Graduation Requirements

Effective for the class of 2018-2020

CONTENT AREA	CREDITS NEEDED	EXPLANATION OF CREDITS
English	4	4 credits
Math	4	Credits must include: Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II 1 math course must be taken during the senior year.
Science	3	1 credit of Biology 1 credit of Chemistry, Physics or Anatomy 1 Science elective credit
Social Studies	3	1 credit of World History & Geography 1 credit of U.S. History & Geography 0.5 credit in Civics 0.5 credit in Economics
Health & Physical Education	2	0.5 credit in Health Education 1.5 elective credit
Visual, Performing and Applied Arts	1	1 credit in Visual, Performing or Applied Arts
World Languages	2	2 credits of World Language
Additional Credits	9 to 11	Note: "additional" will specify content areas (e.g. communications, arts, etc)
Advisory	All students are required to pass advisory each semester they are enrolled.	
Technical Competency	All students must take one computer-based course during grades 9-12 (This requirement may be met by courses identified in most content areas).	
Online Learning Experience	All students must have an online learning experience before graduation. (This requirement can be satisfied by experiences within a regular course).	
Community Service	40 hours: Please see the explanation in the course description book. Starting with Class of 2020: Minimum one Service As Action experience per year	
State of Michigan Assessment	ALL JUNIORS ARE REQUIRED TO TAKE THE STATE-REQUIRED ASSESSMENT (formerly the MME) PRIOR TO GRADUATION.	
Middle Years Programme Personal Project	ALL SOPHOMORES ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE MYP PERSONAL PROJECT.	
TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED	**28**	

Approved by Board of Education on 1.22.18