

| <b>General Diploma</b>   | <b>Core 40 Diploma</b>  | <b>Core 40 With Honors Diploma</b>   |
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| <b>English</b> – 8 Credits   | <b>English</b> – 8 Credits  | <b>English</b> – 8 Credits   |
| <b>Math</b> – 6 Credits:<br>Must be earned by completing 3 full year courses including Algebra 1   | <b>Math</b> – 6 Credits:<br>2 Credits in Algebra 1<br>2 Credits in Geometry<br>2 Credits in Algebra 2   | <b>Math</b> – 8 Credits:<br>2 Credits in Algebra 1<br>2 Credits in Geometry<br>2 Credits in Algebra 2<br>2 Credits in Probability/Statistics, Trigonometry/Pre-Calculus, or Calculus   |
| <b>Science</b> – 6 Credits:<br>Must be earned by completing 3 full year courses including Biology and at least one physical science course such as Earth/Space Science   | <b>Science</b> – 6 Credits:<br>2 Credits in Biology<br><br>2 Credits in Chemistry, Physics, or Integrated Chemistry/Physics<br>2 Additional credits from above or any Core 40 science i.e. E/S Science, Chemistry 2, or Biology 2 | <b>Science</b> – 6 Credits:<br>2 Credits in Biology<br><br>2 Credits in Chemistry, Physics, or Integrated Chemistry/Physics<br>2 Additional credits from above or any Core 40 science i.e. E/S Science, Chemistry 2, or Biology 2  |
| <b>Social Studies</b> – 5 Credits:<br>2 Credits: US History<br>1 Credit: US Government<br>1 Credit: Senior Social Studies<br>1 Credit: World History or Geography/History of the World   | <b>Social Studies</b> – 6 Credits:<br>2 Credits in US History<br>1 Credit in US Government<br>1 Credit in Economics<br>2 Credits in World History or Geography/History of the World   | <b>Social Studies</b> – 6 Credits:<br>2 Credits in US History<br>1 Credit in US Government<br>1 Credit in Economics<br>2 Credits in World History or Geography/History of the World  |
| <b>Physical Education</b> – 2 Credits  | <b>Physical Education</b> – 2 Credits   | <b>Physical Education</b> – 2 Credits  |
| <b>Health and Wellness</b> – 1 Credit  | <b>Health and Wellness</b> – 1 Credit   | <b>Health and Wellness</b> – 1 Credit  |
| <b>Career Academic Sequence</b> – 6 Credits: Electives selected in a deliberate manner to take advantage of career exploration and preparation opportunities.<br><br>Career Academic Sequence Examples:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◁ Any 1 or 2 year program at Central 9 Career Center</li> <li>◁ Any combination of 6 credits earned in the following departments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Family/Consumer Science</li> <li>○ Business Education</li> <li>○ Technology Education</li> </ul> </li> </ul> Note: Career Planning and beginning level computers may count as 2 of the 6 Career Academic Sequence credits. The other 4 credits will be earned as indicated above. | <b>Directed Electives</b> – Any combination of 5 credits earned in the following areas:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◁ World Languages</li> <li>◁ Fine Arts*</li> <li>◁ Career/Technical</li> </ul>                  | <b>World Languages</b> – 6 or 8 Credits:<br>6 Credits in one language or<br>8 Credits in two different languages   |
|  |   | <b>Fine Arts</b> – 2 Credits*<br><b>Other</b> – Must have one of the following:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◁ 2 AP courses and corresponding AP exams</li> <li>◁ 2 ACP courses for 6 college credits</li> <li>◁ 1 AP course and exam and 1 ACP course for 3 college credits</li> <li>◁ 1200 SAT Verbal and Math</li> <li>◁ 26 ACT composite</li> </ul> |
|  |   | <b>Grade/GPA Requirements:</b><br>C- or above in all courses that count toward the Core 40 With Honors diploma and an overall B (3.00) average.  |
| <b>Electives</b> – For a total of 42 credits   | <b>Electives</b> – For a total of 42 credits  | <b>Electives</b> – For a total of 47 credits   |
| *Fine arts include any art class, photography, any choral music class, any instrumental music class, Dance Performance, Music Theory & Composition, Music History, Piano & Electronic Keyboarding, or Theatre Arts.  |   |  |