

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

<u>Discipline</u>	<u>Credits</u>				
	<u>Required</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>
Social Studies	3.5 ^A	R	R	R	R
English (Including a literature, composition or debate elective)	4.0	R	R	R	R
Mathematics	3.0 ^B	R	R	R	E
Science	3.0 ^C	R	R	R	E
Physical Education	1.5 ^D	R	R	R/E	R/R
Health	0.5	R	-	-	-
Electives	9.5 ^E	E	E	E	E
TOTAL	25.0 ^F				

A = Class of 2018 - 2019: 1.0 credit Human Geography (or AP Human Geography), .5 credit World History (or 1.0 credit AP World History), 1.0 credit US History (or AP US History), .5 credit Government, .5 credit Economics, .

Students may take additional elective courses:

Grades 10-12: Crime & Law, Psychology, Criminal Justice, .5 World History, Social Issues, United States in a Global Perspective.

Grades 11-12: AP Psychology, AP Economics, AP Government & Politics

Class of 2016 – 2017: 1.0 World History (or AP World), .5 credit US in a Global Perspective OR 1.0 AP US History, .5 credit Government, .5 credit Economics. Students may take additional elective courses:

Grades 10-12: Crime & Law, Psychology, Criminal Justice, Social Issues

Grades 11-12: AP Psychology, AP Economics, AP Government & Politics

B = Ninth graders are required to take either Algebra I, Algebra Block, or a more advanced math course. Students taking Algebra I and Honors Geometry in middle school must take at least 3 additional math credits in grades 9-12 to meet the graduation requirement in math. The Algebra I and Honors Geometry course(s) taken in middle school will count toward the total of 25 credits required for graduation but will not count in the high school GPA.

C = All students must take the following three Science courses, which count towards the 25 credits required for graduation: Biology (9th grade), Chemistry (10th grade), Physics (11th grade). Students will be placed in the appropriate skill level course for Biology, Chemistry and Physics based on EPAS and MAPS test data.

Students taking a high school science course while in middle school must take at least two additional science credits in grades 9-12 to meet the graduation requirement in science. The high school science course taken while in middle school will count toward the total of 25 credits required for graduation, but the course will not be included in the high school GPA.

D = All students must take one semester of physical education in grades 9, 10, and one semester course in either grades 11 or 12. Physical Education 9 and Physical Education 10 are required of students in those grades. Students may choose any of the physical education electives (except Officiating) to satisfy the remaining physical education requirement in grades 11 or 12. Students participating in and completing the full season in a school-sponsored sport can receive up to .5 credits per year for physical education.

E = Level I foreign language courses taken in middle school will count as part of the 25 credits required for high school graduation but will not count in the high school GPA.

F = Beginning with the freshman class of 2013-14, one of the 25 courses required for graduation (required or elective) must be taken online through eAchieve Academy virtual school.