

Career & Technical Education Students: Credit Requirements

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	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
	MINIMUM NUMBER OF CREDITS	
English	8	8
Social Studies <i>Distributed as follows:</i> Global History (4) U.S. History (2) Participation in Government (1) Economics (1)	8	8
Science (including lab) <i>Distributed as follows:</i> Life Science (2) Physical Science (2) Life Science or Physical Science (2)	6	6
Mathematics Including at least 2 credits of advanced math (e.g., Geometry or Algebra II).	6	6
Language Other Than English (LOTE)	2	6 ¹
Visual Art, Music, Dance, and/or Theater	2	2
Physical Education (Every Year)	4	4
Health	1	1
Elective	7	3
Total	44	44

Look Ahead
In addition to earning a high school diploma, students can prepare for college and careers by successfully completing:
Subject-Specific Sequences
<p>Science: Eight (8) Regents-level credits, including a sequence that consists of at least three of the following: Living Environment, Chemistry, Physics, or AP Science</p> <p>Mathematics: Eight (8) Regents-level credits, including a sequence that consists of at least the following: Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II</p>
Advanced Courses
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced Placement (AP) courses Courses for college credit such as College Now or CUNY Early College International Baccalaureate (IB) courses NYCDOE-certified College Preparatory Courses²
<p>NOTE: The number of credits required for approved CTE sequences varies depending on the specific program of study. Students may therefore be required to earn more than 44 total credits in order to graduate with technical endorsement. CTE requirements are specified in Commissioner's Regulation 100.5(d)(6). A list of all approved CTE programs of study can be found at: www.p12.nysed.gov/cte/ctepolicy/approved.</p>

¹ Students completing Arts or CTE endorsements to the Advanced Regents diploma are required to complete only 2 credits of LOTE and are not required to take the LOTE exam. See reverse for more information about these endorsements.

² To learn more about NYCDOE-certified College Preparatory Courses, visit <http://schools.nyc.gov/Accountability/tools/report/default.htm>.

Career & Technical Education Students: Examination Requirements

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REGENTS EXAM	MINIMUM SCORES	
	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
Common Core English Language Arts (ELA) [†]	Passing score [^]	Passing score [^]
Common Core Math [†]	Passing score [^] on <u>one</u> math exam: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Algebra I, Geometry, OR Algebra II 	Passing score [^] on all <u>three</u> math exams: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Algebra I, Geometry, AND Algebra II
Global History and Geography	65 +	65 +
U.S. History and Government	65 +	65 +
Science	65+ on <u>one</u> science exam: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Living Environment, Earth Science, Chemistry, OR Physics 	65+ on <u>two</u> science exams: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Living Environment, AND Earth Science, Chemistry, OR Physics
NYC Language Other Than English (LOTE) Exam	Not required	65 +

Look Ahead

In addition to earning a high school diploma, students can demonstrate college and career readiness through the following achievements:

- Earn a score of 3+ on any Advanced Placement (AP) Exam
- Pass a course that earns college credit with a "C" or higher
- Earn an Advanced Regents diploma
- Earn a CTE diploma endorsement and/or pass an industry recognized technical assessment for licensure and/or certification
- Earn an Arts diploma endorsement
- Earn a score of 4+ on any International Baccalaureate (IB) Exam

Common Core Regents Exams

[†]Starting in 2013-14, New York State is aligning the ELA and math Regents exams to Common Core standards.

- Students who enter grade 9 in 2013-14 or thereafter must pass the Common Core aligned ELA Regents exam.
- Students who begin studying high school math (typically Algebra) in 2013-14 or thereafter must pass the Common Core aligned math Regents exam(s).

Through January 2015 only, students may take both the Common Core and non-Common Core math Regents exams; the higher score may be used to fulfill graduation requirements.

For more information about Common Core standards, see <http://schools.nyc.gov/Academics/CommonCoreLibrary/ForFamilies/default.htm>.

[^]Passing scores and college readiness indicators for these Regents exams will be determined after June 2014. See <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/assessment/hsgen/>.

Diploma Endorsements: Students may earn diploma designations recognizing the successful completion of additional courses and exams.

