Graduation Options Chart: Students Entering 9th Grade Prior to 2023-24

24-Credit Standard Diploma Option	24-Credit Standard Diploma	24-Credit Standard Diploma Option		
Available to all students, including	Option with Academic and	(Access Courses)		
students with disabilities	Employment Requirements	Available only to students with the		
Stadents With disabilities	Available only to students with	most significant cognitive		
	disabilities	disabilities, who take access courses		
	disabilities	and the alternate assessment		
English Language Arts (4 Credits)				
■ ELA 1, 2, 3, 4	Includes all requirements listed in column	Includes all requirements listed in column		
■ ELA honors, Advanced Placement (AP),	one	one		
Advanced International Certificate of Education	 May substitute a Career and Technical 	 May substitute access courses for general 		
(AICE), International Baccalaureate (IB) and	Education (CTE) course with content	education courses		
dual enrollment courses may satisfy this requirement.	related to English for English 4	 May substitute a CTE course with content related to English for English 4 		
requirement.		related to English for English 4		
Mathematics (4 Credits)				
• One of which must be Algebra 1 and one of	Includes all requirements listed in column	Includes all requirements listed in column		
which must be GeometryIndustry certifications that lead to college	oneMay substitute a CTE course with	oneMay substitute access courses for general		
credit may substitute for up to two	content related to mathematics for one	education courses		
mathematics credits (except for Algebra 1 and	mathematics credit (except for Algebra	May substitute a CTE course with content		
Geometry)	1 and Geometry)	related to mathematics for one		
 An identified computer science* credit may substitute for up to one math credit (except for 		mathematics credit (except for Algebra 1		
Algebra 1 and Geometry)		and Geometry)		
*A computer science credit may not be used to				
substitute for both a mathematics and science				
credit.				
	Science (3 Credits)			
 One of which must be Biology 1, two of which 	Includes all requirements listed in column	Includes all requirements listed in column		
must be equally rigorous science courses Two of the three required credits must have a	oneMay substitute a CTE course with	oneMay substitute access courses for general		
laboratory component	content related to science for one	education courses		
 An industry certification that leads to college 	science credit (except for Biology 1)	 May substitute a CTE course with content 		
credit substitutes for up to one science credit		related to science for one science credit		
(except for Biology 1)An identified computer science* credit may		(except for Biology 1)		
substitute for up to one science credit (except				
for Biology 1) *A computer science credit may				
not be used to substitute for both a				
mathematics and science credit.				
	Social Studies (3 Credits)			
• 1 credit in World History	Includes all requirements listed in column	Includes all requirements listed in column		
 1 credit in U.S. History 0.5 credit in U.S. Government 	one May substitute a CTE course with	oneMay substitute access courses for general		
o.5 credit in U.S. Governmento.5 credit in Economics	content related to social studies for	education courses		
orgeneare in Economics	one social studies credit (except for	 May substitute a CTE course with content 		
	U.S. History)	related to social studies for one social		
		studies credit course (except for U.S.		
		History)		
	Electives (8 Credits)	T		
 May include employment-based course/s 	Must include 0.5 credit in an	May include employment-based		
	employment-based course May include exceptional student	course/s		
	education (ESE) courses			
1 Credit in Fine and Performing Arts, S	ı peech and Debate, CTE or eligible Pract	ı cical Arts (per Course Code Directory)		
1 Credit in Physical Education to include the integration of health				
Students must earn a 2.0 unweighted grade point average (GPA) on a 4.0 scale and pass statewide, standardized				
assessments or meet the criteria for a waiver of assessment results				
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Enhance Learning (ACCEL) Option Available to all students, including students with	Pathway (requires a minimum of 18 credits) Available to all students, including students with			
disabilities	disabilities			
English Langua	ge Arts (4 Credits)			
 ELA 1, 2, 3, 4 ELA honors, Advanced Placement (AP), Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE), International Baccalaureate (IB) and dual enrollment courses may satisfy this requirement. 	Includes all requirements listed in column one Including statewide grade 10 Reading assessment or the grade 10 ELA assessment or earn a concordant score 			
Mathematics (4 Credits)				
 One of which must be Algebra 1 and one of which must be Geometry Industry certifications that lead to college credit may substitute for up to two mathematics credits (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry) *A computer science credit may not be used to substitute for both a mathematics and science credit. 	Includes all requirements listed in column one			
Science	(3 Credits)			
 One of which must be Biology 1 Two of the three required credits must have a laboratory component An industry certification that leads to college credit substitutes for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1) An identified computer science* course may substitute for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1) *A computer science credit may not be used to substitute for both a mathematics and science credit. 	Includes all requirements listed in column one			
Social Stud	es (3 Credits)			
 1 credit in World History 1 credit in U.S. History 0.5 credit in U.S. Government 0.5 credit in Economics 	Includes all requirements listed in column one			
Electives (3 Credits)	Electives (4 Credits)			
Career and Technical Education – Not Required Unless used to meet the 1 Credit requirement for Fine and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate or eligible Practical Arts Work-Based Learning Programs – Not Required	 Career and Technical Education (2 Credits) - Courses must result in a program completion and an industry certification Work-Based Learning Programs (2 Credits) - Complete two credits in work-based learning programs May substitute up to 2 credits of electives, including 0.5 credit in financial literacy, for work-based learning program courses to fulfill requirement 			
1 Credit in Fine and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, CTE or eligible Practical Arts, per Course Code Directory	Fine Arts and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, or eligible Practical Arts – Not Required			
Physical Educati	on – Not Required			

