2019-20 Florida 24-Credit Graduation Options

24-Credit Standard Diploma Option	24-Credit Standard Diploma	24-Credit Standard Diploma Option	
Available to all students, including	Option with Academic and	(Access Courses)	
students with disabilities	Employment Requirements	Available only to students with	
	Available only to students with	significant cognitive disabilities, who	
	disabilities	take access courses and the	
		alternate assessment	
English Language Arts (4 Credits)			
ELA 1, 2, 3, 4	Includes all requirements listed in column	Includes all requirements listed in column	
 ELA honors, Advanced Placement (AP), 	one	one	
Advanced International Certificate of Education	May substitute a Career and Technical	 May substitute access courses for general 	
(AICE), International Baccalaureate (IB) and dual enrollment courses may satisfy this	Education (CTE) course with content related to English for English 4	education courses May substitute a CTE course with content 	
requirement		related to English for English 4	
	Mathematics (4 Credits)		
One of which must be Algebra 1 and one of One of which must be Algebra 1 and one of One of which must be Algebra 1 and one of			
which must be Geometry	one of which must be Geometry	which must be Geometry	
 Industry certifications that lead to college 	 Industry certifications that lead to 	 Industry certifications that lead to college 	
credit may substitute for up to two	college credit may substitute for up to	credit may substitute for up to two mathematics credits (except for Algebra 1	
mathematics credits (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry)	two mathematics credits (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry)	and Geometry)	
 An identified rigorous Computer Science course 	 May substitute a CTE course with 	 May substitute access courses for general 	
with a related industry certification substitutes	content related to mathematics for one	education courses	
for up to one math credit (except for Algebra 1	mathematics credit (except for Algebra	 May substitute a CTE course with content 	
or higher)	1 and Geometry)	related to mathematics for one mathematics credit (except for Algebra 1	
		and Geometry)	
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Science (3 Credits)			
 One of which must be Biology 1, two of which 	Includes all requirements listed in column	Includes all requirements listed in column	
must be equally rigorous science courses Two of the three required credits must have a	 one May substitute a CTE course with 	oneMay substitute access courses for general	
laboratory component	content related to science for one	education courses	
An industry certification that leads to college	science credit (except for Biology 1)	 May substitute a CTE course with content 	
credit substitutes for up to one science credit		related to science for one science credit	
(except for Biology 1)An identified rigorous Computer Science course		(except for Biology 1)	
with a related industry certification substitutes			
for up to one science credit (except for Biology			
1)			
Social Studies (3 Credits)			
 1 credit in World History a credit in U.S. Ulitory 	Includes all requirements listed in column	Includes all requirements listed in column	
 1 credit in U.S. History .5 credit in U.S. Government 	oneMay substitute a CTE course with	oneMay substitute access courses for general	
 .5 credit in Economics with Financial Literacy 	content related to social studies for	education courses	
,	one social studies credit (except for	 May substitute a CTE course with content 	
	U.S. History)	related to social studies for one social	
		studies credit course (except for U.S. History)	
	Electives (8 Credits)		
	 Must include .5 credit in an 	 May include employment-based 	
	employment-based course	course/s	
	 May include exceptional student education (ESE) courses 		
Fine and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, or Practical Arts (1 Credit)			
Physical Education to include the integration of health (1 Credit)			
One Online Course (Requirement may be waived by IEP team)			
Students must earn a 2.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and pass statewide assessments or meet the			
criteria for a waiver of assessment results.			

2019-20 Florida Graduation Options – ACCEL Option and Career and Technical Education (CTE) Graduation Pathway

18-Credit Academically Challenging Curriculum to	Career and Technical Education (CTE) Graduation		
Enhance Learning (ACCEL) Option – Available to all	Pathway (requires a minimum of 18 credits) – Available to		
students, including students with disabilities	all students, including students with disabilities		
English Language Arts (4 Credits)			
 ELA 1, 2, 3, 4 ELA honors, Advanced Placement (AP), Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE), International Baccalaureate (IB) and dual enrollment courses may satisfy this requirement 	 Includes all requirements listed in column one Including statewide grade 10 Reading assessment or the grade 10 ELA assessment or earn a concordant score 		
Mathematic	cs (4 Credits)		
 One of which must be Algebra 1 and one of which must be Geometry Industry certifications that lead to college credit may substitute for up to two mathematics credits (except for Algebra 1 and Geometry) 	Includes all requirements listed in column one		
Science (3 Credits)		
 One of which must be Biology 1 Two of the three required credits must have a laboratory component An industry certification that leads to college credit substitutes for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1) An identified rigorous Computer Science course with a related industry certification substitutes for up to one science credit (except for Biology 1) 	Includes all requirements listed in column one		
Social Studies (3 Credits)			
 1 credit in World History 1 credit in U.S. History .5 credit in U.S. Government .5 credit in Economics with Financial Literacy 	Includes all requirements listed in column one		
Electives (3 Credits)	Electives (4 Credits)		
Career and Technical Education – Not Required Work-Based Learning Programs – Not Required	 Career and Technical Education (2 Credits) - Courses must result in a program completion and an industry certification Work-Based Learning Programs (2 Credits) - Complete two credits in work-based learning programs May substitute up to 2 credits of electives, including one-half credit in financial literacy, for work-based learning program courses to fulfill requirement 		
Fine and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, or Practical Arts (1 Credit)	Fine Arts and Performing Arts, Speech and Debate, or Practical Arts – Not Required		
	*Must meet program completion and industry certification		
Physical Education – Not Required			
Online Course – Not Required			
Students must earn a 2.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and pass statewide assessments or meet the criteria for a waiver of assessment results.			