)

Intro to Law (0.5)

## **Math (4.0 credits required)**

**(Seek input from current teacher)**

Algebra I (1.0)

Geometry (1.0) (\$)

Honors Geometry (1.0) (\$)

Algebra II/Trigonometry (1.0)

Honors Algebra II/Trigonometry (1.0)

Pre-Calculus (1.0)

DC Pre-Calculus (1.0)

AP Calculus A/B (1.0) (\$)

AP Calculus B/C (1.0) (\$)

Probability and Statistics (1.0)

Calculus (1.0)

AP Statistics (1.0) (\$)

College Algebra (By Placement Only) (1.0)

DC Multivariable Calculus (1.0)\* Depending upon student need.

## **Science (3.0 credits required)**

Biology (1.0)

Honors Biology (1.0)

Chemistry (1.0)

Honors Chemistry (1.0)

Physics (1.0)

Honors Physics (1.0)

Anatomy and Physiology (1.0) (\$)

Marine Biology (0.5) (\$)

Biotechnology (0.5) (\$)

Forensic Science (0.5) (\$)

AP Physics 1 (1.0) (\$)

AP Physics C (1.0) (\$)

AP Computer Science (1.0) (\$)

AP Biology (1.0) (\$)

AP Chemistry (1.0) (\$)

DC Anatomy and Physiology (1.0) (\$)

Honors STEM Capstone (1.0) (\$)

Intro to Engineering Design (0.5) (\$)

Engineering Design II (0.5) (\$)

Robotics and Engineering (0.5) (\$)

For all Honors/AP/DC Courses, please see the Academic Curriculum Guide for a full list of requirements and prerequisites.

^This course is only offered in the summer and may be subject to availability.