

## **Foundations Program Statements**

### **Q: What graduation program at our high school does my student need to enroll in to get accepted to Angelo State?**

Because each high school offers different graduation programs, Angelo State encourages you to contact the guidance office/registrar's office to find out about the options you can select going into your freshman year. I can send you a link to our website that outlines the programs we accept for assured admissions.

### **Q: What classes should I register for to get accepted?**

Angelo State University does not accept students based on coursework. However, we always encourage those looking to major in a STEM field to be diligent on their course selection in those areas of study, specifically math and sciences. High school guidance counselors will be able to assist with your class registration.

### **Q: Can you help me figure out classes? Our high school counselor does not understand the programs and college acceptance for Angelo State University.**

Angelo State does not provide high school registration guidance, because every high school program is different. I would like to send you a link that connects you to our website to best talk with your guidance counselor about the graduation programs you have at your school. If your counselor has a question about our admissions requirements, I would gladly talk with him/her.

### **Q: Where else can I read about graduation programs in Texas?**

The governing board who proposed House Bill 5: Foundation High School Program is the Texas Education Agency (TEA). You can visit their website for more information:  
<http://tea.texas.gov/graduation-requirements/hb5.aspx>

### **Q: Do I need to take 4 years of science to attend ASU?**

Not necessarily. First, you need to check what the requirements for your high school graduation program. Next, depending on what you may want to study in college – you may want to take 4 years of science to help prepare you for collegiate work.

### **Q: What happens if I fail a class my last semester of high school?**

This depends on if the class affects you receiving your high school diploma. We need a final high school transcript by the time you begin fall classes and it needs to have a high school graduation date.

**Q: Should I do an endorsement or the distinguished program?**

We encourage students to talk with their high school counselors/registrar to take the appropriate classes in high school to best be prepared for collegiate work. Both of these graduation programs meet assured admissions at Angelo State and neither one affects the amount of scholarship monies a student receives from ASU.

**Q: My school told me I can have multiple endorsements – should I take multiple endorsements or do I need only one?**

Honestly, this depends on what you want to study in college. We encourage students to talk with their high school counselors/registrar to take the appropriate classes in high school to best be prepared for collegiate work. Angelo State does not accept people differently or have different scholarships for students if they take one or multiple endorsements.