

Effective beginning with students who enter high school in 2012-13 school year (class of 2016).

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Health and Wellness Electives* 6 credits (College and Career Pathway courses recommended)	Physical	2 credits
Wellness Electives* 6 credits (College and Career Pathway courses recommended)	Education	
Electives* 6 credits (College and Career Pathway courses recommended)	Health and	1 credit
(College and Career Pathway courses recommended)	Wellness	
	Electives*	6 credits
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Schools may have additional local graduation requirements that apply to all students (not required for students with an IEP).

C•**RE4O** with Academic Honors

(minimum 47 credits)

For the **Core 40 with Academic Honors** designation, students must:

- Complete all requirements for Core 40.
- Earn 2 additional Core 40 math credits.
- Earn 6-8 Core 40 world language credits (6 credits in one language or 4 credits each in two languages).
- Earn 2 Core 40 fine arts credits.
- Earn a grade of a "C" or better in courses that will count toward the diploma.
- Have a grade point average of a "B" or better.
- 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 approved dual credit list.
 - C. Earn two of the following:
 - 1. A minimum of 3 verifiable transcripted college credits from the approved dual credit 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 composite score of 1250 or higher on the SAT and a minimum of 560 on math and 590 on the evidence based reading and writing section.**
 - 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.

C•RE40 with Technical Honors

(minimum 47 credits)

For the Core 40 with Technical Honors designation, students must:

- Complete all requirements for Core 40.
- Earn 6 credits in the college and career preparation courses in a state-approved College & Career Pathway and one of the following:
 - 1. Pathway designated industry-based certification or credential, or
 - 2. Pathway dual credits from the approved dual credit list resulting in 6 transcripted college credits
- Earn a grade of "C" or better in courses that will count toward the diploma.
- Have a grade point average of a "B" or better.
- Complete one of the following,
 - A. Any one of the options (A F) of the Core 40 with Academic Honors
 - B. Earn the following minimum scores on WorkKeys: Workplace Documents, Level 6; Applied Math, Level 6; and Graphic Literacy, Level 5.***
 - C. Earn the following minimum score(s) on Accuplacer: Writing 80, Reading 90, Math 75.
 - D. Earn the following minimum score(s) on Compass: Algebra 66 Writing 70, Reading 80.

^{*} Specifies the number of electives required by the state. High school schedules provide time for many more electives during the high school years. All students are strongly encouraged to complete a College and Career Pathway (selecting electives in a deliberate manner) to take full advantage of career and college exploration and preparation opportunities.

^{**}SAT scores updated September, 2017

^{***}WorkKeys assessment titles updated, 2018