## **Academic Credits and Graduation**

In grades nine through twelve, a minimum of two hundred and fifty hours of work must be completed with passing grades, and the following specific requirements must be included with passing grades. Specific requirements failed must be taken again with non-failing grade received regardless of whether the total hours completed meet requirements or not. Such classes may be completed through on-line, accredited, credit-recovery or re-registration at the high school.

Each student must have completed, with passing grades, the following courses:

**40 Hours in English:** One Full Year of English/Language Arts must be taken each year of high school. Speech will be embedded into the English Curriculum.

30 Hours in Mathematics: Must take 3 full years of Mathematics in grades 9-12.

**30 Hours in Social Studies:** Generally, students will enroll in American History as Freshman; World History as Sophomores; American Government as Juniors. However, a student may meet graduation requirements of 30 Hours in social studies through courses that are approved by administration as a substitute for the above schedule.

**30 Hours in Science:** Generally, students will enroll in Physical Science as freshman; Biology as sophomores; Chemistry as Juniors. However, a student may meet graduation requirements of 30 Hours in Science through courses that are approved by administration as a substitute for the above schedule.

**5 Hours in Computer Literacy:** Beginning with the 2024-2025 School year Sophomores will be required to take 1 semester of Computer Science and Technology Courses that meet the requirements outlined in LB1112 and LB705.

**40 Hours in Career or Technical Education:** All freshman will enroll in to Intro to Agricultural Sciences for 1 full year. All Seniors will enroll in Agricultural Economics and Personal Finance to meet the Financial Literacy Requirements outlined in LB705 and LB 452

## 30 Hours of Fine Arts.

**10 Hours of Physical Education & Health.** All freshman will enroll in Physical Education I and Health for an entire year.

**40 Hours of Electives** 

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