## MPS <br> Graduation Requirements <br> Quick Overview

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Requirements

| 4.0 | English Language Arts (ELA) ELA 9 ELA 10 ELA 11 ELA 12 |
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| 3.5 | Social Studies <br> U.S. History <br> World History Human Geography Economics U.S. Government |
| 3.0 | Science <br> Physical Science <br> Biology <br> Chemistry-OR- Physics |
| 3.0 | Math <br> Intermediate Algebra <br> Geometry <br> Advanced Algebra |
| 1.0 | Fine Arts |
| 0.5 | *Ethnic Studies |
| 0.5 | Health |
| 0.5 | Fitness for Life (FiEd) |
| 5.5 | Electives |
| 21.5 | Total Credits Required to Graduation |

*If you're graduating in 2023 or 2024, the Ethnic Studies requirement doesn't apply to you.


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|  | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 |
| English Language Arts (ELA) $4.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ELA $9 \quad 1.0 \square$ | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| ELA $10 \quad 1.0 \square$ | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| ELA $11 \quad 1.0 \square$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - |
| ELA $12 \quad 1.0 \square$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 |
| Social Studies 3.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Geography $0.5 \square$ | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| US History $1.0 \square$ | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| World History 1.0 $\square$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - |
| Economics $0.5 \square$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 |
| US Government $0.5 \square$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - |
| Ethnic Studies $0.5 \square$ | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Math $3.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Intermediate Algebra 1.0 $\square$ | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Geometry $1.0 \square$ | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Advanced Algebra 1.0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - |
| Recommended 4th Year 1.0 $\square$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 |
| Science $3.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Physical Science 1.0 $\square$ | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Biology 1.0 $\square$ | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Chemistry -OR- Physics 1.0 $\square$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - |
| Recommended 4th Year $1.0 \square$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 |
| Fine Arts $1.0 \square$ | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Fitness for Life (FiEd) 0.5 $\square$ | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Health 0.5 $\square$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.25 | 0.25 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Electives $3.5 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| Social studies $\quad 3.5 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| eography $0.5 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Us History $\quad 1.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| World History $\quad 1.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Economics $0.5 \square$ <br> US Government 0.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Ethnic studies $0.5 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Math $3.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Math  <br> Intermediate Algebra $1.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Geometry |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Advanced Algebra $\quad 1.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Recommended 4th Year $1.0 \square$ <br> Science $\mathbf{3 . 0} \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| science  <br> Physical Science 3.0 <br> $1.0 \square$  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Biology $\quad 1.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chemistry -OR- Physics $1.0 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Fitness for Life (Fild) $\quad 0.5 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health 0.5 <br> Electives $\square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Total Credits $\quad 2.5 \square$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

