State High School Graduation Requirements

TOPS University Diploma

(College Diploma)

Course Requirements

ENGLISH	4 UNITS
1 unit of English I 1 unit of English II 1 unit of English III 1 unit of English IV or English Literature AP/DE	
MATH	**4 UNITS**
1 unit of Algebra I 1 unit of Geometry 1 unit of Algebra II 1 unit from the following courses: Algebra III, Advanced Math Pre-Calculus, Calculus, or Calculus AP	
SCIENCE	**4 UNITS**
1 unit of Biology 1 unit of Chemistry 2 units from the following courses: Physical Science, Biology II, Chemistry II, Environmental Science, or Physics	
SOCIAL STUDIES	**4 UNITS**
1 unit of Civics or US Government DE 1 unit of US History 2 units from the following courses: World History, World Geography, Human Geography AP, or Psychology AP	
FOREIGN LANGUAGE	**2 UNITS**
2 units in the same language – Spanish, Latin, or Japanese	
ART	**1 UNIT**
1 unit from the following courses: Art, Fine Arts Survey, Media Art, Band, Theater, Dance, or Chorus	
HEALTH/PHYSICAL EDUCATION	**2 UNITS**
1 unit of Physical Education I 1/2 unit of Physical Education II 1/2 unit of Health Education	
ELECTIVES	**3 UNITS**
Students must take 3 elective courses. **Beginning with 2028 graduates, one of these electives must be Financial Literacy.**	
TOTAL = 24 Units	**24 UNITS**

TOPS Tech Jump Start

(Career Diploma)

Course Requirements

ENGLISH	4 UNITS
1 Unit of English I 1 Unit of English II 2 units from the following courses: Business English, Technical Writing, English III, or English IV	
MATH	**4 UNITS**
1 unit of Algebra I 1 unit of Geometry 1 unit of Financial Literacy 1 unit from the following courses: Math Essentials, Business Math, Algebra II, Algebra III, Advanced Math Pre-Calculus, or Calculus	
SCIENCE	**2 UNITS**
1 unit of Biology 1 unit from the following courses: Physical Science, Biology II, Chemistry I, Chemistry II, Environmental Science, or Physics	
SOCIAL STUDIES	**2 UNITS**
1 unit of US History 1 unit of Civics or US Government DE	
HEALTH/PHYSICAL EDUCATION	**2 UNITS**
1 unit of Physical Education I 1/2 unit of Physical Education II 1/2 unit of Health Education	
JUMP START ELECTIVES	**9 UNITS**
9 units from one of the six Jump Start Pathways	
INDUSTRY BASED CREDENTIAL	
Students must obtain the necessary state-approved Advanced, Basic, or Regional credential required by the student's chosen Jump Start Pathway.	
TOTAL = 23 Units	**23 UNITS**

In addition to the course and Jump Start credential requirements, students must also pass the LEAP2025 to be eligible for graduation.

CHS CAREER PATHWAYS

	Architecture and Construction	Arts, AV Tech & Communication	Business Management	Health Sciences	Hospitality & Tourism	Information Technology
Credentials	Autodesk AutoCAD & Inventor; CITF Core, Lvl 1 & 2; EPA Section 608 & Employment Ready; NCCER Core Electrical Level 1 & 2; OSHA 30; LCTCS	Adobe: After Effects, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, Video Design, Visual Design; Autodesk AutoCAD & Inventor: CIW IBA, SDA, NTA, & Web Foundations; Fundamentals of JavaScript Lvls 1 &2; LCTCS	Adobe: After Effects, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, Video Design, Visual Design; Business of Retail; Customer Service; CIW IBA; Fundamentals of JavaScript Lvls 1 &2; LCTCS	Certified Clinical Medical Assistant (CCMA); EKG Tech; Phlebotomy Tech; Certified Nurse Aide; Emergency Medical Responder; Emergency Medical Technician (EMT); LCTCS	ServSafe (Handler & Manager); Prostart; Business of Retail; Customer Service; Guest Room Attendant; Hospitality & Mgmt Professional I & II; ManageFirst; LCTCS	Adobe: After Effects, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, Video Design, Visual Design; Amazon Web Service; CIW IBA, SDA, NTA, & Web Foundations; Python; Unity; CompTIA; Fundamentals of JavaScript Lvls 1 &2; LCTCS
Credential -Earning Courses	1 GTE Carpentry I/II; Intro to Engineering Design; Electrical I/II*; HVAC I/II*	1 Digital Media I CIW IBA, CIW SDA, CIW NTA; Intro to Engineering Design; Digital Media II; TV Production I/II; Operation Spark**	1 Customer Service CIW IBA; Digital Media I/II; Operation Spark**	1 Intro to Health Occs Certified Clinical Medical Assistant; Emergency Medical Responder*; Certified Nursing Assistant*; Phlebotomy*; EKG*	1 Nutrition & Food Customer Service; Prostart I/II; Lodging I/II	1 CIW IBA CIW IBA, CIW SDA, CIW NTA; Computer Science I/II; Digital Media I/II; TV Production I/II; Operation Spark**
Other Pathway Courses	CAD I/II, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics, Principles of Engineering, AWS Welding I/II/III/IV	Adv. Band, CAD I/II, Applied Music, Art I/II, Beginning Band, Beginning Choir, Carp I/II, Dance I-IV, Fine Arts Survey, Publications I/II, Prin. Of Marketing, Vocal Ensemble, Theatre I-IV, Computer Science I/II, Operation Spark**	CAD I/II, Carp I/II, CIW NTA, CIW SDA, Lodging Management I/II, Medical Terminology*, Nutrition and Food, Prin. Of Marketing, Prostart I/II, Publications I/II	Biology II (AP), Chemistry, Digital Media II, Environmental Science, Medical Office Management*, Medical Terminology*, Food Science, Nutrition and Food, Psychology (AP), Sports Med I/II, EMT	Chemistry I/II, CIW IBA, Customer Service, Digital Media II, Environmental Science, Prin. of Marketing, Psychology, Publications I/II	CAD I, Intro to Engineering, Physics, Principles of Engineering, Operation Spark

Universal Courses: Business Computer Applications (BCA), CDF Qualifying Internship I/II, Computer Science I, Cooperative Marketing Education, Customer Service, Cyber Society, Digital Media I, Emergency Medical Responder, Financial Literacy, Foreign Language I/II, **General Technology Education (GTE)**, **Intro to Health Occupations**, Law Studies, Principles of Business, **Quest for Success**, **ROTC III/IV**, Speech I, Technical Math, Workplace Safety, Virtual Workplace Experience I/II

*Indicates Dual Enrollment Course; **Indicates Apprenticeship, Bold Indicates Career Readiness Course