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Graduation Options Chart: Students Entering 9th Grade in 2023-24 and Thereafter

24-Credit Standard Diploma Option Available to all students, including students with disabilities ELA 1, 2, 3, 4 ELA honors, Advanced Placement (AP), Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE), International Baccalaureate (IB) and dual enrollment courses may satisfy this requirement	24-Credit Standard Diploma Option with Academic and Employment Requirements Available only to students with disabilities English Language Arts (4 Credits) Includes all requirements listed in column one May substitute a Career and Technical Education (CTE) course with content related to English for English 4	24-Credit Standard Diploma Option (Access Courses) Available only to students with the most significant cognitive disabilities, who take access courses and the alternate assessment Includes all requirements listed in column one May substitute access courses for general education courses May substitute a CTE course with content related to English for English 4	
	Mathematics (4 Credits)		
 One of which must be Algebra 1 and one of which must be Geometry Industry certifications that lead to college credit may substitute for up to two mathematics credits (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry) An identified computer science* credit may substitute for up to one math credit (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry) *A computer science credit may not be used to substitute for both a mathematics and science credit. 	Includes all requirements listed in column one May substitute a CTE course with content related to mathematics for one mathematics credit (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry)	Includes all requirements listed in column one May substitute access courses for general education courses May substitute a CTE course with content related to mathematics for one mathematics credit (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry)	
	Science (3 Credits)		
 One of which must be Biology 1, two of which must be equally rigorous science courses Two of the three required credits must have a laboratory component An industry certification that leads to college credit substitutes for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1) An identified computer science* credit may substitute for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1) *A computer science credit may not be used to substitute for both a mathematics and science credit. 	Includes all requirements listed in column one May substitute a CTE course with content related to science for one science credit (except for Biology 1)	Includes all requirements listed in column one May substitute access courses for general education courses May substitute a CTE course with content related to science for one science credit (except for Biology 1)	
	Social Studies (3 Credits)		
 1 credit in World History 1 credit in U.S. History 0.5 credit in U.S. Government 0.5 credit in Economics 	Includes all requirements listed in column one • May substitute a CTE course with content related to social studies for one social studies credit (except for U.S. History)	Includes all requirements listed in column one May substitute access courses for general education courses May substitute a CTE course with content related to social studies for one social studies credit course (except for U.S. History)	
	Electives (7.5 Credits)	Land to the second second	
 May include employment-based course/s 	 Must include o.5 credit in an employment-based course May include exceptional student education (ESE) courses 	May include employment-based course/s	
1 Credit in Fine and Performing Arts, Sp	eech and Debate, CTE or eligible Pra	actical Arts (per Course Code Directory)	
0.	5 Credit in Personal Financial Literac	у	
1 Credit in Physical Education to include the integration of health			
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18-Credit Academically Challenging Curriculum to Enhance Learning (ACCEL) Option Available to all students, including students with disabilities	Career and Technical Education (CTE) Graduation Pathway (requires a minimum of 18 credits) Available to all students, including students with disabilities			
English Language Arts (4 Credits)				
 ELA 1, 2, 3, 4 ELA honors, Advanced Placement (AP), Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE), International Baccalaureate (IB) and dual enrollment courses may satisfy this requirement 	Includes all requirements listed in column one Including statewide grade 10 Reading assessment or the grade 10 ELA assessment or earn a concordant score			
Mathematics (4 Credits)				
 One of which must be Algebra 1 and one of which must be Geometry Industry certifications that lead to college credit may substitute for up to two mathematics credits (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry) *A computer science credit may not be used to substitute for both a mathematics and science credit. 	Includes all requirements listed in column one			
Science (3 Credits)				
 One of which must be Biology 1 Two of the three required credits must have a laboratory component An industry certification that leads to college credit substitutes for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1) An identified computer science* course may substitute for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1) *A computer science credit may not be used to substitute for both a mathematics and science credit. 	Includes all requirements listed in column one			
Social Stud	ies (3 Credits)			
 1 credit in World History 1 credit in U.S. History 0.5 credit in U.S. Government 0.5 credit in Economics 	Includes all requirements listed in column one			
Electives (2.5 Credits)	Electives (3.5 Credits)			
Career and Technical Education – Not Required Unless used to meet the 1 Credit requirement for Fine and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, CTE or eligible Practical Arts Work-Based Learning Programs – Not Required	 Career and Technical Education (2 Credits) - Courses must result in a program completion and an industry certification Work-Based Learning Programs (1.5 Credits) - Complete two credits in work-based learning programs May substitute up to 2 credits of electives, including 0.5 credit in financial literacy, for work-based learning program courses to fulfill requirement 			
Credit in Fine and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, CTE or eligible Practical Arts, per Course Code Directory	Fine Arts and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, or eligible Practical Arts – Not Required			
o.5 Credit in Person	nal Financial Literacy			
Physical Education – Not Required				
Students must earn a 2.0 unweighted grade point average (GPA) on a 4.0 scale and pass statewide, standardized assessments or meet the criteria for a waiver of assessment results.				

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