- Arts endorsement:** Students must complete 10 credits in one art form (visual arts, music, dance, or theater) and pass the corresponding arts assessment. Students earning an arts endorsement to the Advanced Regents diploma are required to earn 2 LOTE credits and are not required to pass the LOTE exam.
- CTE endorsement:** Students in approved CTE programs must meet alternative credit and assessment requirements. The number of total credits varies by sequence and may exceed 44. Students earning a CTE endorsement to the Advanced Regents diploma are required to earn 2 LOTE credits and are not required to pass the LOTE exam.
- Honors designation:** Students must earn an average of 90 or higher on the required Regents exams for their diploma type. As the Common Core Regents exams are introduced, the New York State Education Department may determine new score requirements for this endorsement.
- Mastery in Math (Advanced Regents diploma only):** Students must score 85 or higher on each of the three math Regents exams. The New York State Education Department may determine new score requirements for this endorsement for the Common Core Regents exams.
- Mastery in Science (Advanced Regents diploma only):** Students must score 85 or higher on each of three science Regents exams.

NOTE: Students with disabilities have additional options for fulfilling exam requirements. See <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/specialed/>.

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	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
	MINIMUM NUMBER OF CREDITS	
English	8	8
Social Studies <i>Distributed as follows:</i> Global History (4) U.S. History (2) Participation in Government (1) Economics (1)	8	8
Science (including lab) <i>Distributed as follows:</i> Life Science (2) Physical Science (2) Life Science or Physical Science (2)	6	6
Mathematics Including at least 2 credits of advanced math (e.g., Geometry or Algebra II).	6	6
Language Other Than English (LOTE)	2	6*
Visual Art, Music, Dance, and/or Theater	2	2
Physical Education (Every Year)	4	4
Health	1	1
Elective	7	3
Total	44 +	44 +

Look Ahead

In addition to earning a high school diploma, students can prepare for college and careers by successfully completing:

Subject-Specific Sequences

Science: Eight (8) Regents-level credits, including a sequence that consists of at least three of the following: Living Environment, Chemistry, Physics, or AP Science

Mathematics: Eight (8) Regents-level credits, including a sequence that consists of at least the following: Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II

Advanced Courses

- Advanced Placement (AP) courses
- Courses for college credit such as College Now or CUNY Early College
- International Baccalaureate (IB) courses
- NYCDOE-certified College Preparatory Courses**

NOTE: The number of credits required for approved CTE sequences varies depending on the specific program of study. Students may therefore be required to earn more than 44 total credits in order to graduate with technical endorsement. CTE requirements are specified in Commissioner's Regulation 100.5(d)(6). A list of all approved CTE programs of study can be found at: www.p12.nysed.gov/cte/ctepolicy/.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
For students entering 9th grade in 2013

*Students completing Arts or CTE endorsements to the Advanced Regents diploma are required to complete only 2 credits of LOTE and are not required to take the LOTE exam. See reverse for more information about these endorsements.

**To learn more about NYCDOE-certified College Preparatory Courses, visit <http://schools.nyc.gov/Accountability/tools/report/default.htm>.

Career & Technical Education Students: Examination Requirements†

These requirements apply only to students enrolled in an approved CTE Program of Study. Students meeting these requirements become eligible for a technical endorsement on their diploma. Students are advised to consult with their guidance counselor to confirm whether and how these requirements apply to them.

