



Diplomas, Courses, and Graduation Pathways

CORE 40 DIPLOMA

Subject Area

Credits

ENGLISH	8	English 9 – 12 fulfills this requirement
MATH	6	Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II Must take a math or quantitative reasoning course each year
SCIENCE	6	2 Credits: Biology I 2 Credits: Chemistry I or Integrated Chemistry/Physics plus 2 Credits: any Core 40 science course
SOCIAL STUDIES	6	2 Credits: World History & Civilization or World Geography 2 Credits: U.S. History 1 Credit: U.S. Government 1 Credit: Economics
PHYSICAL ED.	2	Either in class; NJROTC; or Alternative through sports
HEALTH	1	Health and Wellness- 8 th Grade
DIRECTED ELECTIVES	5	World Language or Fine Arts or Career & Technical Education
ELECTIVES	8	Career Academic Sequence recommended

TOTAL

42

Credits to earn a Core 40 Diploma

Core 40 with Academic Honors – 47 Credits

Subject Area	Credits	Classes
English/LA	8	English 9 – 12 fulfills this requirement
Math	8	Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, plus any Core 40 Math Class Must take a math or quantitative reasoning course each year
Science	6	2 Credits: Biology I 2 Credits: Chemistry I or Integrated Chemistry/Physics 2 Credits: any Core 40 science course
Social Studies	6	2 Credits: World History/Civilization or World Geography 2 Credits: US History 1 Credit: US Government 1 Credit: Economics
World Languages	6 - 8	6 credits in Spanish (can take 4th year but that is optional)
Fine Arts	2	Band, Choir, Art classes, or Student Media (Yearbook)
Physical Ed.	2	Either in class; NJROTC; or Alternative through sports
Health	1	Health & Wellness- 8 th Grade
Electives	7- 8	Core 40 courses
TOTAL	47	Credits required for Core 40 with Academic Honors

Core 40 with Academic Honors – 47 Credits

There are a few more requirements . . .

Grade Requirements

- Earn a grade of “C-” or better in courses that will count toward the diploma
- Have a grade point average of a “B” or better (3.0) at the time of graduation

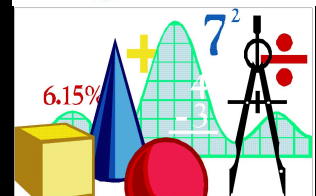
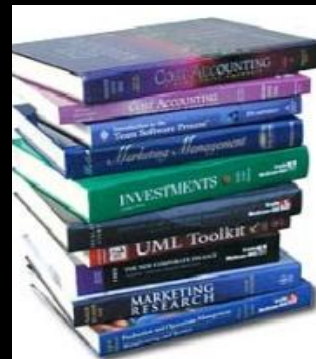
REPORT CARD				
GRADING PERIOD	1	2	3	4
READING	A			
WRITTEN COMMUNICATION	A			
MATHEMATICS	C			
SCIENCE/HEALTH	B			
SOCIAL STUDIES	B			
ART	A			
MUSIC	A			
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	C			
Grade Average	B			
Attendance:	Present	48		
	Absent	0		
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A = Excellent • B = Good • C = Satisfactory • N = Needs Improvement U = Unsatisfactory • I = Insufficient / Incomplete				
Student: _____ Grade: _____ Year: _____				

Core 40 with Academic Honors – 47 Credits

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Complete one of the following:

- A. Earn 4 credits in 2 or more AP courses and take corresponding AP exams (we require them be taken)
- B. Earn 6 verifiable transcribed college credits/Dual Credits
- C. Earn the following two:
 - 1. Minimum of 3 transcribed college credits
 - 2. Two credits in AP courses/corresponding exams
- D. Earn a composite score of 1250 or higher on the SAT critical reading, math, and writing sections and a minimum score of 560 on math and 590 on ERW
- E. Earn an ACT composite score of 26 or higher and complete the written section



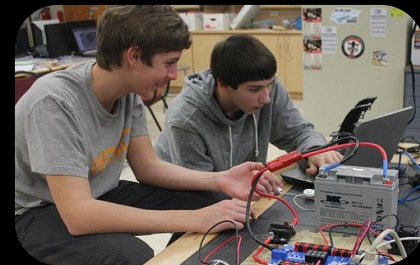
Core 40 with Technical Honors-Prosser – 47 Credits

