



Orange County Department of Education  
**Pacific Coast High School**

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## **Graduation Requirements for Pacific Coast High School**

Pacific Coast High School is a public high school and is required by the state of California to adhere to specific graduation requirements. These requirements are above and beyond the courses and the units required to graduate from Pacific Coast High School. Please take this time to review all that will be required, and all that will be offered, to support each student to a successful graduation.

**Every student must take all graduation requirement courses.** Please refer to the 'Graduation Check' sheet that lists required classes and electives for each student. The faculty advisor will help arrange classes and complete graduation checks upon request. We encourage each family to track their student's classes carefully.

**All students must pass Algebra 1.** We have several different options for student to pass this course. The faculty advisor and/or math teacher can discuss which options are best for a student. We also support classes on campus to help students better understand and pass the Algebra 1 course. Refer to the class schedule and the newsletter for Algebra 1 support classes and make every effort to attend.

**All students must pass the California High School Exit Exam (CAHSEE).** This test includes two sections: English-language and math. *Both sections must be passed in order to graduate.* Students begin taking this test in their sophomore year. If a student does not pass one or both sections they will be offered three dates each year to re-take one or both tests. PCHS will offer remediation courses and opportunities to review the tests before each testing period. These dates and classes will be announced in our newsletter. We encourage students to take advantage of the support offered, and to make every effort to pass the English-language and math section of the CAHSEE as early as possible.

My signature below indicates that I am aware of the graduation requirements and the support offered by PCHS to complete the above requirements. I realize that my student will not graduate if any part of the requirements listed above has not been successfully completed by graduation.

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Student name (please print)

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Parent signature

Date