

# CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

STUDENTS ENTERING 9TH GRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2008, SEPTEMBER 2009, AND SEPTEMBER 2010

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
<b>CREDIT REQUIREMENTS</b>	<b># OF CREDITS</b>	<b># OF CREDITS</b>
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
Math	6	6
Visual Art, Music, Dance and/or Theater <sup>†</sup>	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+
<b>Total</b>	<b>44+</b>	<b>44+</b>

<sup>†</sup>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
<b>REGENTS EXAM REQUIREMENTS</b>	<b>SCORE</b>	<b>SCORE</b>
Comprehensive English	65 or above	65 or above
Mathematics	1 Exam	2 Exams or 3 Exams
Integrated Algebra I	65 or above or	65 or above*** or
Math A	65 or above or	65 or above*** and 65 or above*** and
Math B	65 or above or	65 or above*** or
Geometry	65 or above or	65 or above*** and
Algebra II/Trigonometry	65 or above	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
<b>TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT</b>	<b>SCORE</b>	<b>SCORE</b>
Technical Assessment Exam based on nationally recognized industry standards*	Pass	Pass

Note: Local diplomas are no longer an option for General Education students beginning with cohort 2008. Students must pass all required regents exams with a 65 for Regents and Advanced Regents Diplomas.

\*\*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 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.

#### 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

\* 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.emsc.nysed.gov/cte/ctepolicy/approved.html>



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