Subject Area	Credits	Classes
English/LA	8	English 9-12
Math	6	Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II Must take a math or quantitative reasoning course each year
Science	6	2 Credits: Biology I 2 Credits: Chemistry I or Integrated Chemistry/Physics 2 Credits: any Core 40 science course
Social Studies	6	2 Credits: World History/Civilization or World Geography 2 Credits: US History 1 Credit: US Government 1 Credit: Economics
College and Career Pathways	6 or more	Earn 6 credits in a state-approved College & Career Pathway and <u>one</u> of the following: 1. State approved industry-based certification or credential 2. Pathway dual credits resulting in 6 transcribed college credits
Physical Ed.	2	Can be earned through Alternative PE (2 sports seasons or 2 sports)
Health	1	Health & Wellness
Electives	5 - 9	Core 40 courses, World Languages, Fine Arts, or other CTE courses.
TOTAL	47	Credits required for Core 40 with Technical Honors

Core 40 with Technical Honors – 47 Credits

There are a few more requirements

- **Grade Requirements**
 - Earn a grade of “C-” or better in courses that will count toward the diploma
 - Have a grade point average of a “B” or better (3.0)
- **Complete One of the following**
 - A. Any one of options (A-E) of the Core 40 with Academic Honors
 - B. Earn the following scores on WorkKeys:
 - Reading for Information – Level 6
 - Applied Math – Level 6
 - Locating Information - Level 5






Required and Elective Course Offerings

9th Grade

Must Have:

- English 9
 - Algebra I
 - Biology I
 - World Geography or World History
 - Preparing for College and Careers
 - Computer Science
 - Electives (Spanish I and Fine Art if wanting Academic Honors)
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10th Grade

Must Have:

- English 10
- Algebra II
- ICP or Chemistry



11th Grade

Must Have:

- English 11 or AP English Language and Composition
- Geometry (may be a higher level math such as Pre-Calculus if you already took Geometry, Algebra II and Algebra I)
- Elective Science if not taken in 9th or 10th grade
- U.S History



12th Grade

Must Have:

- English 12 or AP English Language and Composition or AP Literature and Composition
- Math or Quantitative Reasoning Course
- Government
- Economics



Dual Credit Courses Offered

- Animal Science (9-12)
- Plant and Soil Science (9-12)
- Food Science (9-12)
- AP Psychology (11-12)
- PreCalculus (11-12)
- Calculus AB or BC AP (12)
- Speech (12)
- Criminal Justice (12)
- Introduction to Business Management (12)
- English 12 AP Language and Composition (11)
- English 11 AP Literature and Composition (12)
- Spanish III (11-12)
- Spanish IV AP (12)
- Natural Resources Management (9-12)



AP Courses Offered

- AP Statistics (11-12)
- AP Psychology (11-12)
- AP Calculus AB (12)
- AP Calculus BC (12)
- AP Environmental (11-12)
- AP Spanish IV (12)
- AP English Language and Composition (11-12)(Offered 2022-23 and on)
- AP English Literature and Composition (12)(Offered 2023-24)



Electives Offered

- ❑ NJROTC (9-12)
- ❑ Spanish I (Foreign Language) (9-10)
- ❑ Spanish II (Foreign Language) (10-11)
- ❑ Spanish III (Foreign Language) (Dual Credit) (11-12)
- ❑ Spanish IV AP (Foreign Language) (Dual Credit) (12)
- ❑ Study Hall (9-12)
- ❑ Ceramics and Sculpting (Fine Art) (9-12)
- ❑ Applied Music (Choir)(Fine Art) (9-12)
- ❑ Instrumental Ensemble (Band) (Fine Art) (9-12)
- ❑ Drawing and Painting (Fine Arts) (9-12)
- ❑ Indiana Studies/Sociology (Social Studies) (10-12)
 - ❑ Student Media (Yearbook) (10-12)



Electives Offered

- Marketing Fundamentals (Business)(10-12)
 - Journalism (11-12)
- Intro to Business/Personal Finance (Business) (10-12)
- Peer Tutoring (Success Center/Math Lab)- (10-12)
- Cadet Teaching (Must be tutoring in classrooms/no grading or copying)(10-12)
- Speech (Professor on Loan)(Dual Credit)(2 days a week starting at 7:15 AM)(Semester 1)* (12)
- Introduction to Business (Professor on Loan)(Dual Credit)(2 days a week starting at 7:15 AM)(Semester 2)** (12)
- Criminal Justice (Professor on Loan)(Dual Credit)(2 days a week starting at 7:15 AM)(Semester 2)** (12)



