

GRADUATION World Language

FOCUS: CTE Completer Program

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1. Students must complete 75 hours of a locally designed program for student service.
2. Enroll in seven classes. **(see requirements on the back)**

030 _____ Exploring Computer Science**	432 _____ Biology
031 _____ Computer Literacy	458 _____ Matter and Energy
033 _____ AP Computer Science Principles**	511 _____ Art I
121 _____ Developmental Reading 9	601 _____ Small Ensembles I
131 _____ Honors English 1	611 _____ American Popular Music
141 _____ English 1	615 _____ Honors Small Ensembles I
171 _____ French I	622 _____ American Musical Theater
181 _____ Spanish I	631 _____ Senior High School Band I
182 _____ Spanish II	641 _____ Honors Jazz Ensemble I *
243 _____ United States History	651 _____ Senior High School Chorus I
243H _____ Honors US History	661 _____ Honors Show Choir I *
301 _____ Integrated Algebra	671 _____ Voice Class I
341 _____ Algebra I	681 _____ Senior High School Orchestra I
362 _____ Geometry	711 _____ Physical Education
372 _____ Honors Geometry	805 _____ Honors Principles of Biomedical Sciences
411 _____ Earth/Space Science	811 _____ Intro to Agriculture and Nat. Resources
414 _____ Honors Earth/Space Science	871 _____ Foundations of Technology**
430 _____ Honors Biology	

Semester courses: (.5 credits each - 1/2 year course)	If you elect one semester class, you must choose two.
481A _____ Comprehensive Health Education I	854 _____ Food Trends
690 _____ Dance/Visual Ensemble*	855 _____ Entertaining with Food
691 _____ Dance/Visual Ensemble*	860A _____ Learning about Children I
840 _____ Leadership	860B _____ Learning about Children II
841 _____ Business & Marketing Essentials	870 _____ Personal Financial Literacy
852 _____ Skills for Living	
853 _____ Nutrition and Food Preparation	

* Course requires audition or try-out.
 ** Course meets the Technology Education graduation requirement.

All students must take four years of mathematics and earn (4) math credits while enrolled in grades 9-12, including Geometry. Students who earned an Algebra I credit in 8th grade must also take four years of high school mathematics, including Geometry and Algebra II.

Please indicate the three Career Clusters that you are most interested in pursuing in high school by putting a "1" beside your first choice, "2" by your second choice, and a "3" beside your third choice.

CAREER CLUSTER

<u>Arts, Media and Communication</u> - Graphic Communications (PrintED-CCTE), Interactive Media Productions (IMP-CCTE)
<u>Construction and Development</u> - Construction Maintenance - HVAC (NCCER-CCTE), Construction Maintenance - Welding (NCCER-CCTE), Construction Trades - Carpentry (NCCER-CCTE), Construction Trades - Electrical (NCCER CCTE)
<u>Consumer Services, Hospitality and Tourism</u> - Careers in Cosmetology (CCTE), Culinary Arts (ACF-CCTE)
<u>Environmental, Agricultural, and Natural Resources</u> - Agricultural Sciences and Operations (AL, FO, MR)
<u>Health and Biosciences</u> - Academy of Health Professions (CCTE), Biomedical Sciences (PLTW-AL, FO, MR)
<u>Human Resources Services</u> - Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement (CCTE)
<u>Information Technology</u> - IT Networking Academy (CISCO-CCTE)
<u>Manufacturing, Engineering, and Technology</u> - Manufacturing Engineering - CNC Programming and Operations (CCTE), Engineering Design and Processess (AL, FO, MR)
<u>Transportation Technologies</u> - Auto Collision Repair (CCTE), Automotive Technology MLR (CCTE)
<u>Work-Based Learning</u> - Apprenticeship Maryland Program (AMP - AL, CCTE, FO, MR)

Go to <https://md-allegany.myfollett.com> to enter course selections. See the enclosed letter for log-in information.

