



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

All students must meet the minimum required credits for Sahuarita Unified High School Graduation in order to graduate. Students who wish to attend Arizona in-state universities will need to complete additional credits in order to meet the unconditional admission requirement.

The Arizona Academic Scholars Program encourages students to complete a more rigorous course of study that will prepare them for employment or higher education after graduation. Students meeting these requirements will receive the Arizona Scholars medal.

Course	SUSD #30 High School ¹	Arizona University System ²	Arizona Academic Scholars Program ³
English	4 credits English I to IV	4 credits English I to IV	4 credits English I to IV
Math	4 credits	4 credits Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Advanced Math	4 credits Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, 4th Math approved by Principal
Science	3 credits	3 credits (Lab Science) 1 year each from any of the following areas are accepted: Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, Integrated Sciences and Physics	3 credits 1 credit in each of 3 different disciplines: Biology, Chemistry and Physics (Physics preferred, AZ university system-approved Lab Science or Earth Science accepted)
Social Studies	3 credits World History, World Geography US History American/AZ Government (0.5) Economics (0.5)	2 credits American History and one other social science	3 credits World History, Geography, US History, US Government/Civics, or Economics
Language other than English	None	2 credits Two of the same language	2 credits Two of the same language
Fine Arts/ CTE	1 credit	1 credit	2 credits
Electives	6 credits	5 credits ⁵	3 credits ⁵
Physical Education⁴	1 credit	1 credit ⁵	1 credit ⁵
TOTAL⁶	22	22	22

Arizona's Universities also allow English, Math, Science, Social Studies, and LOTE (Language Other Than English) requirements to be filled by making specified scores on various assessment instruments.

¹ Per Arizona Academic Standards

² As defined by the Arizona State Board of Regents

³ "C" or above required in all Scholars courses

⁴ Students enrolled in Marching Band, NJROTC, and Dance may count their course completion (two semesters) toward the Physical Education credit requirement.

⁵ Required for SUSD high school graduation

⁶ High school graduates are required to pass (60% or higher) a civics test identical to the civics portion of the naturalization test used by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services.