

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Beginning with the graduating class of 2021, no student shall be awarded a diploma from Weston County School District No. 7 high school unless the student has successfully completed the following components, as evidenced by passing grades or by the successful performance on competency-based equivalency examinations:

- (A) four (4) credits of English;
- (B) three (3) credits of mathematics
- (C) three (3) credits of science;
- (D) three (3) credits of social studies, including United States history, American government, and either geography or world history;
- (E) one (1) credit of 9th grade health/physical education
- (F) one (1) credit of fine arts
- (G) Students must have at least 2 credits in a single career pathway.

15 credits

9 other elective credits

24 Total Credits

English – English I, English II, English III, (Choices: English IV or English 1010)

Mathematics – Algebra I, Geometry (Choices: Algebra II/Standards Math, Precalc, Algebra/Trig, College Math (MATH 1400, MATH 1000).

Science – Physical Science, Biology, (Choices: Forensics, Anatomy, Physics, Chemistry, Intro to Coding/Coding).

Social Studies – World History or Geography, U.S. History, American Government.

The principal may make a decision to substitute a class that is equivalent or higher for a required class. (i.e. Substituting an AP class or college class for a regular high school class.)

In addition thereto, the school district, in consultation with the State Board of Education, shall establish requirements for students to earn a high school diploma as evidenced by course completion and as measured by the school district's assessment system prescribed by rule and regulation of the State Board and required under W.S. 21-3-110(a)(xxiv).

The district may also make such other arrangements for special education students as are not inconsistent with the law, which are in accordance with the district's rules and regulations governing programs for handicapped children, including making provision to recognize those students who have met the requirements of their individualized educational plan but cannot receive a diploma reflecting completion of the state mandated graduation requirements.

Arrangements may be made with the school principal to enroll in courses not offered by the school district when available and receive credit towards graduation requirements. Costs of such courses shall be paid by the student unless provisions are otherwise made by administrative regulation for the school to pre-approve and pay for such courses.

REVISED POLICY

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