



Fremont County School District #25
Board of Trustees
Policy

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Policy: 4140

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See also: 4145

Fremont County School District #25 minimum requirements for any student to receive a high school diploma exceed the State of Wyoming graduation requirements. Requirements for any student to receive a high school certificate of completion shall be consistent with the student's individual education program.

Graduation with Diploma:

Fremont County School District #25 graduation requirements equip students to be productive members of society and include:

Eight (8) Full Semesters

Completion of 25 credits of high school equivalent coursework aligned to the Wyoming Content and Performance Standards grades 9 through 12.

The following minimum subject requirements at the equivalent level of grades 9-12:

Riverton High School Subject Requirements:		Frontier Academy Subject Requirements:	
English*	4.0 credits	English*	4.0 credits
Math*	3.0 credits	Math*	3.0 credits
Science*	3.0 credits	Science*	3.0 credits
Social Studies*^	3.0 credits	Social Studies*^	3.0 credits
<i>Physical Education</i>	<i>1.0 credits</i>	<i>Wellness</i>	<i>1.0 credits</i>
<i>Health</i>	<i>.5 credits</i>	<i>Careers</i>	<i>.5 credits</i>
<i>Fine Arts/Communications</i>	<i>.5 credits</i>	<i>Electives</i>	<i><u>10.5 credits</u></i>
<i>Vocational</i>	<i>.5 credits</i>		
<i>Electives</i>	<i><u>9.5 credits</u></i>		
Total	25 credits	Total	25 credits

*Meets Wyoming's minimum high school course expectations

^history, American government, and economic systems and institutions

A listing of all available courses, with the specific courses required to graduate delineated, including functional equivalents, and a listing of credits that can be earned through qualifying post-secondary education programs, or qualifying middle school programs, are set forth in Riverton High School's course description book, and the handbook of Frontier Academy.

Passing an examination on the principles of the Constitution of the United States and the State of Wyoming.

Demonstration of competency in financial literacy and related technology applications.

Completion of a career plan

The content and requirements of the career plan are set forth in Riverton High School's course description book, and the handbook of Frontier Academy.

Course credit is earned through the completion of the course content and demonstration of proficiency on the associated Summative Assessment resulting in a grade calculation at or above 60%.

Summative Assessments are aligned to the uniform student content and performance standards for the common core of knowledge and common core of skills specified under section 8 of (W.S. 21-9-101 (b)) and (W.S. 21-2-304 (a) (iii)) and referenced to (W.S. 16-3-103 (h))

On a case by case basis, a student may be allowed to earn course credit through proficient performance on an approved competency based assessment, course summative assessments, or an approved placement or proficiency exam.

Up to .5 of a student's Physical Education requirement at RHS may be waived by participating in extracurricular sports, dance, cheerleading, and/or four years of Marching Band.

Reasonable adjustments to the required Elective Credits of Physical Education, Health, FineArts/Communications, and/or the Vocational credit are at the discretion of the principal.

Graduation with Certificate of Completion:

Fremont County School District #25 certificate of completion requirements are determined by each student's Individual Education Program (IEP) and includes the completion of 25 credits. These credits are derived and aligned with the Wyoming State Extended Standards. Each student's IEP will be devised to meet the unique needs of the student.

Exceptions to this policy shall be made, upon Board Approval and recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, for students whose previous enrollment was in a homeschool setting according to Homeschool to Graduation Administrative Regulations and for students applying to graduate earlier than eight semesters.