

MINIMUM GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS FRESHMAN CLASSES 2018-2019 THROUGH 2020-2021

YEAR	MINIMUM NUMBER OF CREDITS	ENGLISH/ LANGUAGE ARTS	SOCIAL STUDIES	MATHEMATICS	SCIENCE	OTHER CREDITS	GRADE 10 EXAMS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
GRADE NINE STUDENTS ENTERING 2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR	22 credits	Four credits: English I, II, III, and IV	Three credits	Three credits: Algebra I, Geometry, and Algebra II; A mathematics course or equivalent will be taken each year of high school	Three credits	1/2 credit: Health 1/2 credit: Physical Education One credit: visual/performing arts	Counts only toward accountability spring of 2020	Civics test; demonstrated performance based competency in technology; seven elective credits
GRADE NINE STUDENTS ENTERING 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR	22 credits	Four credits: English I, II, and two other personalized credits covering the remaining required KAS for Reading and Writing	Three credits	Four credits: Algebra I, Geometry, and two other personalized credits covering the remaining required KAS for Mathematics	Three credits	1/2 credit: Health 1/2 credit: Physical Education (one of which shall provide CPR training) One credit: visual/performing arts	Counts only toward accountability spring of 2021	Civics test; Complete at least one graduation qualifier listed in 704 KAR 3:305; demonstrated performance based competency in technology; six elective credits
GRADE NINE STUDENTS ENTERING 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR	22 credits	Four credits: English I, II, and two other personalized credits covering the remaining required KAS for Reading and Writing	Three credits	Four credits: Algebra I, Geometry, and two other personalized credits covering the remaining required KAS for Mathematics	Three credits	1/2 credit: Health 1/2 credit: Physical Education (one of which shall provide CPR training) One credit: visual/performing arts	For graduation and accountability spring of 2022 (This is only one option for demonstrating the prerequisites)	Civics test; Financial literacy standards program or course; Complete at least one graduation qualifier and meet at least one graduation prerequisite listed in 704 KAR 3:305; demonstrated performance based competency in technology; six elective credits

All required courses must be aligned to the Kentucky Academic Standards. These are state minimum standards and additional requirements may vary by district.

