



Alberta High School Diploma Requirements

100 credits including the following:
English Language Arts - 30 Level (Grade 12) English Language Arts 30-1 or 30-2
Social Studies - 30 Level (Grade 12) Social Studies 30-1 or 30-2
Mathematics - 20 Level (Grade 11) Math 20-1, 20-2 or 20-3
Science - 20 Level (Grade 11) Biology 20, Chemistry 20, Physics 20, Science 20, Science 24 or a combination of Science 14 and Science 10
Physical Education 10 (minimum 3 credits) ¹
Career and Life Management (3 credits) ²
10 credits in any combination from: - Career and Technology Studies (CTS) - Fine Arts course (Art, Band, etc.) - French Language Arts courses - Physical Education 20 and/or 30 - Knowledge and Employability courses - Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP) courses - Locally developed courses (LDCs) - Dual Credit (PSI) courses
10 credits in any 30-level (Grade 12) course (in addition to ELA 30 and Social 30) - Biology 30, Chemistry 30, Math 30-1, Math 30-2, Math 30-3, Math 31, Physical Education 30, Physics 30, Science 30 30-level locally developed courses (LDCs) - Advanced level (3000 series / Grade 12) in Career and Technology Studies courses 30-level Work Experience courses³ 30-level Knowledge and Employability courses 30-level Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP) courses 30-level Green Certificate Specialization courses - Special Projects 30 30-level Dual Credit (PSI) courses
¹ See information on exemption from the physical education requirement
² See information on exemption from the CALM requirement
³ Starting in the 2026-2027 school year students may earn a maximum of 30 credits in Work Experience to meet the 100-credit requirement for an Alberta High School Diploma
*Only 5 high school credits for external learning may be used to meet the 100-credit requirement for the Alberta High School Diploma