

Diploma Comparison Sheet

Department	Standard Diploma	Career/Vocational Diploma	State Diploma
Credits required	24	24	17.5
English	4.0 credits, including English 9, English 10, English 11, & 1.0 credit English electives	4.0 credits, including oral & written communications, literature, & grammar	4.0 credits, including oral & written communications, literature, & grammar
Physical Education	1.75 credits, including PE 9, PE Wellness, & 1.0 credit PE electives	1.5 credits	1.5 credits
Social Studies	4.0 credits, including US History, World History & Geography, American Government, Social Problems, Economics plus 0.5 credit* social studies elective (*OR Business & Personal Finance plus 1.0 credit social studies elective)	3.0 credits, including state & local government	3.0 credits, including state & local government
Math	3.0 credits	2.0 credits, including elements of algebra, geometry, & statistics *2017 graduates and beyond must have 3.0 credits of math	2.0 credits, including elements of algebra, geometry, & statistics *2017 graduates and beyond must have 3.0 credits of math
Science	3.0 credits, including Physical Science, Biology, & 1.0 credit science elective	2.0 credits, including biological & physical sciences *2017 graduates and beyond must have 3.0 credits of science	2.0 credits, including biological & physical sciences *2017 graduates and beyond must have 3.0 credits of science
Health	1.0 credit, including General Health, First Aid/CPR/AED & Wellness PE	0.5 credit (earned over the course of grades 7-12)	0.5 credit (earned over the course of grades 7-12)
Career/Vocational	N/A	1.0 credit	N/A
Electives	7.25 credits of non-specified electives	10.0 credits of non-specified electives *2017 graduates and beyond must have 8.0 credits of non-specified electives	4.5 credits of non-specified electives *2017 graduates and beyond must have 2.5 credits of non-specified electives