	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma	Look Ahead
REGENTS EXAM	MINIMUM SCORES		In addition to earning a high school diploma, students can demonstrate college and career readiness through the following achievements:
Common Core English Language Arts (ELA)†	Passing score^	Passing score^	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earn a score of 3+ on any Advanced Placement (AP) Exam • Pass a course that earns college credit with a "C" or higher • Earn an Advanced Regents diploma • Earn a CTE diploma endorsement and/or pass an industry recognized technical assessment for licensure and/or certification • Earn an Arts diploma endorsement • Earn a score of 4+ on any International Baccalaureate (IB) Exam
Common Core Math†	Passing score^ on <u>one</u> math exam: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algebra I, • Geometry, OR • Algebra II 	Passing score^ on all <u>three</u> math exams: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algebra I, • Geometry, AND • Algebra II 	
Global History and Geography	65 +	65 +	
U.S. History and Government	65 +	65 +	
Science	65+ on <u>one</u> science exam: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Living Environment, • Earth Science, • Chemistry, OR • Physics 	65+ on <u>two</u> science exams: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Living Environment, AND • Earth Science, • Chemistry, OR • Physics 	
NYC Language Other Than English (LOTE) Exam	Not required	65 +	
			Common Core Regents Exams †Starting in 2013-14, New York State is aligning the ELA and math Regents exams to Common Core standards. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students who enter grade 9 in 2013-14 or thereafter must pass the Common Core aligned ELA Regents exam. • Students who begin studying high school math (typically Algebra) in 2013-14 or thereafter must pass the Common Core aligned math Regents exam(s). For June and August 2014 only, students may fulfill exam requirements with either the Common Core or non-Common Core ELA and math Regents exams. For more information about Common Core standards, see http://schools.nyc.gov/Academics/CommonCoreLibrary/ForFamilies/default.htm . ^Passing scores and college readiness indicators for these Regents exams will be determined after June 2014. See http://www.p12.nysed.gov/assessment/hsgen/ .

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
For students entering 9th grade in 2013

Diploma Endorsements: Students may earn diploma designations recognizing the successful completion of additional courses and exams.

- **Arts endorsement:** Students must complete 10 credits in one art form (visual arts, music, dance, or theater) and pass the corresponding arts assessment. Students earning an arts endorsement to the Advanced Regents diploma are required to earn 2 LOTE credits and are not required to pass the LOTE exam.
- **CTE endorsement:** Students in approved CTE programs must meet alternative credit and assessment requirements. The number of total credits varies by sequence and may exceed 44. Students earning a CTE endorsement to the Advanced Regents diploma are required to earn 2 LOTE credits and are not required to pass the LOTE exam.
- **Honors designation:** Students must earn an average of 90 or higher on the required Regents exams for their diploma type. As the Common Core Regents exams are introduced, the New York State Education Department may determine new score requirements for this endorsement.
- **Mastery in Math (Advanced Regents diploma only):** Students must score 85 or higher on each of the three math Regents exams. The New York State Education Department may determine new score requirements for this endorsement for the Common Core Regents exams.
- **Mastery in Science (Advanced Regents diploma only):** Students must score 85 or higher on each of three science Regents exams.

NOTE: Students with disabilities have additional options for fulfilling exam requirements. See <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/special/>.

Career & Technical Education Students: Credit Requirements

These requirements apply only to students enrolled in a state-approved CTE Program of Study. Students meeting these requirements become eligible for a technical endorsement on their diploma. Students are advised to consult with their guidance counselor to confirm whether and how these requirements apply to them.

	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma	Look Ahead	
	MINIMUM NUMBER OF CREDITS		Subject-specific Sequences	Advanced Courses
English	8		<p>Science: 8 Regents-level credits, including a sequence that consists of at least three of the following: Living Environment, Chemistry, Physics, or AP Science</p> <p>Mathematics: 8 Regents-level credits, including a sequence that consists of at least the following: Integrated Algebra, Geometry, and Algebra 2/Trigonometry^^</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced Placement (AP) courses Courses for college credit such as College Now or CUNY Early College International Baccalaureate (IB) courses NYCDOE-certified College Preparatory Courses^^^
Social Studies	8			
Global History	4			
U.S. History	2			
Economics	1			
Participation in Government	1			
Science (including lab)	6*			
Life Science	2			
Physical Science	2			
Life Science or Physical Science	2			
Mathematics	6*			
Languages Other Than English (LOTE)	2	6**		
Visual Art, Music, Dance, and/or Theater	2^			
Health and Physical Education	5			
Physical Education	4			
Health Education	1			
Elective	7+			
Total	44+	44+		

Note: The number of credits required for state-approved CTE sequences varies depending on the specific program of study. Students may therefore be required to earn more than 44 total credits in order to graduate with technical endorsement.

