

**Class of 2027, 2028, 2029 & 2030**  
**Graduation Requirements vs.**  
**A-G/College Admission Requirements (UC & CSU)**

Subject	High School Graduation Requirements	A - G	UC and CSU Admission (minimum) Requirements
<b>Social Science</b>	3 years (30 credits)	<b>A</b>	2 years
<b>English</b>	4 years (40 credits)	<b>B</b>	4 years
<b>Mathematics</b>	3 years (30 credits) <i>Minimum of Algebra 1 &amp; Geometry</i>	<b>C</b>	3 years (Must complete Algebra 2) (UC recommends 4 years)
<b>Science</b>	2 years (20 credits) <i>1 Biological Science &amp; 1 Physical Science</i>	<b>D</b>	2 years (Must be lab classes) (UC recommends 3 years)
<b>LOTE</b> Language Other Than English	2 year (20 credits) <i>Options Include: LOTE, VAPA, or CTE</i>	<b>E</b>	2 years (UC recommends 3 years)
<b>VAPA / CTE</b> Visual and Performing Arts / Career Technical Education		<b>F</b>	1 year (VAPA)
<b>Electives</b>	70 Credits	<b>G</b>	1 year (College Prep Elective)
<b>Physical Education</b>	2 years (20 credits)		
<b>Health Education</b>	.5 years (5 credits)		
<b>Technology Education</b>	.5 years (minimum 5 credits) <i>ICT Foundations (5 credits) or Exploring Computer Science (10 credits)</i>		
<b>Total credits required to graduate High School: 240</b>  170 Core Credits (required subjects) <u>+70 Elective Credits</u> = 240		<b>For college preparedness, please keep in mind:</b>  A-G classes must be passed with a “C” or better  SAT/ACT score may be required by “4-year” colleges (check private & out-of-state admission requirements)  Many colleges consider extracurricular activities in admission decisions.	

Last updated: 10/27/25. Subject to change.

Students may reference “CSU-UC Comparison of Minimum Freshman Admission Requirements” here:  
<https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/counselors/files/documents/csu-uc-a-g-comparison-matrix.pdf>