



Graduation & Four-Year College Admission Minimum Requirements

	SMHS Credits	San Marino High School	UC	CSU	Selective Private Schools
English	40 credits	4 years	4 years	4 years	4 years
Math	20 credits	2 years Must include a passing grade in first-year Algebra	4 years (recommended)	3 years	4 years Rigorous coursework is expected
Social Science	10 credits 10 credits 10 credits	3 years World History U.S. History American Government/ Economics	2 years (Note: must abide by SMHS Required 3 years to graduate)	2 years (Note: must abide by SMHS Required 3 years to graduate)	3 years
Science	10 credits 10 credits	1 year physical 1 year biological	3 years (recommended) Lab science	2 years Lab science	3 years or more lab science (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)
World Language	None Required	None required	3 years (recommended) Same Language	2 years Same Language	3 years (or more) of the same language
Visual & Performing Arts	10 credits	1 year	1 year UC Approved VPA classes	1 year	May be required
Electives	80 credits	Elective credits	Additional credits of English, Math, History, Science, World Language or Fine Arts (See UC/CSU approved list)	Additional credits of English, Math, History, Science, World Language or Fine Arts (See UC/CSU approved list)	Additional Academic Electives
Other	5 credits 20 credits 5 credits 40 hours	Health/Life Skills P.E.- 2 years Computer Technical Education (CTE) Community Service	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	May be required
Testing	Not Applicable		SAT or ACT with Writing SAT Subject Tests (Not Required, but recommended for specific Majors)	SAT or ACT with Writing	SAT/ACT Some require SAT Subject Tests Some require ACT with Writing
Total Requirement	230 credits 40 Service Hours	Grade of "D" or better in all courses Maintain "C" or better in citizenship in all courses	Grade of "C" or better in college prep courses	Grade of "C" or better in college prep courses	Grade of "C" or better in college prep courses

Community College Requirements:

No subject requirements. Must be 18 years old or High School Graduate.