Diploma Endorsements

- Students may earn an **Honors designation** on the Regents or Advanced Regents Diploma if they achieve a 90+ average on required Regents exams.
- ^Students may earn an **Arts endorsement** to the Regents or Advanced Regents Diploma if they complete 10 credits in one art form (dance, music, theater, or visual arts) and pass the corresponding Arts assessment.
- Students enrolled in New York State-approved Career and Technical Education (CTE) Programs must meet alternative credit and assessment requirements to earn a **CTE diploma endorsement**.

* No more than 4 credits may be awarded for any commencement-level math or science course designed to culminate in a Regents exam.
 ** Students completing Arts or CTE endorsements to the Advanced Regents Diploma are only required to complete 2 credits of a language other than English and are not required to take the LOTE Exam.
 ^^ Students admitted into CUNY programs for fall 2013 who do not pass these courses may be required to take non-credit bearing remediation classes (see www.cuny.edu/academics/testing/cuny-assessment-tests/faqs.html#1). These requirements are subject to change and may vary by campus. Visit www.cuny.edu/prepare for admissions information.
 ^^ To learn more about NYCDOE-certified College Preparatory Courses, visit: schools.nyc.gov/Accountability/tools/report/default.htm.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
 For students entering 9th grade in 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012

Career & Technical Education Students: Examination Requirements†

These requirements apply only to students enrolled in a State approved CTE Program of Study. Students meeting these requirements become eligible for a technical endorsement on their diploma. Students are advised to consult with their guidance counselor to confirm whether and how these requirements apply to them.

REGENTS REQUIREMENTS	MINIMUM SCORES		Look Ahead	
	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma	2012-13 City University of New York (CUNY) Minimum Indicators of College Readiness*^	Additional Measures
Comprehensive English Regents Exam	65 +	65 +	Earn a 75+ on English Regents Exam*^	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earn 3+ on any Advanced Placement (AP) Exam • Pass a course that earns college credit with a "C" or higher • Earn an Advanced Regents diploma • Earn an Arts diploma endorsement • Earn 4+ on any International Baccalaureate (IB) Exam
Mathematics Regents Exams***	65 + on any Math Regents Exam	65 + on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integrated Algebra • Geometry AND • Algebra 2/Trigonometry 	Earn 80+ on at least one applicable Math Regents Exam*^	
Global History and Geography Regents Exam	65 +	65 +		
U.S. History and Government Regents Exam	65 +	65 +		
Science Regents Exam	65 + on any Science Regents Exam	65 + on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Living Environment AND • Chemistry, Earth Science, or Physics 		
Languages other than English (LOTE) Exam		65 +		
Technical Assessment Exam Based on nationally recognized standards**	Passing Score	Passing Score		

****CTE Requirements are specified in Commissioner's Regulation 100.5(d)(6). A list of all approved CTE Programs of Study can be found at:**
www.p12.nysed.gov/cte/ctepolicy/approved.html

† Students may meet exam requirements for a Regents diploma by attaining certain scores on other types of examinations, such as Advanced Placement examinations, SAT Subject tests, and others. Students earning an Advanced Regents diploma and/or a diploma with an Honors designation may use up to two NYSED-approved alternative exams towards the diploma.

*^ Students may also demonstrate college readiness by meeting alternative CUNY testing requirements, including the SAT, ACT, and CUNY Assessment Test (CAT). Students admitted into CUNY programs for fall 2013 who do not meet these requirements may be required to take non-credit-bearing remediation classes. (See www.cuny.edu/academics/testing/cuny-assessment-tests/faqs.html#1.) These requirements are subject to change and may vary by campus. Visit www.cuny.edu/prepare for admissions information.

