



DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

The Weld RE-4 Board of Education currently requires 26 credits for graduation. In addition, all students in Colorado must meet minimum requirements in order to graduate from high school and demonstrate college and career readiness.

English-4.0 Credits

- 1.0 9th grade English
 - 1.0 10th grade Literature and Composition
 - 1.0 American Literature
 - 1.0 Additional English Class
- Students must also demonstrate proficiency in this content

Mathematics-3.0 Credits

- 3.0 Math credits
- Students must also demonstrate proficiency in this content

Social Studies-3.0 Credits

- .5 World Geography
- 1.0 World History
- 1.0 U.S. History
- .5 American Government/Civics

Science-3.0 Credits

Please see your science teacher or school counselor for the progression of courses that meets this requirement.

P.E. & Health-2.0 Credits

Please see your P.E. or Health teacher or school counselor for the progression of courses that meets this requirement.

Performing & Visual Arts-1.0 Credits

- Performing Arts
- Vocal and Instrumental Music
- Visual Arts
- Communication and Media

Career and Technical Education-1.0 Credits

- Family and Consumer Sciences
- Business & Marketing
- Construction Trades
- Industrial Design and Technology
- Agriculture
- STEM, Arts, Design, and Information Technology

Electives-9 Credits

Including .5 advisory credits

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

All students must complete an ICAP (Individual Career and Academic Plan)
Proficiency in English can typically be demonstrated with one passing grade in English and one passing grade in math, typically measured by the following:*

- English SAT score 470 or ACT score 18. Math SAT score 500 or ACT score 19.
- Score of 2 on AP Language and Composition or Literature and Composition. Score of 2 on AP Statistics.
- 31 on the AFQT on the ASVAB
- 241 on Reading Comprehension or 236 on Writing - NextGen Accuplacer. 255 on Arithmetic (AR) or 230 on Quantitative Reasoning Algebra and Statistics (QAS) - NextGen Accuplacer

COLLEGE ADMISSION

The Higher Education Admission Recommendations (HEAR) provide guidelines to be a competitive candidate for admission. If you have challenged yourself by successfully completing Honors, AP, IB or college-level courses, this will strengthen your application even more!

- English: 4 Units
- Mathematics**: 4 Units
- Natural Science: 3 Units
- Social Science: 3 Units
- World Language: 1 Unit
- Academic Electives: 2 Units
- Total: 17 Units

A unit = one year of a high school course. If you are taking a college level course while in high school, one semester = one unit.

***Currently, the HEAR math recommendation is that students should complete up through Algebra 2. However, some college programs require freshman students to be ready for calculus.*

**These requirements are for the Class of 2022 and beyond. For all options for demonstrating proficiency please see Weld RE-4 Board of Education Policy IKF.*