



**ATTN: 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders**

Please note the changes to the Community Outreach Requirements for Graduation. Please contact Mr. Lynn ([alynn@ecaoh.com](mailto:alynn@ecaoh.com)) or Mr. Wynn ([swynn@ecaoh.com](mailto:swynn@ecaoh.com)) with any questions.

**Community Outreach Requirement**

In order to graduate or to complete the academic year, twenty (20) hours of community outreach are required for high school students each year. Fulfilling this requirement is necessary to pass each year of Bible in high school. Students will report their hours on the appropriate form. The student is responsible for obtaining the form, completing it after working the outreach hours, having it signed by an adult supervisor and returning the completed form prior to the last day of the grading period each quarter. Students are encouraged to do more than the required amount.

Outreach is defined as:

1. Hours of active participation.
  - The total hours required do not have to be in the same type of ministry and do not need to occur in a single block of time.
  - Training will qualify if it is done as preparation for the outreach activity (e.g., training to volunteer at a camp for disabled children)
  - Active participation is doing something to assist in the activity. Listening, watching or observing an activity would not qualify.
2. An activity is giving of one's self to others in service. If compensation of any kind is received in any form the hours will not be credited toward the community outreach requirement.
3. The outreach must be supervised, directly or indirectly, by an adult.
4. Hours are to be completed outside of school hours, unless it is a school sponsored outreach activity and has received approval from the administration.

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