LEYTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION POLICY #6005

Academic Credits and Graduation

Credits are earned by passing courses. Each year-long course is worth 10 credits, and each semester-long course is worth 5 credits. The total credits required for graduation must be earned by the day before Graduation, or the student cannot participate in the graduation ceremony. The following graduation requirements begin with the Class of 2027.

Class Credit Requirements:

Sophomore 65 Credits
Junior 130 Credits
Senior 195 Credits
Graduate 270 Credits

Graduation Requirements:

- 40 Credits of English
- 30 Credits of Mathematics
 - ten of which are Algebra I, and;
 - ten of which are Geometry
- 30 Credits of Social Science
 - ten of which are American History, and;
 - ten of which are American Government
- 30 Credits of Science
 - ten of which are Physical Science, and;
 - ten of which are Biology
- 10 Credits of Physical Education/Health
- 10 Credits of Fine Arts
- 5 Credits of Computer Science
- 35 Credits of Vocational or CTE (career tech education) courses
 - five of which are Personal Finance
- 80 Elective Credits

The administration may allow high school credit to be awarded to students enrolled in a middle grades course, if the course content and requirements are equivalent to a course offered in the high school. (Cross reference NDE Rule 10, part 003.05B)

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