



Sachem Central School District

# Curriculum Night





# Graduation Requirements - 22 Credits

English - 4 Credits

Social Studies - 4 Credits

Mathematics - 3 Credits

Science - 3 Credits

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- 1 Credit - (Regents Diploma)
- 3 Credits - (Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation)

PE - 2 Credits (.5 yearly)

Art/Music - 1 Credit

Health - .5

Electives

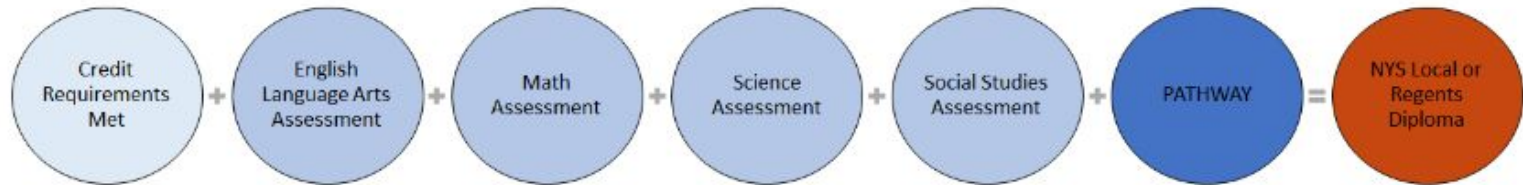
- 3.5 Credits (Regents Diploma)
- 1.5 Credits (Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation)






# Multiple Pathways to Graduation

Multiple pathways recognize the importance of engaging students in rigorous and relevant academic programs. The pathway options recognize students' interests in the Arts, Career and Technical Education (CTE), Career Development and Occupational Studies (CDOS), Civics, Humanities, Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM), and World Languages by allowing an approved pathway to satisfy students' graduation requirements.



Under the “4+1” pathway assessment option, students must take and pass four required Regents Exams or [Department-Approved Alternative](#)  assessments (one in each of the following subjects: English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies) and complete a comparably rigorous pathway to meet the fifth assessment requirement for graduation.

**Pathways include Arts, Career and Technical Ed (CTE), CDOS, (new!) Civics, Humanities, STEM and World Languages**





# Electives

- We offer a wide selection of electives in the areas of English, Math, Social Studies, Science, Art, Music, Health, Family Consumer Science, World Languages, Business and Technology.
- The “Guidance Handbook” will be finalized by early December when students meet with their counselors to review schedule choices for next year.
- Discuss elective options/recommendations with your teachers and counselors.
- Choose backup elective options! You may not be able to get your first choice!



## Helpful Hints

- Enroll in the most demanding level of course work that you are able to handle.
- Use your teachers as a guide to help you identify the next best course for you.
- Continue to take core academic courses even when you have fulfilled the state requirements.
- Fill up your 9 period day. Taking a lunch is highly recommended.
- CHALLENGE YOURSELF!



# Links to Student Portal and Course Videos

[Student Portal on eSchool](#)



[Course Videos](#)

