



## INSTRUCTIONS

### Creating a Scope & Sequence for High School

The following form will help you visualize clearly where your student is today and where he needs to be upon high school graduation.

**There are three parts to this process.** First, read the following ten steps. Second, complete the form and fill in the blanks. Third, complete the Scope & Sequence at the end.

### 10 Steps to Prepare for Success

1. Determine what courses are needed to meet basic graduation requirements. Here is help to get you started: [Basic Scope and Sequence for College-Bound Catholic Students](#). You could also use your state's requirements as a base to start.
2. Review and write out your child's coursework completed to date.
3. Make a list of courses still needed for graduation. Determine how you will spread them out over the remaining high school years.
4. Ask your child about future goals. A student who wants to be a programmer will take different courses than a student who wants to be a chemist.
5. Determine your student's strengths and weaknesses. For example a student who struggles with language, but learns well using a multi-sensory methods (dyslexic children often fall into this category), may do better with American Sign Language than with Spanish.
6. Take into consideration your student's loves. An example would be a student who loves to write stories. That student could take more fiction-writing courses. They will still learn important writing skills (in addition to learning literary analysis). The bonus is that they will enjoy learning it more in a creative-writing atmosphere.
7. Once you have taken the above steps, you will have a strong idea of where you want to go in the future. Now open and save the HSC course catalogs and review all the options available to you.
8. Look for other resources to help you and your child meet goals. Books; websites; local co-ops; other online course providers; apprenticeships; etc.
9. Seek out advice from other homeschooling parents. If you're having trouble with a needed course or can't decide on the best path to take, go to your local or online support group. We're also here to help you at [homeschoolconnections@gmail.com](mailto:homeschoolconnections@gmail.com)
10. Of course, do all of this prayerfully with an open heart to God's will.

**NOTE:** This is only a scope & sequence. It is a simple form. You can create more detailed plans by using these forms: <http://homeschoolconnections.com/homeschool-forms>



## **Developing a High School Scope & Sequence**

**BASIC REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION.**

**COURSES COMPLETED IN HIGH SCHOOL SO FAR.**

**BASIC REQUIREMENTS STILL NEEDED.**



**FUTURE GOALS. COURSES NEEDED TO MEET GOALS.**

**COURSES BUILD ON STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES.**

**COURSES THAT ENCOURAGE LOVE OF LEARNING.**



**AVAILABLE HOMESCHOOL CONNECTIONS COURSES (LIVE, INTERACTIVE OR RECORDED, INDEPENDENT-LEARNING COURSES).**

**OTHER NECESSARY RESOURCES TO MEET GOALS.**

**PLAN DATES FOR COMPLETION.**



Student Name:  
Graduation Date:

Grade	Subject	Course	Semester
9 <sup>th</sup>	1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8.		
10 <sup>th</sup>	1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8.		
11 <sup>th</sup>	1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8.		
12 <sup>th</sup>	1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8.		