GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS STARTING WITH THE CLASS OF 2016

Core 40 with Academic Honors Diploma

English 8 credits

Mathematics 8 credits

- 2 Algebra I (two credits from middle school may apply)
- 2 Geometry
- 2 Algebra II
- 2 additional core 40 math credits

Students must take a math or quantitative reasoning course each year in high school

Science 6 credits

- 2 Biology
- 2 Chemistry or Physics or Integrated Chemistry-Physics
- 2 Any Core 40 science course

Social Studies 6 credits

- 2 World History/Civilization or Geography/History of the World
- 2 U.S. History
- 1 Economics
- 1 Government

World Language 6 or 8 credits

6 credits in one language OR

4 credits in two different languages

(8th grade applies)

Fine Arts 2 credits

Directed Electives 5 credits

- * World Languages
- * Fine Arts
- * Career Technical

Physical Ed 2 credits

Health 1 credit

Electives 9 credits

TOTAL 47 credits

Also complete one of the following:

- A. Earn 4 credits in 2 or more AP courses and take corresponding AP exams
- B. Earn 6 verifiable transcripted college credits in dual credit courses from the priority course list
- C. Earn two of the following:
 - 1. A minimum of 3 verifiable transcripted college credits from the priority course list,
 - 2. 2 credits in AP courses and corresponding AP exams,
 - 3. 2 credits in IB standard level courses and corresponding IB exams.
- D. Earn a combined score of 1750 or higher on the SAT critical reading, mathematics and writing sections and a minimum score of
- E. Earn an ACT composite score of 26 or higher and complete written section
- F. Earn 4 credits in IB courses and take corresponding IB exams.

GPA of at least "B-" (7.00)

No grade less than "C-" in required courses

^{**}Successful completion of the State End of Course Assessments in Algebra 1 and English 10 is also required for all diplomas.**