

Mt. Diablo Unified School District

High School Graduation Requirements Overview

Class of 2014 Graduation Requirements

- ▶ 200 credits total (Comprehensive high schools)
- ▶ English 40 credits
- ▶ Social Studies 30 credits
- ▶ Math 20 credits*
- ▶ Science 20 credits (10 Biological, 10 Physical)
- ▶ PE 20 credits
- ▶ VAPA or World Languages 10 credits
- ▶ Electives 60 credits

* Must include Algebra I

- ▶ Alt Ed and Adult Ed 180 credits total (no PE requirement)

Class of 2015 Graduation Requirements

- ▶ 210 credits total (Comprehensive high schools)
- ▶ English 40 credits
- ▶ Social Studies 30 credits
- ▶ Math 20 or 30 credits*
- ▶ Science 20 credits (10 Biological, 10 Physical)
- ▶ PE 20 credits
- ▶ VAPA or World Languages 10 credits
- ▶ Electives 60 or 70 credits
 - * Must include Algebra I

- ▶ Alt Ed and Adult Ed 190 credits total (no PE requirement)

Class of 2016 Graduation Requirements

- ▶ 220 credits total (Comprehensive high schools)
- ▶ English 40 credits
- ▶ Social Studies 30 credits
- ▶ Math 30 credits*
- ▶ Science 20 credits (10 Biological, 10 Physical)
- ▶ PE 20 credits
- ▶ VAPA or World Languages 20 credits**
- ▶ or CTE (Career Technical Education)
- ▶ Electives 60 credits
 - * Must include Algebra I
 - **Students complete 10 credits each in two of three areas

- ▶ Alt Ed and Adult Ed 200 credits total (no PE requirement)

VAPA or World Language or CTE Requirement

- ▶ Moves MDUSD closer to default A-G requirements
- ▶ Student must pass 10 credits each in 2 of 3 subject areas.
 - Examples: Student passes 10 credits of Spanish and 10 credits of Art – requirement is met
 - Student passes 20 credits in Art, 5 credits in Spanish, and 5 credits in CTE– requirement not met
 - Student passes 10 credits in CTE and 10 in Art– requirement met

Roll out activities

- ▶ Meetings with site administrators and counselors to discuss requirements, progress tracking, and options for students to meet requirements
 - ▶ All class of 2016 transcripts reviewed and individualized plans created as needed
 - ▶ Worked with TIS to update subject area “J” in Aeries by adding over 90 CTE courses including an online option
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