***Students who have passed Mathematics A or Mathematics B Regents Exams should refer to previous graduation requirements for alternative testing requirements. Mathematics A and Mathematics B were last administered in January 2009 and June 2010, respectively

NOTE: As of the class entering 9th grade in 2008, Local diplomas will not be an option for General Education Students. Students must pass all required Regents exams with a score of 65 or higher in order to obtain a Regents or Advanced Regents Diploma.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
 For students entering 9th grade in 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012

CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

STUDENTS ENTERING 9TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2008, SEPTEMBER 2009, SEPTEMBER 2010, AND SEPTEMBER 2011 • These requirements apply only to students enrolled in a State approved CTE Program of Study. Students meeting these requirements become eligible for a technical endorsement on their diploma. Students are advised to consult with their guidance counselor to confirm whether and how these requirements apply to them.

2008, 2009, 2010, AND 2011

	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
CREDIT REQUIREMENTS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS
English	8	8
Social Studies	8	8
Global History	4	4
American History	2	2
Economics	1	1
Participation in Government	1	1
Science (including lab)	6	6
Life Science	2	2
Physical Science	2	2
Life Science or Physical Science	2	2
Mathematics	6	6
Visual Art, Music, Dance, and /or Theater†	2	2
Second Language	2	6**
Health and Physical Education	5	5
Physical Education	4	4
Health Education	1	1
CTE Sequence/Electives*	7+	7+
Total	44+	44+

† Effective June 2007 students must earn two credits in the arts (visual art, music, dance and/or theater).

*Note: The number of credits required for State Approved CTE sequences varies depending on the specific program of study. These students may therefore be required to earn more than 44 total credits in order to graduate with technical endorsement.

	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
REGENTS EXAM REQUIREMENTS	SCORE	SCORE***
Comprehensive English	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics	1 Exam	2 Exams or 3 Exams
Integrated Algebra	65 or above or	65 or above*** or
Math A	65 or above or	65 or above*** and
Math B	65 or above or	65 or above*** or
Geometry	65 or above or	65 or above*** and
Algebra 2/Trigonometry	65 or above	65 or above***
Global History and Geography	65 or above	65 or above
U.S. History and Government	65 or above	65 or above
Science	65 or above (any science)	65 or above (1 life science)
Science		65 or above (1 physical science)
Language other than English		65 or above**

	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT	SCORE	SCORE
Technical Assessment Exam based on nationally recognized industry standards*	Pass	Pass

Note: As of the class entering 9th grade in 2008, local diplomas will not be an option for General Education Students. Students must pass all required Regents exams with a score of 65 in order to obtain a Regents or Advanced Regents diploma.

** Students completing a State Approved CTE Program of Study are only required to complete 2 credits of a second language and are not required to take the Regents exam in a Language other than English in order to receive a Regents diploma with advanced designation.

*** Advanced Regents Diploma:
 2 Exams: Math A and either $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Math B} \\ \text{or} \\ \text{Alg 2/Trig} \end{array} \right.$ | 3 Exams: either $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Int. Alg} \\ \text{or} \\ \text{Math A} \end{array} \right.$ and Geometry and Alg 2/Trig

* CTE Requirements specified in Commissioner's Regulation 100.5(d)(6).

A list of all approved CTE Programs of Study can be found at <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/cte/ctepolicy/approved.html>

Mathematics Regents Exam Implementation/Transition Timeline

Last administration of the Regents Examination in Mathematics A - January 2009
 Last administration of the Regents Examination in Mathematics B - June 2010

First administration of the Regents Examination in Integrated Algebra - June 2008
 First administration of the Regents Examination in Geometry - June 2009
 First administration of the Regents Examination in Algebra 2 and Trigonometry - June 2010

CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

STUDENTS ENTERING 9TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2007

These requirements apply only to those students who are taking a state approved GTE sequence that will end in a technical assessment. Students are advised to check with their guidance counselor to ensure these requirements apply to them.

	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
CREDIT REQUIREMENTS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS
English	8	8	8
Social Studies	8	8	8
Global History	4	4	4
American History	2	2	2
Economics	1	1	1
Participation in Government	1	1	1
Science (including lab)	6	6	6
Life Science	2	2	2
Physical Science	2	2	2
Life Science or Physical Science	2	2	2
Mathematics	6	6	6
Visual Art, Music, Dance and/or Theater [†]	2	2	2
Second Language	2	2	6*
Health and Physical Education	5	5	5
Physical Education	4	4	4
Health Education	1	1	1
CTE Sequence	7+	7+	7+
Total	44+	44+	44+

[†]Effective June 2007 students must earn two credits in the arts (visual art, music, dance and/or theater).

