



Northeastern High School Graduation Requirements

Units Program Area

- 4 English
- 4 Mathematics (including Math I, Math II, Math III)
- 3 Science (Earth/Environmental, Biology, and Physical Science/Chemistry)
- 4 Social Studies (World History, US History, Civic Literacy, Economic Principles)
- 1 Health/Physical Education
- 6 Electives

22* Total Credits Required for Graduation

More credits are required for students interested in a 4-year college

DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS:

❖ **Students must complete one of the Courses of Study requirements:**

Future-Ready Core

Occupational Course of Study

PROMOTION REQUIREMENTS:

To 10th Grade (Sophomore) 6 Credits

To 11th Grade (Junior) 12 Credits

To 12th Grade (Senior) 17 Credits

ATHLETIC ELIGIBILITY:

Must be enrolled full-time (Seniors must have at least two credit-earning courses the semester of competition)

Must meet the attendance guidelines for the NCHSAA (**14 days Per Semester**)

If a student misses more than 14 days they are **ineligible** for the following sports season

Must pass at least **three credit-earning courses** the previous semester

Fall eligibility is based on second semester from the previous year

Winter sports eligibility is based on the second semester from previous year and from the first semester of the same year. Spring sports eligibility is based on the first semester of the same year

REGISTRATION REMINDERS:

- **All Students** - When signing up for classes, please remember this is how we determine class offerings. If you sign up for a class, make sure you are interested and want to take the class. We will not make changes to classes that you indicated you wanted to take.
- **All Students** - If you register for AP classes, please know they may have SUMMER READING. **You will only be allowed to drop down a level with administration permission.** You will not be able to drop the class if you did not do the summer assignment. We build the schedule based on student requests.
- **Rising Seniors** - You **MUST** inform colleges if you change your schedule after submitting your application. This could impact your acceptance. We encourage you to set your ENTIRE year schedule in place during August. Do not wait for January to change your 2nd-semester schedule. Colleges receive your final transcript. It is a much smoother process for you if you have your schedule set before submitting applications.

NHS 2025-2026 Course Descriptions can be found on the NHS Website under the Student Services Tab
<https://www.ecpps.k12.nc.us/northeastern-high-school/departments/student-service>