

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

For Students Entering 9th Grade As Of September 2005

(Please note: Students who entered 9th grade prior to September 2005 should see their Guidance Counselor)

REQUIRED SUBJECTS	LOCAL DIPLOMA	REGENTS DIPLOMA	REGENTS DIPLOMA With ADVANCED DESIGNATION
English	4	4	4
Social Studies	4	4	4
Science	3*	3*	3*
Mathematics	3	3	3
Language Other Than English (LOTE)	1**	1**	3***
Health	.5	.5	.5
Art and/or Music	1	1	1
Physical Education	2	2	2
Electives	3.5	3.5	1.5
Total Requirements Credit (Minimum)	22	22	22

* Courses must include one from the physical sciences, one from the life sciences and a third may be either life or physical sciences.

** Students must complete two units of study of Checkpoint A in a Language Other Than English (LOTE) and earn one high school credit by the end of 9th grade. One unit of credit is earned either by passing the State LOTE Proficiency Exam in 8th grade or by passing a LOTE course in 9th grade.

*** The 3 units of credit required in LOTE may also be met by completing one credit in LOTE and 5 units of credit in one of the following: Art, Music, or Career and Technical Education.

REQUIRED STATE ASSESSMENT

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ENTERING FRESHMAN CLASS	LOCAL DIPLOMA	REGENTS DIPLOMA	REGENTS DIPLOMA With ADVANCED DESIGNATION
2005	Score 65 or above on 2 required Regents exams and score 55 or above on 3 required Regents exams	Score 65 or above on 5 required Regents exams	Score 65 or above on 8 required Regents exams
2006	Score 65 or above on 3 required Regents exams and score 55 or above on 2 required Regents exams	Score 65 or above on 5 required Regents exams	Score 65 or above on 8 required Regents exams
2007	Score 65 or above on 4 required Regents exams and score 55 or above on 1 required Regents exams	Score 65 or above on 5 required Regents exams	Score 65 or above on 8 required Regents exams
2008		Score 65 or above on 5 required Regents exams	Score 65 or above on 8 required Regents exams
REQUIRED REGENTS EXAMS	Comprehensive English Math A Global History U.S. History Science	Comprehensive English Math * Global History U.S. History Science	Comprehensive English Math – 2 or more * (see Math chart) Global History U.S. History Physical Setting Science Living Environment LOTE

*see Math Exam chart