

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

All students must meet the following requirements for graduation:

Technology	1 unit
English	4 units
Mathematics	4 units
(1 unit ALG I, 1 unit ALG II, 1 unit Geometry)	
Social Studies	3 units
(1 unit of American History & 1 unit of World History 1unit civics)	
Science	3 units
(1 unit of Biology)	
PE / Health (.25 Credit will be given for each athletic sport)	1 unit
Foreign	1 unit
Language	9 units
Electives	26 units

TOTAL UNITS REQUIRED

Only 1 unit of credit is given for PE toward graduation.

One unit is equivalent to two semesters. All subjects are two semester credits and credit will be received only if a student maintains a D average or better. The student must fulfill all requirements of the course as established by the teacher

Completion of the requirements and goals as listed on a student's Individual Education Plan (IEP) may include minor modification of courses or minor adjustment of course requirements. Units for graduation remain the same. (ie.. Algebra II could be replaced by Accounting for students on an IEP).

A student must attend high school for 8 semesters in order to qualify for graduation. Within those eight semesters he must earn a minimum of 26 units of credit.

All students must carry a full load (seven Carnegie units) each year of attendance for the four years of high school. The Superintendent must approve any exceptions

A student must be enrolled in a minimum of 8 solids in order to be eligible for participation in extracurricular activities. A solid is a course that carries 1 credit per year. Less than 8 per year require approval of the Superintendent.

All vocational two-hour block classes shall be for 2 credits. Completion of the Vocational Agriculture sequence will satisfy one of the science unit requirements.

STUDENT CLASSIFICATION:

Students are classified according to the number of credits they have earned through the last semester of attendance:

Freshman:	Less than 7 credits
Sophomore:	More than 7 but less than 14 credits
Junior:	More than 14 but less than 20 credits
Senior	More than 21 Credits
	To Graduation: 26 credits

Credit from other institutions and home-based programs

All students entering from outside the district must meet the district graduation requirements. The Superintendent shall determine whether credit toward graduation requirements shall be granted for courses taken outside the district. Students, who are currently enrolled in the district and wish to obtain credit from outside institutions, or through “on-line” programs, must have prior approval from the Superintendent

The district shall accept the transcripts from a home-based educational program. In order to determine whether the courses and grades earned are consistent with district requirements and district academic standards and rigor, the district shall require submission of the student’s work and other proof of academic performance for each course for which credit toward graduation is sought. In addition, the district may administer testing to the student to verify the accuracy of the student’s transcripts. The district may reject any transcripts that cannot be verified through such testing.

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CROSS REFS.: IKFB, Graduation Exercises

[JECE](#), Student Withdrawal from School

[IGC](#), Extended Instructional Programs