



High School Diploma

Description

The high school diploma is the evidence of successfully completing the basic education required by law in order to earn a high school diploma.

- Students must complete specified state and local graduation requirements
- These requirements vary among school districts
- Students will complete required classes
- The cost to complete required classes from Adult School will vary
- Supports eligibility for all branches military service

Note — Graduation requirements may vary by district

What You Need to Do

Complete the following:

- Three years of English
- Two years of mathematics (including Algebra I)
- Three years of social science (including U.S. history and geography; world history, culture, and geography; one semester of American government; and one semester of economics)
- Two years of science (including biology and physical science)
- One year of foreign language or visual and performing arts or commencing with the 2012–13 school year, career technical education. For purpose of satisfying the minimum course requirement, a course in American Sign Language shall be deemed a course in foreign language.