

Graduation Requirements

WHAT IS REQUIRED TO GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL?
HOW IS THAT DIFFERENT FROM WHAT IS REQUIRED TO BE ADMITTED TO COLLEGE?

Subject Area	CA High School Graduation	Aspire Requirements	UC/CSU Admission Requirements A-G Requirements	My College Choice
Social Studies (A)	2 years (20 credits)	3 years (30 credits)	3 years	
English Language Arts (B)	4 Years (40 credits)	4 years (40 credits)	4 years	
Mathematics (c)	2 years (20 credits)	2 years min. (20 credits)	3 years min for UC 4 years preferred 2 years min for CSU Must Include Alg 1 and Geometry	
Science (D)	2 years (20 credits)	2 years with lab	2 years min with lab 3 years preferred	
World Language (E)	1 year of VPA or LOTE	2 years (20 credits)	2 years 3 years preferred *Must be the same language	
Visual & Performing Arts (F)	1 year of VPA or LOTE	1 year (10 credits)	1 year (10 credits)	
Electives (G)	40 credits	40 credits	1 year of college prep elective	
Physical Education	2 years (20 credits)	0	0	
College Units		9 college credits (3 classes)		
Exams		PSAT, SAT, ACT	SAT, ACT	
GPA	No minimum requirement	2.0 minimum	CSU 2.0, UC 3.0	