



Graduation Requirements

*Our Mission: to empower a community
of learners who will change the world.*

Board of Education Meeting
Monday, November 25, 2019

Purpose of the Presentation



- To provide an update on the changes to the State Graduation Requirements for the Class of:
- 2020
- 2021-2022
- 2023 & Beyond

Ohio

**Department
of Education**



Graduating Class Options



Class of 2020	Classes of 2021 & 2022	Classes of 2023 & Beyond
Students who entered 9th grade between July 1, 2016-June 30, 2017	Students who entered 9th grade between July 1, 2017-June 30, 2019	Students who entered 9th grade between July 1, 2019-Beyond
Class of 2020 Option Classes of 2021 & 2022 Option Classes of 2023 Option	Classes of 2021 & 2022 Option Classes of 2023 & Beyond Option	Classes of 2023 & Beyond Option



All students need:

- **“Cover the Basics” - 20 credits**
 - 4 Units Math
 - 3 Units English
 - 3 Units Social Studies
 - 3 Units Science
 - 1 Unit Health & PE
 - 5 Units Elective
- **18 Points on 7 State Tests**
 - Math I & Math II ≥ 4 points
 - English I & English II ≥ 4 points
 - Biology, Am. History, Am. Gov. ≥ 4 Points

Option 1: Must meet ≥ 2 requirements:

- 2.5/4.0 GPA during 11th & 12th grade” *
- Capstone Experience; *
- 120 Community or Work Experience; *
- Earn 3+ credits with College Credit Plus;
- Earn 3+ on AP Exam or 4+ on IB Exam;
- Score 3+ on each of the 3 WorkKeys tests;
- Earn Industry-Credential;
- Meet Ohio Means Jobs Career Readiness Seal.

**modified from last year*

Classes of 2021-2022 and 2023 & Beyond



1.
Cover the Basics



2.
Show Competency



3.
Demonstrate Readiness



Class of 2021 & 2022



Ohio's High School Graduation Requirements

Classes of 2021 & 2022

Cover the Basics

Earn 20 Credits



Show Competency

Earn 18 Points OR Show College & Career Preparation

Earn 18 points on Ohio's 7 end-of-course tests: English I, English II, Math I, Math II, Biology, U.S. History, & U.S. Government



Demonstrate Readiness

Choose 1 Pathway AND Earn 2 Seals



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Cover the Basics

Earn 20 Credits



Class of 2021 & 2022





Ohio's High School Graduation Requirements

Classes of 2021 & 2022

Cover the Basics

Earn 20 Credits

4 Units
Mathematics

3 Units
Social Studies

5 Units
Electives

1 Unit
Health & Physical Education

3 Units
Science


4 Units
English Language Arts

Show Competency


Earn 18 Points OR Show College & Career Preparation

Earn 18 points on Ohio's 7 end-of-course tests: English I, English II, Math I, Math II, Biology, U.S. History, & U.S. Government

OR



COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS



INDUSTRY CREDENTIAL

Demonstrate Readiness

Choose 1 Pathway AND Earn 2 Seals

COLLEGE CREDIT PATH

OR

INDUSTRY CREDENTIAL

OR

MILITARY OR SERVICE

and

Ohio Means Jobs*	Biliteracy*	College Ready*
Science*	Citizenship*	Technology*
Military Enlistment*	Industry-Recognized Credential	Honors Diploma*
Fine & Performing Arts*	Community Service**	Student Engagement**

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Show Competency

Earn 18 Points OR Show College & Career Preparation

Earn 18 points on Ohio's 7 end-of-course tests:
English I,
English II,
Math I,
Math II,
Biology,
U.S. History, &
U.S. Government



OR



COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS



OR



INDUSTRY CREDENTIAL



- **Ohio's State Tests** - Earn 18 Points on 7 Tests
- **College & Career Readiness** - Earn "Remediation Free" Score on ACT
 - "Remediation Free" - set in February of Junior Year; last year, it was: 18+ English; 21+ Reading; 22+ Math
- **Industry Credential** - Earn 12 Points on Industry Credential AND Earn Required Points on WorkKeys Assessment

