

State and Local Graduation Requirements

Credits Required for Local, Regents and Advanced Regents Diplomas

Subject Area	Credits Required
English	4
Social Studies	4
Mathematics	3
Science	3
Foreign Language	3
Art/Music	1
Health	0.5
Physical Education	2
Elective	1.5
Total	22

Commissioner's Regulations

- [The commissioner's regulations can be viewed by going to this page.](#)
- [For copies of past Regents Exams, scoring keys, rating guides and answer booklets, you may visit this page.](#)
- [Information about the New York State Next Generation Learning Standards can be found at this page.](#)

Required Scores on Regents Exams

The following information applies to the Class of 2017 and beyond, therefore students who entered 9th grade in 2013 and beyond.

Regents Diploma Requirements

Score of 65 or above on five (5) required Regents Exams.

Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation Requirements

Score of 65 or above on eight (8) required Regents Exams and the FLACS Exam (Foreign Language)

Student with Disabilities

Students with disabilities are exempt from the SLP exam if the exemption is noted on the IEP. In addition, they may take advantage of the "safety net" which allows them to receive credit toward a local diploma if they score between 55-64 on the required Regents Exam(s).