

Waynesville High School Local Seals

Certified Student Engagement Local Seal

A School Board approved program of student recognition honoring those who have participated in multiple extracurricular activities.

What does Student Engagement mean?

Student engagement is the idea of students participating in extra-curricular activities other than academic course work within school hours. The word *extracurricular* is a combination of the prefix *extra*, which translates to “on the outside” and *curriculum*, which translates to “a running course/career.” Extracurricular activities are **activities that fall outside the scope of your regular academic curriculum**. Completing extracurricular activities means you are going above and beyond your school requirements, and commit yourself to the organization.

Certified Student Engagement

Students must accumulate **4 points** to earn the Student Engagement Seal.

Students can earn student engagement “points” by:

- a) Successful participation and completion of a BOE approved WHS **athletic team**, governed by the WHS Athletic Department (1 season = 1 point)
- b) Successful participation and **completion of courses** offered at WHS **with required performances outside of the school day** ($\frac{1}{2}$ credit = 1 point), like:
 1. Band (Marching/Concert)
 2. Jazz Band/ Steel Band
 3. Choirs
- c) Successful participation and completion of an WHS **drama play, musical production, or musical activity** like:
 4. WHS play, cast or crew (1pt)
 5. WHS musical, cast, crew, or pit (1pt)
- d) Successful participation and completion as a member of a BOE approved or student-led WHS **extracurricular activity or club**, like:
 6. Student Council, NHS, (1pt)
 7. Spanish Club, SADD, Foreign Lang, Quiz, Art Club, etc... (1pt)
- e) Successful participation and completion of a **community activity or sport**: (1 “season” = 1 point) */ **
 8. Scouts, club sports, youth groups, 4H, etc...
 9. Other

***All activities outside of WHS must be pre-approved by guidance**

**** Successful participation and completion will be defined by each adviser and signature is required.**

NOTE: If completing a local seal, please make an appointment with the WHS Guidance Counselor for additional paperwork.

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Student Engagement Seal Log

This form should be submitted to WHS within the first week of May each year.

Student_____ **Grade**_____ **School Year**_____

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Certified Community Service Local Seal

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Community Service Local Seal

Students must accumulate **4 points** to earn the Community Service Seal

Students can earn community service “points” by accumulation of community service hours where:

4 hours = 1 point. Community service should be turned in at 4 hour increments.

SAMPLE: 4 hours per year school year (*1 per quarter*) = 1pt per year. Senior year a student should have accumulated 4 points (**total of 16 hours**). *Scenario below:*

(9th grade 4 hours= 1pt; 10th grade 4 hours = 1pt; 11th grade 4 hours = 1pt; 12th grade 4 hours = 1pt) **Total 4 pts.**

Verification is made by a supervising adult on all activities on an official “Community Service Log”.

Community service cannot be completed for or signed off on by family members

Examples of how to earn Community Service hours:

- WHS courses that have community service as a component, like FCS Courses.
- WHS Community Service Day (During School Day) = (**2 points**)
- WHS activities, such as: NHS, Student Council, SADD, Athletic Team services, etc...
- Community activities within an organization such as: Scouts, 4-H, Church, etc... (*)
- Community Service completed on their own. (*)

***All community service activities outside of WHS must be pre-approved by guidance, and have supervisor signature. Examples include:**

- Participation in a community service event such as Walk-a-Thon, Jump Rope for Heart, or other fund-raising events held for the good of the community.
- Personal projects which benefit a member of the community or the community at large such as helping an invalid or elderly person (not a relative) with household chores, visitation to a nursing home or other facility to perform services for a resident, volunteer work in a community institution (library, hospital, etc.), tutoring younger students on a regular basis, or similar projects to benefit others.

Note: Court-ordered community service and community service assigned for disciplinary reasons will not count toward the community service seal

Examples of activities, which WILL NOT COUNT toward the requirement are:

- Membership in service organization (without participating in service activities).
- Participation in any activity for which an individual receives compensation.
- Service as a teacher’s aide during school time.
- Membership in the school band, sports team or drama production. (These activities are highly encouraged for personal gain and experience, but do not qualify as community service.)
Note: These activities would more than likely go towards the student-engagement Seal.
- Court-ordered community service or school-ordered service.

While it is impossible to list all examples, it is generally understood that community service recognition is for participation in the community for the express purpose of helping others.

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Waynesville High School Community Service Log

To recognize students that voluntarily donate time to worthwhile efforts in our community, the Wayne Local School Board awards “Community Service” seals on high school diplomas. To qualify, students must contribute **16 hours** of community service during their (four-year) high school careers.

4 hours = 1 point

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Student_____ **Grade**_____ **School Year**_____

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Waynesville High School Local Seals
Certified Fine & Performing Arts Local Seal

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Fine & Performing Arts Seal

Students must accumulate **4 points** to earn the Fine & Performing Arts Seal. Students can earn fine/performing arts “points” by:

- a) Successful participation and completion of fine arts and performing arts **classes offered** in the district for WHS credit ($\frac{1}{2}$ credit = **1 point**),

Example: ($\frac{1}{2}$ credit courses = **1 point**, **1 credit courses = 2 points**)

1. Arts: Art I, 2-D Art, 3-D Art, Advanced Art, Graphic Design I/II, Digital Illustration, Photo I/II/III, Yearbook, AP Art
2. Bands: Marching/Concert Band (2 points), Jazz, Steel
3. Choir
4. Drama I/II
5. Additional: Music History I/II, Music Theory I/II

Note: WHS does not include additional points for performances in concerts, participation in the art show, etc. if these activities are part of the course grade.

- b) Successful participation and completion of a WHS play or musical production, or musical activity such as:

1. WHS play, cast or crew (**1pt**)
2. WHS musical, cast, crew, or pit (**1pt**)
3. Marching Band (*Students not in Band Class*) (**1pt**)
4. Concert Band (*Students not in Concert Band Class*) (**1pt**)

- c) Successful participation and completion of a fine/performing art within the community, Example: (1 “season” = 1 point) *

1. Local Dance Organizations
2. Other

NOTE: All activities outside of WHS must be pre-approved by guidance and student must present evidence of participation, with signature from Lead Instructor and Parent.

- d) Successful completion of a CCP course classified as a fine art or performing art
College course of 3+ credit hours = 2 pts

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Fine and Performing Arts Seal Log

Student_____ **Grade** _____ **School Year**_____

Students- you need **FOUR points** to earn the seal.

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