

STANDARD DIPLOMA
(Students entering Grade 9 in 2014-2015 or thereafter)

24-CREDIT OPTION

English	4.0 Credits
Mathematics	1.0 Credit Algebra (EOC=30% of final grade)
	1.0 Credit Geometry (EOC=30% of final grade)
	2.0 Credits Additional Math
Science	1.0 Credit Biology (EOC=30% of final grade)
	2.0 Credits Additional Science identified as Equally Rigorous
Social Studies	1.0 Credit World History
	1.0 Credit U.S. History (EOC =30% of final grade)
	0.5 Credit U.S. Government
	0.5 Credit Economics with Financial Literacy
World Languages	Not required for graduation. Minimum 2 years of the same language required for admission into most universities and some Bright Futures Scholarships.
Fine or Performing Arts, Speech, Debate, or Practical Arts	1.0 Credit Fine or Performing Arts, Speech, Debate, or eligible Practical Arts
Physical Education (PE)	Option 1: 1.0 Credit Physical Education to include integration of Health (HOPE)
	Option 2: 0.5 Credit Personal Fitness; and 0.5 Credit PE Elective (may be satisfied thru Marching Band or Dance)
	Option 3: Complete 2 full years of JROTC
	Option 4: Complete 2 full seasons of a Junior Varsity or Varsity Sport
	Option 5: Choose the ACCEL 18-Credit Option
Electives	8.0 Credits
TOTAL	24.0 Credits
State Assessments	Passing score on the Grade 10 FSA English/Language Arts (ELA) statewide, standardized assessment or concordant score
	Passing score on the Algebra 1 EOC or concordant score
Online Course	Option 1: A full course must be completed
	Option 2: Choose the ACCEL 18-Credit Option
Grade Point Average	Cumulative, unweighted GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale
Service Hours	Option 1: 40 hours
	Option 2: Choose the ACCEL 18-Credit Option

DIPLOMA DESIGNATIONS

Scholar Designation	In addition to meeting the standard high school diploma requirements:
	1.0 Credit Algebra II
	1.0 Credit Statistics or equally rigorous math
	1.0 Credit Chemistry or Physics and another equally rigorous science
	2.0 Credits Same world language
	1.0 Credit AP, IB, AICE or a dual enrollment course
	Pass the Geometry EOC
	Pass the Biology EOC or a minimum score to earn college credit on AP, IB or AICE exam
Merit Designation	In addition to meeting the standard high school diploma requirements:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attain one or more industry certifications from the list established

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18-CREDIT OPTION

English	4.0 Credits
Mathematics	1.0 Credit Algebra (EOC=30% of final grade)
	1.0 Credit Geometry (EOC=30% of final grade)
	2.0 Credits Additional Math
Science	1.0 Credit Biology (EOC=30% of final grade)
	2.0 Credits Additional Science identified as Equally Rigorous
Social Studies	1.0 Credit World History
	1.0 Credit U.S. History (EOC =30% of final grade)
	0.5 Credit U.S. Government
	0.5 Credit Economics with Financial Literacy
Fine or Performing Arts, Speech, Debate, or Practical Arts	1.0 Credit Fine or Performing Arts, Speech, Debate, or eligible Practical Arts
Electives	3.0 Credits
TOTAL	18.0 Credits
State Assessments	Passing score on the Grade 10 FSA English/Language Arts (ELA) statewide, standardized assessment or concordant score
	Passing score on the Algebra 1 EOC or concordant score
Grade Point Average	Cumulative, unweighted GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale

DIPLOMA DESIGNATIONS

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	1.0 Credit Statistics or equally rigorous math
	1.0 Credit Chemistry or Physics and another equally rigorous science
	2.0 Credits Same world language
	1.0 Credit AP, IB, AICE or a dual enrollment course
	Pass the Geometry EOC
	Pass the Biology EOC or a minimum score to earn college credit on AP, IB or AICE exam
Merit Designation	In addition to meeting the standard high school diploma requirements:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attain one or more industry certifications from the list established