Graduation Requirements - Maryland High School Diploma

The Maryland High School Diploma is awarded in recognition of the fulfillment of the minimum enrollment, competency, prerequisite, credit, and student service requirements. Students who meet the following requirements shall be awarded a Maryland High School Diploma.

Specified Core Credit Requirements

Credits	Subject Area
4	English
4	Mathematics one in Algebra I one with geometric concepts
3	Science* one in Biology one in Earth Science & one in Physical Science
3	Social Studies Local, State Federal Government World History U.S. History
1	Physical Education
1	Fine Arts
1	Technology Education
1*	Health Education
.5	Personal Financial Literacy

Choose one of the following:

Completer and Electives**

**Completer refers to a specified sequence of courses required for completing graduation requirements.

2 credits of World Language (in sequence preferred) **and** any remaining credits in electives

OR

Complete a MSDE CTE Program **and** any remaining credit in electives needed
 · Agricultural Sciences & Operations (3 credits)
 · Biomedical Sciences - PLTW (4 credits)
 · Engineering Design & Processes (3 credits)
 · Any CTE Program at the Career Center (4-10 credits which vary depending on program)

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Minimum Total Credits Required for Graduation

*For the Grade 9 Class of 2021-22 and beyond, 1 credit of health will be required.

*To meet the Next Generation Science standards, students must take Earth Science or AP Environmental Science, Matter and Energy or Honors Chemistry, and Biology.

Additional Requirements

In addition to the specified core credit requirements for a Maryland High School Diploma:

- Students must complete 75 hours of Student Service Learning.
- Students must satisfactorily complete four years of approved study beyond grade 8.
- Students must earn a minimum of 23 credits at the completion of grades 9-12.
- Students who took and passed the Algebra Assessment in grade 8 take MCAP Geometry to meet the HS Math assessment requirement.

Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP)

The MCAP Assessments for high school are Algebra I, English II, Government, and Life Science. Students take each test whenever they complete the course. The MISA is taken after completion of Biology.

The Government assessment is based on the content outlined in Maryland's Core Learning Goals. The English II and the Algebra tests are based on the content of the Maryland College and Career Readiness Standards. The Life Science assessment is based upon the Next Generation Science Standards.

Beginning with coursework of 2023-2024, high school MCAP assessments in Government and Science will be 20% of the course final grade.

Students must pass the course as part of graduation requirements.

Students earning course credits obtained prior to 2023-2024 in Biology and Government must participate in the state assessment.

Students earning course credits obtained prior to 2022-2023 in Government are waived from the graduation assessment requirement.

Credits obtained in 2023-2024 will take the end-of-course assessment as part of the final grade.

Honors Certificate

In addition to earning the Maryland High School Diploma, students who meet the following requirements shall be awarded the Allegany County Honors Certificate.

Certificate of Honors Courses - 12

At least 12 of the credits in a student's high school program shall be earned in honors courses.

Cumulative Weighted Grade Point

Average - 3.5 GPA

Students shall obtain at least a 3.5 total cumulative weighted grade point average for the high school years to earn the Allegany County Honors Certificate.

University of Maryland System Completer

Regular freshman admission to a four-year college in the University of Maryland System is determined on the following criteria. Each institution shall publish its own decision criteria which may be more rigorous than the system-wide minimal states below.

A University of Maryland System Completer must complete the following course work:

- 1.) Four years of English
- 2.) If you complete Algebra II prior to your final year, you must complete the four-year mathematics requirement by taking a course that utilizes non-trivial algebra. Examples of courses meeting this requirement include Algebra II, Trigonometry, Precalculus, Calculus (and successor courses), Statistics and College Algebra
- 3.) Three years of history or social science
- 4.) Three years of science in at least two different areas, with at least two lab experiences
- 5.) Two years of a world language

For students receiving special education services, please call the Special Education Office: 301-759-2084.