

Gilroy Unified School District

ALTERNATIVE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

**Diploma/Certificate
Completion Requirements**

	Category	Studies	Subject	Credits
1	ENGLISH	the study of literature (novels, plays, short stories, and poetry)	English	40
2	SOCIAL SCIENCES	the global study of life in society in the past, in all its aspect, in relation to present developments	World History	10
3		the history of the United States of America in depth	US History	10
4		the system or form by which a community is ruled	Government	5
5		the study of how society uses its limited resources which deal with the production, distribution, and usage of goods and services	Economics	5
6	SCIENCES	the study of natural but non-living objects. Biological, or life, science. Chemistry, Earth sciences	Physical Science	5
7		optional additional studies with science: Psychology, Biotechnology, Econ, Home Science, P.E. Math, Computer Science, Engineering Drawing	Science Elective	5
8		the scientific study of living organisms biological and physical sciences	Life Science	10
9	MATH	mathematics including Algebra I	Math - Algebra	20
10	FINE ARTS	either visual and performing arts, foreign language, or career technical education	Fine Art / Foreign Language	10
11	ELECTIVES	allows students to explore different interests and possible career pathways through hands-on learning	Electives – General	20