Electives Offered

- ❑ Plant Science (Dual Credit) (Agriculture)(9-12)
- ❑ Animal Science (Dual Credit)(Agriculture) (9-12)
- ❑ Food Science (Dual Credit) (Agriculture) (9-12)
- ❑ Natural Resource Management (Agriculture) (9-12)
- ❑ Physical Education II (10-12)
- ❑ Online Earth Space Science (Science)(10-12)
- ❑ Online Physics (11-12)
- ❑ Online Ethnic Studies/ Online Political Science (Social Studies) (10-12)
- ❑ Anatomy (Science) (11-12)
- ❑ Biology II (Science) (11-12)
- ❑ AP Psychology (Social Studies)(Dual Credit)(11-12)
- ❑ AP Environmental Science (Science)(11-12)





GRADUATION PATHWAYS

Reasons for Implementing the Pathways

Hoosier students will graduate from high school with:

- 1) an **Awareness** of and **Engagement** with individual career interests and associated career options
- 2) a strong foundation of **Academic and Technical Skills**
- 3) **demonstrable employability skills** that lead directly to meaningful opportunities for postsecondary education, training, and gainful employment



Graduation Requirements & Pathway Options

Students in the graduating class of 2023 and beyond must complete all 3 of the following Graduation Pathway Requirements:

- 1) High School Diploma
- 2) Learn and Demonstrate Employability Skills
- 3) Postsecondary-Ready Competencies



#1 High School Diploma

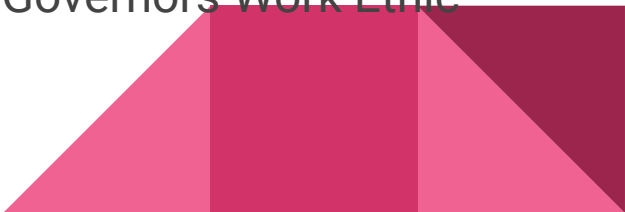
A) Meet all diploma requirements

B) Core 40, Academic Honors or Technical Honors




#2 Learn and Demonstrate Employability Skills

Complete at least one of the following that includes student work product and school validation:

- 1) **Project-Based Learning Experience:** not a normal classroom project
 - 2) **Service-Based Learning Experience:** volunteer or civic engagement experience; school based activity such as co-curricular, extracurricular or sport for at least 1 academic year.
 - 3) **Work-Based Learning Experience:** Internship, On the job training, School based operation, employment outside of school day, Governors Work Ethic Certificate, JROTC programs
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#3 Postsecondary-Ready Competencies

Complete at least one of the following:

- 1) **Technical or Academic Honors Diploma**
 - 2) **ACT**- college ready benchmarks (18 English; 22 Reading; 22 Math; 23 Science)
 - 3) **SAT**- college ready benchmarks (480 English; 530 Math)
 - 4) **ASVAB**- Earn at least the minimum score to qualify for placement in one of the branches of the military. Minimum score is a 31. Must have the intent to enlist.
 - 5) **State and Industry recognized Credential or Certification** (Prosser)
 - 6) **Career-Technical Education Concentrator**- C average or better in at least 6 high school credits in a career sequence (Prosser)
 - 7) **AP/Dual Credit/ or CLEP exams**- Must earn at least a C or better in at least 3 courses
 - 8) **Locally Created pathway**- approved by the State Board of Education
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STANDARDIZED TESTING

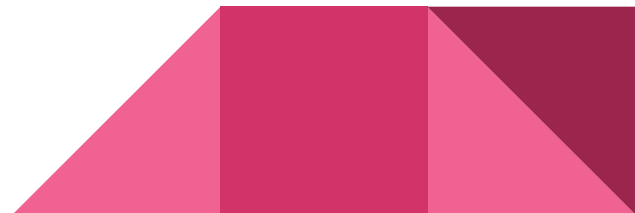
ILEARN ELA and MATH for grades 7-8

ILEARN BIOLOGY for grade 9.

PSAT for 10th and select 11th grade

SAT for 11th grade

AP Exams for all AP courses



QUESTIONS???

You can contact me through email to ask questions or set up a meeting.

