

Graduation Requirements

English	4.0 Credits
Mathematics	3.0 Credits
*Science	3.0 Credits
• Physical	1.0 Credit
• Life	1.0 Credit
• Elective Science	1.0 Credit
Social Studies	3.0 Credits
• American History	1.0 Credit
• World History/Global Perspectives	1.0 Credit
• Civics	0.5 Credit
• Social Study Elective	0.5 Credit
Physical Education	1.5 Credits
Health	0.5 Credit
Financial Literacy	0.5 Credit
• On Your Own	
• Personal Finance	
• Economics	
• Personal Money Management	
Electives	8.5 Credits
Total Credits	24.0 Credits

* *Please note change in Science course requirements starting with the Class of 2019 listed in the Science Department section.*

All students need to be enrolled in six classes each semester.

In the MPSD, your high school years begin with ninth grade and conclude with three years at Lincoln High School. It's not too early to review the graduation requirements and get on track to graduate with your class. To get a high school diploma from Lincoln:

- Students must earn a total of **24 credits** (see chart on page 9 of this booklet). Credits earned in ninth grade count toward that total.
- Students must complete a **total of 20 hours of community service work** during their four years of high school. If you choose, this may be done during the summer before ninth grade.
- Students must achieve a satisfactory score on all subject area tests of the **9th or 10th grade ACT Aspire test, 11th grade ACT test, or 11th grade Work Keys test** OR receive two semester grades of C or higher in each subject sometime during grades 9-12.

Community Service Project Requirement

All graduates from Lincoln High School will be required to successfully complete a community service project. The service project requires a student to devote a minimum of twenty (20) hours of service to community organizations, churches, or governmental agencies that normally depend upon volunteers. An approved, completed project verification form must be on file before graduation. **NOTE:** Those students enrolled in the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program will have their service project incorporated into their curriculum. Only hours served after the sophomore year will be counted for IB.