

For the 2019-2020 school year, the following graduation requirements and promotion standards will be utilized. Promotion standards will be reviewed each year to ensure alignment with the renewal district expectations.

## **Graduation Requirements - 22 Credits**

COURSE	NOTES
English I	
English II	ESSA/NC required by end of grade 10
English III	
English IV	
Math I	ESSA/NC required by end of grade 11 if course was taken in high school
Math III	
Math III	ESSA/NC required by end of grade 11 for students taking NC Math 1 in 8 <sup>th</sup> grade
a 4 <sup>th</sup> Math	see options chart
Earth/Environmental Science	Or AP Environmental Science
Biology	EESA/NC required by end of grade 11
a Physical Science	(Physical Science, Chemistry, Physics, etc)
World History	
American History I	Or AP US History plus 1 additional History Elective Course
American History II	
Civics/Economics	
Health/PE	
6 Electives	

## **Promotion Standards**

The minimum promotion standards for the 2019-2020 school year are as follows:

- 9<sup>th</sup> graders must earn 5 units for promotion to grade 10
- 10<sup>th</sup> graders must earn 10 units for promotion to grade 11
- 11<sup>th</sup> graders must earn 16 units for promotion to grade 12

## **Grade-Level Based Testing Requirements**

Pre-ACT	Students classified in PowerSchool as 10 <sup>th</sup> graders in October are required to take the PreACT (or appropriate alternate assessment).
ACT	Students classified in PowerSchool as 11 <sup>th</sup> graders in February are required to take the ACT (or appropriate alternate assessment).
ACT Work Keys	Students classified in PowerSchool as 12 <sup>th</sup> graders and are CTE completers are required to take the ACT Work Keys.