



STUDENT _____ ID # _____ CLASS OF _____ HIGH SCHOOL _____ DATE _____

CCS Diploma of Graduation: Students must successfully complete courses and earn a minimum of 22 credits in the categories below. They must also meet the requirements of at least one of the testing options below to show that they are college or career ready. Diploma of Graduation credit requirements are listed in parentheses. Up to 2.0 electives may be taken during students' 8th grade year for high school credit. P.E. 2 and Health are permitted to be scheduled in grades 9-12 only. World Languages are recommended but not required for graduation. Students may and are encouraged to pursue more rigorous diploma and certification types identified below. Please meet with the school counselor to understand options and use this form to track progress.

TOTAL CREDITS	English (4.0)	Math (4.0)	Social Studies (3.0)	Science Physical, Biological, and Advanced (3.0)	Academic Elective Science or Social Studies (1.0)	Physical Education (0.5)	Health (0.5)	Fine Arts (1.0)	Technology (1.0)	General Electives (3.0)	Internship (1.0) 120 hours required
22											
8 th Grade											
9 th Grade											
10 th Grade											
11 th Grade											
12 th Grade											

CREDITS COMPLETED

Option 1: Ohio's State Tests (OST): Earn at least 18 points on seven end-of-course state tests. End-of-course tests are: English I, English II, Integrated Math I, Integrated Math II, Biology (or Phys. Sci. for class of 2018), American Government, and American History. Minimum of four points in math, four points in English and six points across science and social studies. Your school and district receive grades on the Ohio School Report Cards for all students' scores and participation on state tests.

Option 2: Industry Credential and Workforce Readiness Tests: Earn a minimum of 12 points by receiving a State Board of Education-approved, industry-recognized credential or group of credentials in a single career field and earn a 13 on WorkKeys, a work-readiness test. The state of Ohio will pay one time for you to take the WorkKeys test.

Option 3: College and Career Readiness Tests: Earn the "remediation-free" scores* on either SAT or ACT. Required SAT scores: Writing - 430 or higher, Mathematics - 520 or higher, Reading - 450 or higher. Required ACT scores: English - 18 or higher, Mathematics - 22 or higher, Reading - 22 or higher. CCS has chosen the ACT for all students in the district to take for free during a one-time statewide spring administration in grade 11. *Please note: Ohio's university presidents set these scores, which are subject to change.

SCORES: ACT _____ English _____ Math _____ Reading _____ SAT: _____ Writing _____ Math _____ Reading _____

Diploma and Certification Type (awarded based on completed courses)

Diploma of Graduation: Earn all 22 required credits indicated in parentheses and meet at least one of the College and Career Readiness requirements above.

Diploma of Distinction: Earn at least 24 credits, meet the CCS Diploma of Graduation requirements and have four (4.0) credits in Social Studies, four (4.0) credits in Science, and three (3.0) credits in the same world language which may replace three (3.0) General Elective credits.

Diploma with Honors: Awarded to students who meet criteria set by the state of Ohio. There are three types of Honors Diplomas. —see ODE's "Comparison of Diplomas with Honors Criteria"

Certification of College Preparatory: Awarded to students who meet CCS Diploma of Graduation requirements and have two (2.0) credits in the same World Language

Certification of Specialization: Awarded to students who earn five or more credits in any one specific area of study - academic or elective.

SPECIALIZATIONS:

Student Signature _____ Parent Signature _____ Counselor Signature _____