

Graduation Requirements

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (District 127 Board of Education Policy 6:300)

The Board of Education determines high school graduation requirements that will provide each student ample opportunity to achieve the goals for which the School District exists and that meet the minimum graduation requirements contained in State law. Unless otherwise exempted, each student must successfully accomplish the following in order to graduate from high school:

Applied Arts (CTE)	½ year	0.5 unit
Consumer Education*	½ year	0.5 unit
Driver Education	½ year	0.5 unit
English	4 years	4.0 units
Fine Arts	1 year	1.0 units
Health Education	½ year	0.5 unit
Mathematics	3 years	3.0 units
Physical Education	3 ½ years	3.5 units
Science	2 years	2.0 units
Social Studies	3 years	3.0 units
➤ 1.0 unit World History or equivalent (required)		
➤ 1.0 unit US History (required)		
➤ 0.5 unit Government & Civics (required)		
➤ 0.5 unit Elective (required)		
➤ Must pass Illinois and Federal Constitution Test		
Electives		4.5 units

A total of 23.0 Carnegie Units are required for graduation.

*The following courses satisfy the requirement for Consumer Education:

- Career Education & Work Experience (CEWE) (full year required)
- Economics
- Economics AP (full year required)
- Personal Finance

Students must:

- Pass physical education every semester in which they are enrolled except in the semester they are enrolled in Health or when they are exempted by Board policy
- Take the state assessment which measures college and career readiness, unless the student is exempt according to 105 ILCS 5/2-3.64a
- Complete the FAFSA form or waive the requirement in order to graduate