GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

All students are required to complete 240 credits in order to graduate from Granada High School. Each student will earn five credits for each course earning a letter grade of D- or above or a Pass grade for P/NP course. Ideally, students should earn a minimum of 60 credits at the end of each year through high school in order to remain on track with graduation requirements.

Subject Area	Credits Required	Details
English	40	4 years of English
Mathematics	20	Must complete at least Algebra I or the equivalent plus one other course
Science	20	Life Science – 10 credits Physical Science – 10 credits
Social Science	35	Social Science – 5 credits World History – 10 credits US History – 10 credits Civics – 5 credits Economics – 5 credits
Physical Education	20	Grade 9 and usually 10 (see PE information below)
Visual & Performing Arts World Language Career Technical Education	30	Credits must be in <i>at least</i> 2 out of 3 categories
Health Education	5	Additional requirements to earn a diploma: Completion of Algebra I PE Requirement Fitnessgram
Electives	70	
Total Credits Required For Graduation	240	State law requires students to take two years of physical education (PE) classes in order to graduate from high school. District policy states that all freshmen must enroll in a PE course. All freshmen are also required to take the California Physical Fitness Test, or FITNESSGRAM, in order to fulfill high school physical education requirements. The assessment is given at least once a year in the spring. Students have alternatives and options available after the freshman year in order to meet or reduce the PE requirement. A maximum of ten credits of PE may be waived. Students can receive additional information about each of the alternatives and options from their high school counselors.

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