High School Graduation Requirements



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Primary School

Prekindergarten - Kindergarten 370 S. 7th St. Newark, NJ 07103 PH: 973.621.0060, ext. 1 FAX: 973. 621.0061

Elementary School

1st – 3rd Grade 370 S. 7th St. Newark, NJ 07103 PH: 973.621.0060, ext. 2 FAX: 973.621.2454

The Academy

4th & 5th Grade 88-108 Shipman St. Newark, NJ 07102 PH: 973.621.0060, ext. 3 FAX: 973.643.4982

Middle School

6th - 8th Grade 308 S. 9th St. Newark, NJ 07103 PH: 973.621.0060, ext. 4 FAX: 973.792.0066

High School of Culinary & Performing Arts

9th – 12th Grade 125 Sussex Ave. Newark, NJ 07103 PH: 973.621.0060, ext. 5 FAX: 973.624.4018

Central Office

125 Sussex Ave. 4th Floor Newark, NJ 07103 PH: 973.621.0060, ext. 3112 FAX: 862.240.1212

Content Name	Minimum State Requirement	Marion P. Thomas Courses
Language Arts	4 year long courses	9 th - World Literature
	(20 credits)	10 th - American Literature
		11 th - American Literature
		12 th - Multicultural Literature
Mathematics	3 year long courses	 Algebra 1
	(15 Credits)	 Geometry
		 Algebra 2
Science	3 year long courses	 Lab Biology
	(15 credits)	 Environmental or Earth
		Science
		 Chemistry
Social Studies	3 year long courses	World History
	(15 credits)	• US 1
		• US 2
World Language	1 year long course	Spanish 1
	(5 credits)	• Spanish 2 (necessary
		for most 4 year
		Universities)
Visual and Performing Arts	1 year long course	 Intro to Dance
	(5 credits)	 Intro to Theatre
21 st Century Life and Careers or	1 year long course	 Computer Applications
Career-technical Education	(5 credits)	 Production Workshop
		 Intro to Culinary Arts
Health and Physical Education	4 year long courses	9 ^{th-} - PE/Health 1
	(20 credits)	10 th -PE/ Health 2
		11 th - PE/Health 3
		12 th - PE/Health 4
Financial Literacy	1 year long course	 Financial Literacy
	(2.5 credits)	(5 credits)
Electives	(20 credits)	Courses taken outside of the
		mandatory state requirements
Total Credits	(120 credits)	

Additional Requirements for 2017,2018, and 2019 graduating classes:

English Language Arts	Mathematics	
PARCC ELA 9 >=750 (Level 4) or	PARCC Algebra 1>=750 (Level 4) or	
PARCC ELA 10 >=750 (Level 4) or	PARCC Geometry >=725 (Level 3) or	
PARCC ELA 11 >=725 (Level 3) or	PARCC Algebra 2>=725 (Level 3) or	
SAT Reading *>400 or	SAT Math *>400 or	
ACT Reading or ACT PLAN Reading >=16	ACT or ACT PLAN Math >=16	
Accuplacer Write Placer>=6 or	Accuplacer Elementary Algebra>=76 or	
PSAT 10 Reading or PSAT-NMSQT Reading**>22 or	PSAT 10 Math or PSAT-NMSQT Math**>=22 or	
ACT Aspire Reading>=422 or	ACT Aspire Math>=422 or	
ASVAB-AFQT Composite >=31 or	ASVAB-AFQT Composite >=31 or	
Meet the Criteria of the NJDOE Portfolio Appeal	Meet the Criteria of the NJDOE Portfolio Appeal	

80 Community Service Hours