Marlborough Public Schools
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## 1. Yearly Course Load and Promotion Requirements

In order to graduate, a student must accumulate a minimum of ninety-six (96) credits during grades 9-12, must carry \& pass the minimum number of credits per year as noted below and must meet Program of Studies requirements as outlined, regarding CORE subjects and electives.

Students must carry a minimum amount of 24 credits per year.
2. Credit and Course Distribution Requirements
A. In order to graduate, a student must accumulate a minimum of 96 credits during grades 912. Within these totals, a certain number of units must be taken and a passing grade must be attained. The High School Principal has the discretion to approve alternative academic pathways.

English
Mathematics
Science \& Technology/Engineering
History \& Social Sciences
World \& Classical Languages
Fine Arts
Wellness/Physical Education

4 years
4 years
3 years
3 years
2 years
1 year
4 half years ( 1 semester per year=8 credits)

Legal Reference: Chapter 71, Education Reform Act. 1993