Note: Students taking certain state approved CTE Sequences may be required to take more than 7 credits in their CTE sequence. These students will therefore be required to earn more than 44 total credits in order to graduate with technical endorsement.

	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
REGENTS EXAM REQUIREMENTS	SCORE**	SCORE	SCORE***
Comprehensive English	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics			2 Exams or 3 Exams
Integrated Algebra I	55 or above** or	65 or above or	65 or above*** or
Math A	55 or above** or	65 or above or	65 or above*** and
Math B	55 or above** or	65 or above or	65 or above*** or
Geometry	55 or above** or	65 or above or	65 or above*** and
Algebra II/Trigonometry	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above***
Global History and Geography	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
U.S. History and Government	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
Science	55 or above** (any science)	65 or above (any science)	65 or above (life science)
Science			65 or above (physical science)
Language other than English			65 or above*
TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Technical Assessment Exam based on nationally recognized industry standards	Pass	Pass	Pass

*Students completing a 10 credit GTE sequence are only required to complete 2 credits of a second language and are not required to take the Regents in a Language other than English in order to receive a Regents diploma with advanced designation.

**Students entering the 9th grade in 2007 must pass 4 out of 5 required Regents with a 65 or above to receive a local diploma.

***Advanced Regents Diploma:
 2 Exams: Math A and either — [Math B or Alg 2/Trig] | 3 Exams: either — [Int. Alg or Math A] and Geometry and Alg 2/Trig.

Mathematics Regents Exam Implementation/Transition Timeline

Last administration of the Regents Examination in Mathematics A is January 2009
 Last administration of the Regents Examination in Mathematics B is June 2010

First administration of the Regents Examination in Integrated Algebra is June 2008

First administration of the Regents Examination in Geometry is June 2009

First administration of the Regents Examination in Algebra 2 and Trigonometry is June 2010



CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

STUDENTS ENTERING 9TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2006

These requirements apply only to those students who are taking a state approved CTE sequence that will end in a technical assessment. Students are advised to check with their guidance counselor to ensure these requirements apply to them.

	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
CREDIT REQUIREMENTS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS
English	8	8	8
Social Studies	8	8	8
Global History	4	4	4
American History	2	2	2
Economics	1	1	1
Participation in Government	1	1	1
Science (including lab)	6	6	6
Life Science	2	2	2
Physical Science	2	2	2
Life Science or Physical Science	2	2	2
Mathematics	6	6	6
Visual Art, Music, Dance and/or Theater [†]	2	2	2
Second Language	2	2	6*
Health and Physical Education	5	5	5
Physical Education	4	4	4
Health Education	1	1	1
CTE Sequence	7+	7+	7+
Total	44+	44+	44+

[†]Effective June 2007 students must earn two credits in the arts (visual art, music, dance and/or theater).

Note: Students taking certain state approved CTE Sequences may be required to take more than 7 credits in their CTE sequence. These students will therefore be required to earn more than 44 total credits in order to graduate with technical endorsement.

	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
REGENTS EXAM REQUIREMENTS	SCORE**	SCORE	SCORE
Comprehensive English	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics A	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics B			65 or above
Global History and Geography	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
U.S. History and Government	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
Science	55 or above** (any science)	65 or above (any science)	65 or above (life science)
Science			65 or above (physical science)
Language other than English			65 or above*
TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Technical Assessment Exam based on nationally recognized industry standards	Pass	Pass	Pass

*Students completing a 10 credit CTE sequence are only required to complete 2 credits of a second language and are not required to take the Regents in a Language other than English in order to receive a Regents diploma with advanced designation.

**Students entering the 9th grade in 2006 must pass 3 out of 5 required Regents with a 65 or above to receive a local diploma.

