

The Charles E. Smith Jewish Day School offers a rigorous general and Judaic studies curriculum. Students are required to complete 14.5 credits in General Studies, 10 credits in Judaic Studies (including Hebrew), 1 credit in Exercise Science, a minimum of 3 credits in Electives, and 10 points in the Arts. In addition, students are required to complete 80 hours of community service.

REQUIRED CREDITS INCLUDE:

ENGLISH	4.0 credits	English 9 English 10 English 11 English 12: Composition (1 semester) English 12: World Literature (1 semester)
HISTORY	3.5 credits	World History I World History II US History 21st Century American Identity (1 semester)
MATHEMATICS	3.5 credits	Geometry 2.5 additional math credits
SCIENCE	3.5 credits	Biology Chemistry 1.5 additional science credits
HEBREW	2.0 credits	
JEWISH HISTORY	2.0 credits	Ancient and Medieval Jewish History (1 semester) Modern Jewish History History of Modern Israel (1 semester)
JEWISH TEXT	2.5 credits	Talmud OR Jewish Lifecycles and Ritual + Ethical Dilemmas Politics in the Age of Kings (1 semester) 1.0 additional Jewish text credits
ADDITIONAL JUDAIC STUDIES	3.5 credits	Choose from Hebrew, Jewish Text, and Jewish History distribution courses
EXERCISE SCIENCE	1.0 credit	Credit may be earned through PE courses, athletic team participation, or select external on-going class or team activities
ELECTIVES	3.0 credits	
ARTS Beginning with Class of 2022	10 points	Points are earned in a variety of ways, including arts courses, participation in art, theater, and music productions; visits to exhibits, concerts and theater; and more
COMMUNITY SERVICE	80 hours	Includes 40 hours of direct service