Standard Diploma Graduation Requirements

	Students Entering Grade Nine in 2015-2016 and After
English	4 Credits
Mathematics	1 Credit Algebra (EOC = 30% of final grade) 1 Credit Geometry (EOC = 30% of final grade) 2 Credits Additional Math
Science	1 Credit Biology (EOC = 30% of final grade) 2 Credits Equally Rigorous Sciences
Social Studies	1 Credit World History 1 Credit US History (EOC = 30% 0.5 Credit US Government 0.5 Credit Economics with Financial Literacy
Fine/Performing Arts	1 Credit Fine or Performing Art, Speech and Debate, or eligible Practical Art
Physical Education	1 Credit in Physical Education with integration of Health (HOPE) **OR** 0.5 PE, 0.5 Personal Fitness
Electives	8 Credits
TOTAL	**24 Credits**
State Assessments	Students must earn a passing score on the **Grade 10 ELA** statewide standardized assessment Students must earn a passing score on the **Algebra 1 EOC** Students *must participate* in all EOCs (i.e. Geometry, Biology, US History, etc)
Online Course	Requires a full course to be completed
Grade Point Average	Cumulative GPA of a 2.0 on a 4.0 scale (unweighted)

Diploma Designations & ACCEL 18-Credit Option

Scholar Designation	In addition to meeting the standard diploma requirements: -Algebra II -Pass the Geometry EOC -Statistics or equally rigorous math -Chemistry or Physics and another equally rigorous science -2 credits in the same world language -Earn at least 1 credit in AP, IB, AICE, or dual enrollment -Pass Biology EOC or earn minimum score required to earn college credit on AP, IB, or AICE exam -Pass US History EOC or earn minimum score required to earn college credit on AP, IB, or AICE exam
Merit Designation	In addition to meeting the standard diploma requirements: Attain one or more industry certifications
ACCEL Program	Meet all requirements for a standard diploma with these exceptions: -Physical Education credit not required -Online course not required -3 elective credits only