Mathematics Regents Exam Implementation/Transition Timeline

Last administration of the Regents Examination in Mathematics A is January 2009
Last administration of the Regents Examination in Mathematics B is June 2010

First administration of the Regents Examination in Integrated Algebra is June 2008

First administration of the Regents Examination in Geometry is June 2009

First administration of the Regents Examination in Algebra 2 and Trigonometry is June 2010



CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

STUDENTS ENTERING 9TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2005

These requirements apply only to those students who are taking a state approved CTE sequence that will end in a technical assessment. Students are advised to check with their guidance counselor to ensure these requirements apply to them.

	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
CREDIT REQUIREMENTS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS
English	8	8	8
Social Studies	8	8	8
Global History	4	4	4
American History	2	2	2
Economics	1	1	1
Participation in Government	1	1	1
Science (including lab)	6	6	6
Life Science	2	2	2
Physical Science	2	2	2
Life Science or Physical Science	2	2	2
Mathematics	6	6	6
Visual Art, Music, Dance and/or Theater [†]	2	2	2
Second Language	2	2	6*
Health and Physical Education	5	5	5
Physical Education	4	4	4
Health Education	1	1	1
CTE Sequence	7+	7+	7+
Total	44+	44+	44+

[†]Effective June 2007 students must earn two credits in the arts (visual art, music, dance and/or theater).

Note: Students taking certain state approved CTE Sequences may be required to take more than 7 credits in their CTE sequence. These students will therefore be required to earn more than 44 total credits in order to graduate with technical endorsement.

	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
REGENTS EXAM REQUIREMENTS	SCORE**	SCORE	SCORE
Comprehensive English	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics A	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics B			65 or above
Global History and Geography	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
U.S. History and Government	55 or above**	65 or above	65 or above
Science	55 or above** (any science)	65 or above (any science)	65 or above (life science)
Science			65 or above (physical science)
Language other than English			65 or above*
TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Technical Assessment Exam based on nationally recognized industry standards	Pass	Pass	Pass

*Students completing a 10 credit CTE sequence are only required to complete 2 credits of a second language and are not required to take the Regents in a Language other than English in order to receive a Regents diploma with advanced designation.

**Students entering the 9th grade in 2005 must pass 2 out of 5 required Regents with a 65 or above to receive a local diploma.

Mathematics Regents Exam Implementation/Transition Timeline

Last administration of the Regents Examination in Mathematics A is January 2009
Last administration of the Regents Examination in Mathematics B is June 2010

First administration of the Regents Examination in Integrated Algebra is June 2008

First administration of the Regents Examination in Geometry is June 2009

First administration of the Regents Examination in Algebra 2 and Trigonometry is June 2010



CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

STUDENTS ENTERING 9TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2004

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	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
CREDIT REQUIREMENTS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS
English	8	8	8
Social Studies	8	8	8
Global History	4	4	4
American History	2	2	2
Economics	1	1	1
Participation in Government	1	1	1
Science (including lab)	6	6	6
Life Science	2	2	2
Physical Science	2	2	2
Life Science or Physical Science	2	2	2
Mathematics	6	6	6
Visual Art, Music, Dance and/or Theater ¹	2	2	2
Second Language	2	2	6*
Health and Physical Education	5	5	5
Physical Education	4	4	4
Health Education	1	1	1
CTE Sequence	7+	7+	7+
Total	44+	44+	44+

¹Effective June 2007 students must earn two credits in the arts (visual art, music, dance and/or theater).

Note: Students taking certain state approved CTE Sequences may be required to take more than 7 credits in their CTE sequence. These students will therefore be required to earn more than 44 total credits in order to graduate with technical endorsement.

	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
REGENTS EXAM REQUIREMENTS	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Comprehensive English	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics A	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics B			65 or above
Global History and Geography	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
U.S. History and Government	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Science	55 or above (any science)	65 or above (any science)	65 or above (life science)
Science			65 or above (physical science)
Language other than English			65 or above*
	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Technical Assessment Exam based on nationally recognized industry standards	Pass	Pass	Pass

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CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

STUDENTS ENTERING 9TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2003

These requirements apply only to those students who are taking a state approved CTE sequence that will end in a technical assessment. Students are advised to check with their guidance counselor to ensure these requirements apply to them.

