

GRADUATION and COLLEGE ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Subject	NUSD	Cal State University	University of California
SOC. STUDIES	30 credits - 3 years	a. 2 years World History and US History	
HEALTH & COLLEGE CAREER READINESS	5 credits – Health 5 credits – College & Career Readiness		
ENGLISH	40 credits - 4 years	b. 4 years	
MATH	20 credits - 2 years Completion of Algebra 1	c. 3 years Algebra 1 and 2, Geometry <u>4 years recommended</u>	
LABORATORY SCIENCE	30 credits- 3 years One year each of LIFE and Two years of PHYSICAL	d. 2 years Including one year of physical and one year of biological science; one of which must be from the "d" subject area with the other from either "d" or "g" Refer to "a-g" course list	d. 2 years Including at least two of the three core disciplines of biology, chemistry and physics; both from the "d" subject area One year LIFE - Biology or Integrated 3 and one year PHYSICAL – Chemistry, Physics or Conceptual Physics <u>3 years recommended</u>
LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH	Recommended but not required for HS Graduation. Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in English	e. 2 years Must be same language	
VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS	20 credits - 2 years Vocational Art courses may be used to fulfill this requirement	f. 1 year Selected from music, theatre/drama, or visual art	
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	20 credits - 2 years		
ELECTIVES	50 credits	g. 1 year Selected from any of the areas on the approved a-g course list, excluding those designated as non-elective (lower level math, language other than English, and visual and performing arts)	
TOTAL UNITS OR REQUIREMENTS	220 credits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ 15 college prep courses from approved "a-g" list ✓ Calculate GPA using only "a-g" approved courses taken after the 9th grade 	