

Lyme-Old Lyme High School Graduation Requirements

Per State of Connecticut Public Act 42.12, commencing with the class of 2023, and for each graduating class thereafter, the following twenty-five (25) credits are necessary to graduate:

Graduation Requirements	
Humanities: 9 Credits HM	
English	4 Credits
Social Studies	3 Credits: including .5 Civics and 1.0 US History
Fine Arts	1.0 Credit
Humanities Elective	1.0 Credit
World Language	1 Credit
Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics: 9 Credits STEM	
Mathematics	3 Credits
Science	3 Credits
Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Business Electives	3 Credits
Physical Education and Wellness	1 Credit (.25 each yr.)
Health & Safety Education	1 Credit (.25 each yr.)
Mastery-based Diploma Assessment (PGR Rubrics)	1 Credit
Electives	3 Credits
Total	25 Credits

The .5 lab credit associated with some L2 Algebra I, L2 Geometry and L2 Algebra II courses cannot be used towards the 3-credit Math requirement, but can be used towards overall graduation credits and STEM elective credit. An Algebra I course taken at Lyme-Old Lyme Middle School will appear on the Lyme-Old Lyme High School transcript and will count towards the CT State Required (3) years of Math to graduate from LOLHS but it will NOT count towards the required 25 credit graduation requirement. Students are required to participate in 25 credits worth of classes at LOLHS.

In addition to the course requirements listed, the following additional requirements must also be met:

Area Assessed	Connecticut State Mastery Examination Goal Level in:	Alternatives if state wide mastery examination goal level is not met
Math	SAT: 530 on Math On CT SAT School Day and subsequent SAT administrations.	70% in each of 3 years of math or equivalent on district comprehensive math assessment
Reading	SAT: 480 on Evidence Based Reading & Writing On CT SAT School Day and subsequent SAT administrations.	70% in each of 4 years of English or equivalent on district comprehensive English assessment
Writing	SAT: 480 on Evidence Based Reading & Writing On CT SAT School Day and subsequent SAT administrations.	70% in each of 4 years of English or equivalent on district comprehensive English assessment
Science	Reach Proficiency on the NGSS Science Assessment	70% in each of 3 years of science or equivalent on district comprehensive science assessment

The Board of Education, through the Superintendent or their designee, shall identify a course of study for those students who have not successfully completed the assessment criteria to assist such students to reach a satisfactory level of competency prior to graduation.