Student Academic Achievement

Graduation Requirements

The graduation requirements set out in this policy will apply to the Class of 2010. Students who will be in the ninth (9th) grade for the 2006-07 must adjust their schedules for each school year beginning 2006-07 to satisfy the minimum requirements for high school graduation in 2010.

The minimum graduation requirements effective for the Class of 2010 are as follows:

Communication Arts		4 units
Social Studies		3 units
Mathematics		3 units
Science		3 units
Fine Arts		1 unit
Practical Arts		1 unit
Physical Education		1 unit
Health Education		¹∕₂ unit
Personal Finance		¹∕₂ unit
Electives		7 units
	Total	24 units

These are minimum requirements set fourth by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary education. For the Central R-III requirements for graduation, consult the high school student handbook for individual preparatory graduation requirements.

The District will accept courses offered through Missouri's K-12 Virtual Instructional Program (MoVIP) as units of credit meeting state and local graduation requirements provided however the quantity and quality of completed student works meets standards applicable to the District's traditional program. (See Policy Virtual Instruction Program).

Eligible students as defined in Regulation 2525 may pursue a timely graduation from high school through the School Flex Program. Eligible students participating in the School Flex Program will be considered full-time students.