

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION COURSE REQUIREMENTS

INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF DAKAR REQUIREMENTS FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

A student must have accumulated 28 hours of credits during their high school career which encompasses 9th through 12th grades. Each field of study has a certain number of credits that must be completed. A credit is earned when one YEAR of study in a certain subject is completed. A normal credit load is 8 credits per year.

The requirements for high school graduation in each area are the following:

	<u>MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS</u>	<u>RECOMMENDED FOR COLLEGE BOUND STUDENTS</u>
LANGUAGE A	4 credits (four years of study)	4 credits (four years of study)
MATH	3 credits (three years of study) Required: Alg.1, Geometry, and Alg.11/Trig.	4 credits (four years of study)
SCIENCE	3 credits (three years of study) Required: Biology & Chemistry	4 credits (four years of study)
SOCIAL STUDIES	3 credits (three years of study)	4 credits (four years of study)
FINE ARTS	1 credit (one year of study)	2 credits (two years of study)
PHYSICAL ED	2 credits (two years of study)	<i>same as minimum requirements</i>
LANGUAGE B	3 credits (three years of study)	<i>same as minimum requirements</i>
TECHNOLOGY	1 credit	<i>same as minimum requirements</i>
ELECTIVES	(these can be chosen from either the 4 core areas of study such as English, Math, Science, or Social Studies or they can be taken from other electives.)	<i>same as minimum requirements</i>
COMMUNITY SERVICE	50 hours (Class of 2010) 75 hours (Class of 2011) 100 hours (Class of 2012 and onwards)	

N.B.: Exceptions to these rules must be determined by the Director or a designated committee of the faculty.