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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Diplomas will be awarded to students who meet the requirements set forth below:

Minimum Graduation Requirements Class of 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 (Determined when a student first enters ninth grade)

Course Requirements:

Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
4 Credits English 4 Credits Social Studies 3 Credits Mathematics 3 Credits Science 1 Credit Fine Arts 1 Credit Health 3 Credits Physical Education 1 Credit Foreign Language sequence/elective credits	4 Credits English 4 Credits Social Studies 3 Credits Mathematics 3 Credits Science 1 Credit Fine Arts 1 Credit Health 3 Credits Physical Education 1 Credit Foreign Language sequence/elective credits	4 Credits English 4 Credits Social Studies 3 Credits Mathematics 3 Credits Science 1 Credit Fine Arts 1 Credit Health 3 Credits Physical Education *3 Credits Foreign Language sequence/elective credits
Total: 23 Credits	Total: 23 Credits	Total: 23 Credits

*To earn the advanced designation, the student must complete one of the following:

- (a) a language other than English (total of 3 credits)
- (b) 5 units of CTE or the arts to waive the foreign language requirement

Academic Intervention Services (AIS) is a state-mandated program intended to assist students who fall below the state learning standards. Identified students are required by New York State to participate in AIS. Students are typically scheduled during their activity period on an every other day basis.

Competency Requirements Class of 2013, 2014 (Subject to change based on NYS Board of Regents Approval)

Local Diploma Available only to students with disabilities, i.e., those with an IEP or 504 Plan**	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
Required Exams:	Required Exams:	Required Exams:
English Lang Arts Regents Exam passing score of 55-64	English Lang Arts Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	English Lang Arts Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above
Integrated Alg Regents Exam passing score of 55-64	Integrated Alg Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	Integrated Algebra Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above
		Geometry and Algebra II/Trig Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above
Global Studies Regents Exams passing score of 55-64	Global Studies Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	Global Studies Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above
U.S. History Regents Exam Passing score of 55-64	U.S. History Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	U.S. History Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above
Science Regents Exam passing score of 55-64	Science Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	Two Science Regents Exams passing score of 65 & above
		*Foreign Language Exam passing score of 65 & above

^{*}Students acquiring 5 specific units of credit in CTE or the Arts may be exempt.

^{**}The Safety Net option of passing the RCT's will continue to be available to classified students. In order for students with a 504 Plan to utilize the safety net option their 504 Plan must specifically state that the student is safety net eligible as determined by the committee.

Competency Requirements Class of 2015, 2016 (Subject to change based on NYS Board of Regents Approval)

Local Diploma Available only to students w/ disabilities, i.e. those with an IEP or 504 Plan	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
Required Exams	Required Exams:	Required Exams:
English Lang Arts Regents Exam Passing score of 55-64	English Lang Arts Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	English Lang Arts Regents Exampassing score of 65 & above
Integrated Alg Regents Exam Passing score of 55-64	Integrated Alg Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	Integrated Alg Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above
	-	Geometry and Algebra II/Trig Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above
Global Studies Regents Exam Passing score of 55-64	Global Studies Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	Global Studies Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above
U.S. History Regents Exam Passing score of 55-64	U.S. History Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	U.S. History Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above
Science Regents Exam Passing score of 55-64	Science Regents Exam passing score of 65 & above	Two Science Regents Exams passing score of 65 & above
		*Foreign Language Exam passing score of 65 & above

^{*}Students acquiring 5 specific units of credit in CTE or the Arts may be exempt.

Ref.: 8 NYCRR 100.1-100.7; 100.9

Matter of O'Neill, 29 EDR 297 (1990)

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