Class of 2021 & 2022



Demonstrate Readiness - Choose 1 Pathway



- **College Credit Plus** - Earn Credit for One Math or English CC+ Class
- **Industry Credential - Demonstrate Two Career Focused Activities:**
 - Proficient on 3 or more WebXams*
 - Earning an approved industry-recognized credential*
 - Pre-apprenticeship or apprenticeship program*
 - 250-hour Workplace Experience
 - Earn the required score on WorkKeys
 - Earn the Ohio Means Jobs Readiness Seal

**must earn at least one of these*
- **Enlist in the Military**

Class of 2021 & 2022



Demonstrate Readiness - AND Earn 2 Seals



- **Ohio Means Jobs**
 - Demonstration of professional skills, work-readiness, and work ethic competencies
 - Students must have at least 3 mentors to validate the professional skills
- **Biliteracy**
 - Demonstrate proficiency in English AND high levels of proficiency in at least one other world language
- **College-Ready**
 - Earn “Remediation Free” Score on ACT

Class of 2021 & 2022



Demonstrate Readiness - AND Earn 2 Seals



- **Science - earn ONE of the following:**
 - Proficient on the Biology State Test
 - Earn 3+ on AP Science Exam or 4+ on IB Science Exam
 - Earn a “B” or higher on approved CC+ Science Course
- **Citizenship - earn ONE of the following:**
 - Proficient on the American History AND American Government State Tests
 - Earn 3+ on AP Social Studies Exam or 4+ on Social Studies Exam
 - Earn a “B” or higher on approved CC+ Social Studies Course
- **Technology - earn ONE of the following:**
 - Earn 3+ on AP Technology Exam or 4+ on Technology Exam
 - Earn a “B” or higher on approved CC+ Technology Course
 - Complete a district course that meets ODE guidelines

Class of 2021 & 2022



Demonstrate Readiness - AND Earn 2 Seals



- **Military Enlistment**
 - Provide evidence of enlistment in an armed branch of military
- **Industry-Recognized Credential**
 - Earn an industry-recognized credential that is aligned to a job that is determined to be “in-demand” in the state and its regions.
- **Honors Diploma - meet the criteria for one of the six diplomas:**
 - Honors Diploma
 - Career-Tech Honors Diploma
 - IB Honors Diploma
 - STEM Honors Diploma
 - Civics and Social Sciences
 - Fine Arts Honors Diploma

Class of 2021 & 2022



Demonstrate Readiness - AND Earn 2 Seals



LOCAL SEALS - Students Can Only Earn One Local Seal*

- **Fine and Performing Arts**
 - Demonstrate skill in the fine or performing arts
- **Community Service**
 - Complete a community service project
- **Student Engagement**
 - Participate in extracurricular activities, such as athletics, clubs or student government

**Local seals must have guidelines as determined by the local district and adopted by the local Board of Education*

Class of 2023 & Beyond



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Ohio's High School Graduation Requirements
Classes of 2023 and Beyond

FIRST cover	SECOND show	THIRD show
Basics EARN 20 CREDITS	Competency EARN A "COMPETENCY" SCORE	Readiness EARN 2 SEALS
4 Units Mathematics	Earn a "competency" score on the Math I and English II end-of-course tests	Technology*
4 Units English Language Arts	OR COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS	Honors Diploma*
3 Units Social Studies	OR CAREER TECHNICAL	Ohio Means Jobs*
3 Units Science	OR MILITARY READINESS	Citizenship*
1 Unit Health & Physical Education	OR MILITARY READINESS	Biliteracy*
5 Units Electives	OR MILITARY READINESS	College Ready*
		Science**
		Industry-Recognized Credential**
		Fine & Performing Arts**
		Community Service**
		Student Engagement**

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1. Cover the Basics

AND

2. Show Competency

AND

3. Show Readiness

Next Steps



- Continue learning about and creating guidelines;
- Continue providing training to staff;
- Begin communicating to students and parents;
- Develop graduation tracking practices;
- Continue benchmarking with surrounding districts on local seals;
- Recommend local seals for Board adoption.

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