

CORE 40 DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS – 46 Credits

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2 Credits – English 9

2 Credits – English 10

2 Credits – English 11

1 Credit Speech + 1 English 12 Credit from courses listed below OR

1 Credit Speech + 2 Credits English 12 from: English 12, BSU 103 and 104, Composition, Advanced Composition, Film Lit, Bible Lit, Themes in Lit, World Lit,

Math: Courses may be regular, ALEKS, or honors (2016 – Beyond: 6 math credits must be completed in grades 9-12)

2 Credits – Algebra I

2 Credits – Geometry

2 Credits – Algebra II

2014 and 2015 Graduates: All students must take a math or physics course during their junior or senior year.

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2 Credits – Chemistry I or Integrated Chemistry/Physics

2 Credits - Advanced Science: Chemistry I, Integrated Chemistry/Physics, Biology II, Chemistry II, Physics, Earth-Space Science I, Anatomy/Physiology, Advanced Life Science Animal, Physics B AP, BSU Biology 111, BSU Physics 110 and 112, BSU Anatomy/Physiology 201, Ivy Tech Chemistry 105

Social Studies:

2 Credits – Geography and History of the World OR World History and Civilization

2 Credits – US History

1 Credit – US Government

1 Credit – Economics

Credits from Geography and History of the World or World History and Civilization classes cannot be split – both credits must come from the same course.

Additional Required Credits:

1 Credit PE I

1 Credit PE II

1 Credit Health and Wellness

2 Credits Fine Arts (music, art, or theatre) or Vocational Arts (Ag, Business, FCS, Eng-Tech)

1 Credit Personal Financial Responsibility

5 Credits – Directed Electives (World Language - Fine Arts - Career-Technical Ed)

Passing ECA scores in Algebra I and English 10

Elective Credits to total 46 credits

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CORE 40 / ACADEMIC HONORS DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS - 47 Credits

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2 Credits – Geometry

2 Credits – Algebra II

2 Credits – Pre Calculus

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Additional Requirements for the Academic Honors Diploma:

- Earn 6-8 World Language Credits (6 in one language or 4 each in two languages)
- Complete **one** of the following: (for 2014 and 2015 graduates)
 - A. Complete 4 AP credits and take the AP exam
 - B. Complete 6 transcribed college credits with dual credit courses
 - C. Complete a combination of 2 AP credits plus exam and 3 transcribed college credits from dual credit course
 - D. Earn SAT critical reading and math total score of 1200
 - E. Earn ACT composite score of 26
- Complete **one** of the following: (2016 and beyond graduates)
 - A. Complete 4 AP credits and take the exam
 - B. Earn 6 transcribed college credits from dual credit priority list courses
 - C. Earn 2 AP credits and take exam and earn 3 transcribed college credits from dual credit priority list courses
 - D. Earn SAT critical reading, math, and writing score of 1750 with a minimum of 530 on each section
 - E. Earn ACT composite score of 26 including writing test
- Earn a “C” or better in all required courses
- Earn an overall GPA of 8.0 (“B” average)

Complete elective courses to complete 47 credits

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CORE 40 / TECHNICAL HONORS DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS – 47 Credits

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2 Credits – Algebra II

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1 Credit PE I

1 Credit PE II

1 Credit Health and Wellness

2 Credits Fine Arts (music, art, or theatre) or Vocational Arts (Ag, Business, FCS, Eng-Tech)

1 Credit Personal Financial Responsibility

5 Credits – Directed Electives (World Language - Fine Arts - Career-Technical Ed)

Passing ECA scores in Algebra I and English 10

COMPLETE THE ABOVE CORE 40 REQUIREMENTS AND THE ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS LISTED BELOW:

- Complete a career-technical program: 8 credits (2014-2015)
- Recommended: Earn 2 additional credits in mathematics and 4-8 credits in World Language
- (2014-2015) Complete **two** of the following – One must be A or B
 - A. WorkKeys Test Scores of: Reading for Info – 6 / Math – 6 / Locating Info – 5
 - B. Complete 6 transcribed college credits from technical dual credit courses
 - C. Complete a 2 credit Professional Career Internship or Cooperative Ed course
 - D. Complete an Industry-based two-year career-tech education program (140 hours)
 - E. Earn a state approved, industry-required certification
- (2015 - beyond) Earn 6 cr in the college and career prep courses in a state-approved college & career pathway and **one** of the following:
 - A. Pathway designated industry-based certification or credential
 - B. Pathway dual credits from priority course resulting in 6 transcribed college credits
- (2015 – beyond) Complete **one** of the following:
 - A. Any of the A-F Additional options from the Academic Honors Diploma requirements
 - B. WorkKeys Scores: Reading for Info – 6 / Math – 6 / Locating Info – 5
 - C. Accuplacer Scores: Writing 80 / Reading 90 / Math 75
 - D. Compass Scores: Algebra 66 / Writing 70 / Reading 80
- Earn a “C” or better in all required courses
- Earn an overall GPA of 8.0 (“B” average)

Elective Credits to total 47 credits

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GENERAL DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS - 46 Credits

The requirements for graduation from Delta High School are established by the State Commission of Indiana and the Board of School Trustees of the Delaware Community School Corporation.

Completion of Core 40 is an Indiana graduation requirement. Indiana's Core 40 curriculum provides the academic foundation needed for all students to succeed in college and/or the workforce. The following conditions may trigger a discussion about opting-out of the Core 40 graduation requirements to complete a General Diploma.

1. Parent's request
2. Failure of at least three required Core 40 courses
3. End of Core Assessment (ECA) – failure to pass first testing

To complete the forms for the Opt-Out process, contact your child's counselor.

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2 Credits – English 9

2 Credits – English 10

2 Credits – English 11

1 Credit Speech + 1 English 12 Credit from courses listed below OR

1 Credit Speech + 2 Credits English 12 from: English 12, BSU 103 and 104, Composition, Advanced Composition, Film Lit, Bible Lit, Themes in Lit, World Lit

For a student who successfully completes a level III of world language course, the student's school may waive two (2) credits of the language arts requirement.

Math: Courses may be regular, ALEKS, or honors (4 math credits must be earned in grades 9-12)

2 Credits – Algebra I

2 Credits – Any Math Course or Business Math

2014 and 2015 Graduates: All students must take a math or physics course during their junior or senior year.

2016 and beyond Graduates: Students must take a math or quantitative reasoning course during grades 11 or 12.

Quantitative Reasoning Courses: Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Calculus AB AP, Chemistry I, Chemistry II, Physics, Physics B AP, Macroeconomics AP, Microeconomics AP, Principles of Engineering (PLTW-POE), Civil Engineering and Architecture (PLTW-CEA), and Engineering Design and Development (PLTW-EDD)

Additional Quantitative Reasoning Courses for General Diploma Students: Landscape Mgt., Accounting, Business Math, Economics

Science:

2 Credits – Biology I

2 Credits – Any Science Course

Social Studies:

2 Credits – US History

1 Credit – US Government

1 Credit – Economics

Additional Required Credits:

1 Credit PE I

1 Credit PE II

1 Credit Health and Wellness (May use 3 Family & Consumer Science Credits – Child Dev or Nutrition and Wellness)

2 Credits Fine Arts (music, art, or theatre) or Vocational Arts (Ag, Business, FCS, Eng-Tech)

1 Credit Personal Financial Responsibility

6 Credits College and Career Pathways

5 Flex Credits: Career Academic Sequence, Exploratory Careers, dual credit courses,

Additional courses in: Language Arts, math, science, social studies, world language, or fine arts

Passing ECA scores in Algebra I and English 10

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