

High School Courses and Requirements

South Carolina Board of Education (SBE) Regulation 43-234 lists requirements for public high school students to graduate with a South Carolina High School Diploma.

Once legislative approval is granted to amend Regulation No. 43-234 DEFINED PROGRAM, GRADES 9–12 AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS, the graduation requirements beginning with the entering freshman class of 2023–24 will be as follows:

Subject Area	Credits
English	4
U.S. History	1
Economics	.5
Government	.5
Other Social Studies	1
Mathematics	4
Sciences	3
Computer Science	1
Physical Education or JROTC or Marching Band with PE	1
World Language or Career and Technology Elective	1
Personal Finance	.5
Electives	6.5
Total	24

For a complete explanation of all graduation requirements, provisions for granting high school credit and dual credit, please refer to SBE Regulation 43-234: Defined Program, Grades 9-12 and Graduation Requirements.