

# **High School Graduation Exit Requirements for Class of 2023 and Beyond**

**25 CREDITS ARE REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION!**

Note: 1 CREDIT = One full-year course

## **REQUIRED COURSES**

<b>Humanities</b> (including civics and the arts)	<b>9.0 credits</b>
<b>STEM</b> (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics)	<b>9.0 Credits</b>
<b>Foreign Language</b>	<b>1.0 Credit</b>
<b>Physical Education and Wellness</b>	<b>1.0 Credit</b>
<b>Health and Safety Education</b>	<b>1.0 Credit</b>
<b>Mastery-Based Diploma Education</b>	<b>1.0 Credit</b>
<b>Open Electives</b>	<b>3.0 Credits</b>

College bound students are **STRONGLY** recommended **to take 4 credits (4 years) of English, Math, Science and Social Studies.** In addition, at least 2 years (3 is recommended) of one foreign language for admission to a 4-year college.

Students **MUST** demonstrate proficiency in Math AND Literacy through a state-wide assessment. .

\*\*Subject to change per Waterbury Board of Education Policy