	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
CREDIT REQUIREMENTS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS
English	8	8	8
Social Studies	8	8	8
Global History	4	4	4
American History	2	2	2
Economics	1	1	1
Participation in Government	1	1	1
Science (including lab)	6	6	6
Life Science	2	2	2
Physical Science	2	2	2
Life Science or Physical Science	2	2	2
Mathematics	6	6	6
Visual Art, Music, Dance and/or Theater ¹	2	2	2
Second Language	2	2	6*
Health and Physical Education	5	5	5
Physical Education	4	4	4
Health Education	1	1	1
CTE Sequence	7+	7+	7+
Total	44+	44+	44+

¹Effective June 2007 students must earn two credits in the arts (visual art, music, dance and/or theater).

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	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
REGENTS EXAM REQUIREMENTS	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Comprehensive English	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics A	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics B			65 or above
Global History and Geography	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
U.S. History and Government	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Science	55 or above (any science)	65 or above (any science)	65 or above (life science)
Science			65 or above (physical science)
Language other than English			65 or above*
	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Technical Assessment Exam based on nationally recognized industry standards	Pass	Pass	Pass

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CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

STUDENTS ENTERING 9TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2002

These requirements apply only to those students who are taking a state approved CTE sequence that will end in a technical assessment. Students are advised to check with their guidance counselor to ensure these requirements apply to them.

	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
CREDIT REQUIREMENTS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS
English	8	8	8
Social Studies	8	8	8
Global History	4	4	4
American History	2	2	2
Economics	1	1	1
Participation in Government	1	1	1
Science (including lab)	6	6	6
Life Science	2	2	2
Physical Science	2	2	2
Life Science or Physical Science	2	2	2
Mathematics	6	6	6
Visual Art, Music, Dance and/or Theater ¹	2	2	2
Second Language	2	2	6*
Health and Physical Education	5	5	5
Physical Education	4	4	4
Health Education	1	1	1
CTE Sequence	7+	7+	7+
Total	44+	44+	44+

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	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
REGENTS EXAM REQUIREMENTS	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Comprehensive English	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics A	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics (one of the following sequences)			65 or above
If student completed Mathematics A:			
- Take Mathematics B or,			
- Take Course III (final administration Jan. '04)			
If student completed Course I and Course II			
- Take Course III (final administration Jan. '04)			
Global History and Geography	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
U.S. History and Government	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Science	55 or above (any science)	65 or above (any science)	65 or above (life science)
Science			65 or above (physical science)
Language other than English			65 or above*
TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Technical Assessment Exam based on nationally recognized industry standards	Pass	Pass	Pass

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CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

STUDENTS ENTERING 9TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2001

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	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
CREDIT REQUIREMENTS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS	# OF CREDITS
English	8	8	8
Social Studies	8	8	8
Global History	4	4	4
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Economics	1	1	1
Participation in Government	1	1	1
Science (including lab)	6	6	6
Life Science	2	2	2
Physical Science	2	2	2
Life Science or Physical Science	2	2	2
Mathematics	6	6	6
Visual Art, Music, Dance and/or Theater [†]	2	2	2
Second Language	2	2	6*
Health and Physical Education	5	5	5
Physical Education	4	4	4
Health Education	1	1	1
CTE Sequence	7+	7+	7+
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[†]Effective June 2007 students must earn two credits in the arts (visual art, music, dance and/or theater).

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	Local Diploma	Regents Diploma	Advanced Regents Diploma
REGENTS EXAM REQUIREMENTS	SCORE	SCORE	SCORE
Comprehensive English	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics (one of the following sequences)	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
- Mathematics A			
- Course I (final administration Jan. '02) and Course II (final administration Jan. '03)			
- Course I (final administration Jan. '02) and Mathematics A			
Mathematics (one of the following sequences)			65 or above
If student completed Mathematics A:			
- Take Mathematics B or,			
- Take Course III (final administration Jan. '04)			
If student completed Course I and Course II			
- Take Course III (final administration Jan. '04)			
Global History and Geography	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
U.S. History and Government	55 or above	65 or above	65 or above
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