

Senior Portfolio

Students are required to present a senior portfolio for graduation eligibility. The portfolio should demonstrate students' acquired knowledge, skill and personal qualities developed through their studies at CACS.

While a grade is given for each portfolio presentation, it is important to note that ultimately a student **must** meet each of the portfolio requirements and receive a passing grade in order to graduate. An incomplete portfolio will result in a failing grade and will be returned to the student for completion. Failure to complete, present, and/or receive a passing grade will result in delay of receiving a diploma until the portfolio and presentation has been successfully completed.

Students are **required** to include the following items in their senior portfolios:

- Resume
- Two Job Shadow agreements forms
- Community Service Forms documenting a minimum of 40 hours.
- History: Choice of 1 project or essay
- English: 1 original Short Story, 2 original Poems, and 1 essay
- Bible: Choice of 1 project or essay
- Science: Choice of 1 project
- Math: Minimum of 4 samples representative of at least 2 courses
- Typed Testimony/Faith in Christ
- Report Cards from grades 9-12

Optional Elements to Include:

- Letters of Recommendation
- Recognition/Awards/News/etc.
- SAT/ASVAB/other Tests
- Academic projects/reports/papers
- Any representation of work, activities, interests, or life experiences (pictures, videos, etc.)

Requirements for Oral Presentation:

- Time must be a 5-10 minute presentation
- Clear organizational pattern
- Presentation needs to address: Education at CACS, Career Aspirations, and Christian Testimony. Students are also encouraged to reflect on influential extracurricular activities, special events, or experiences.
- Visual Aids (Power Point)