

USD 305 GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The following are the requirements to obtain a high school diploma.

****Highlighted below are the New Graduation Requirements Beginning with Class of 2028**

	Number of Credits	Courses which will meet requirement
ENGLISH	4	English 1 (1), English 1 Adv. (1), English 2 (1), English 2 Adv. (1), English 3 (1), English 3 Adv. (1), American Studies (1), English 4 (1), English 4 HCC/KSU (1), AP Language & Composition (1), AP Literature & Composition (1)
SOCIAL SCIENCE -to include 1 credit in World History -to include 1 credit in American History -to include .5 credit in American Government -to include .5 credit in Economics -(equivalent to Social Studies 1-4 at South High School)	3	World History (1), American History (1), Constitution (.5), Economics (.5), Social Studies 1 (.5), Social Studies 2 (1), Social Studies 3 (1), American Studies (1), Social Studies 4 (.5), AP World History (1), AP American History (1), AP Macroeconomics (.5), AP U.S. Government & Politics (.5), KSU Macroeconomics (.5), KSU Microeconomics (.5)
MATHEMATICS	3	Algebra 1 (1), Geometry (1), Algebra/Geometry (1), Transition Algebra (1), Algebra 2 (1), Algebra 2/Trigonometry (1), SATC College Algebra (1), KSU College Algebra (.5), Financial Math (1), Pre-Calculus/Trigonometry (1), KSU Plane Trigonometry (.5), KSU Analytic Geometry & Calculus (1), KSU General Calculus & Linear Algebra (1), AP Calculus (1), AP Statistics (1)
NATURAL SCIENCE -to include 1 credit in Earth & Space Science -to include 1 credit in Biology	3	Earth & Space Science (1), Biology 1 (1), KSU Biology w/lab (1), Physical Science (1), Chemistry (1), KSU Chemistry w/lab (1), AP Biology (1), Physics (1), KSU Physics w/lab (1), Human Anatomy & Physiology (1), Essentials of Human Anatomy & Physiology (1), AP Chemistry (1), AP Physics 1 (1), AP Physics 2 (1)
PHYSICAL EDUCATION -to include .5 credit in PE 1	1	PE 1 (.5), PE 2 (.5), Conditioning (1), Personal Fitness (1)
HEALTH	.5	Health (.5)
ORAL COMMUNICATIONS	.5	Speech (.5), KSU Speech (.5), Debate (.5), Forensics (.5)
COMPUTER or STEM (Beginning w/Class of 2028)	1	Computer Applications 1 (.5), Computer Applications 2 (.5), KSU Computer Applications 2 (.5), Computer Programming (.5), Graphic Design 2-D (.5), Web Page Design (.5), Graphic Design Digital (.5), Interactive Media (.5), Audio Video Production Fundamentals (.5), Audio Video Production Advanced (1.0), Newspaper (1.0), Digital Media Production (1.0)
FINE ARTS	1	Any/All Visual Arts (1), Any/All Music (1), Any/All Theatre (1), Elements of Acting (.5), Adv. Forensics (.5)
BUSINESS	.5	Financial Literacy (.5) (Must Pass to Graduate)
ELECTIVES	6.5	4.5 Credits Must Align w/IPS (Beginning w/Class of 2028)
TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED	24	2 Post Secondary Assets (Beginning w/Class of 2028)

POSTSECONDARY ASSET GRADUATION REQUIREMENT (BEGINNING with CLASS of 2028)

New State Requirement Beginning with the Class of 2028: Students are required to meet two or more postsecondary assets from either the academic or career and real world categories. The selected assets must align with the student's Individual Plan of Study or IPS.

ACADEMIC CATEGORY	CAREER & REAL WORLD CATEGORY
*9+ College Hours	*Two or More High School Athletics/Activities
*Completing Kansas Scholars Curriculum	*40 or more Community Service Hours
*State Assessment Scores of 3 or 4 for Math, ELA, and Science, (Demonstrating College Readiness)	*90% Attendance in High School
*Advanced Placement Exam (3+)	*Client-Centered Projects
*WorkKey Levels (Silver or Higher)	*Youth Apprenticeships
*ACT Composite (Score of 21 or Higher)	*Workplace Learning Experience Directly Related to a Student's IPS
*SAT Score (1200 or Higher)	*Senior Project or Senior Exit Interview
*ASVAB per Requirements of Military Branch	*CTE Scholar
	*Seal of Bi-literacy
	*Industry-Recognized Certification
	*Eagle Scout or Gold Scout
	*4-H Kansas Key Award

****It is crucial for students and guardians to work with your high school counselor in ensure your student has achieved two or more postsecondary assets listed above.**

Verification: The following will require the student and guardian to produce documentation to the student's counselor in order to be verified:

9+ College Hours (Not taken for concurrent or dual credit)

40 or more Community Service Hours (Conducted Outside of School)

Client-Centered Projects (Conducted Outside of School)

Workplace Learning Experience Directly Related to a Student's IPS (Conducted Outside of School)

Eagle Scout or Gold Scout

4-H Kansas Key Award.