

288 GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

To receive a diploma from Oasis Academy College Preparatory (OACP) , a student must fulfill the following requirements:

- Meet the credit requirements as required by NRS 389.018.
- Successfully pass the Nevada End of Course exams as required by NRS 389.805.
- Take the college and career readiness assessment as required by NRS 389.807.

Credit Requirements

The following requirements shall be in place for students graduating in 2018 and beyond:

1. Enrollment in and completion of 22.5 acceptable units of high school course work.
2. Eighteen and one half (18.5) credits in required areas of study. If a pupil satisfactorily completes a course of study in the use of computers during the sixth, seventh or eighth grade, he is not required to take the course of study in the use of computers and must only earn a minimum of 18 unites of credit for required courses. The course of study in the use of computers must be for at least one semester, or the equivalent.
3. Enrollment in 4 units of credit in mathematics to include Algebra I and Geometry; 2 laboratory science courses; and world history or geography. Students who satisfactorily complete Algebra I during their middle school years will receive credit.
4. Four credits (4) in elective areas of study.

Content Area Course	Required Credits	Advanced Diploma
<p style="text-align: center;">English</p> <p>American Literature & Composition (2 semesters grade 9) Classical Literature & Composition (2 semesters grade 10) English 101 & English 102 (WNC grade 11)</p>	4	4
<p style="text-align: center;">Math</p> <p>Algebra 1 (If not earned in middle school) Geometry (2 semesters grade 9) Algebra II (2 semesters grade 10) Math 126 (WNC grade 11)</p>	4	4
<p style="text-align: center;">Science</p> <p>Biology (2 semesters grade 9) Physics (2 semesters grade 10)</p>	3	4

Choice (1 semesters WNC grade 11/12 or 2 semesters for advanced diploma)		
History and Government American History (2 semesters grade 9) American Government & Economics (2 semesters grade 10) Choice (1 semesters WNC grade 11/12 or 2 semesters for advanced diploma)	3	4
Humanities Choice (1 semester WNC grade 11/12 or 2 semesters for advanced diploma))	1	2
Computers If not completed in middle school	.5	.5
Physical Education Independent Study	2	2
Health Sexual Education, First Aid, CPR (1 semester online grade 9)	.5	.5
Electives Choice	4.5	4.5
Total	22.5	25.5

Credit Regulations

Students must be regularly enrolled in OACP to be eligible for the granting of credit toward a diploma from OACP.

Students may repeat a class to improve upon a grade and have that grade calculated into their grade point average provided that the first attempt continues to appear on the transcript with a designation of NG (no grade) to indicate that the course was repeated. A student may not receive credit twice for a repeated course.

Credit for correspondence or on-line alternative courses shall be granted toward graduation only when a student has received the written approval of the high school administrator in advance of taking the course.

- Elective correspondence or on-line alternative credit must be approved in advance by the high school administrator.

Academic Load Requirements

Students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) must be enrolled in a full load of courses based on the master schedule of the school. Students in grade twelve (12) must be enrolled in a minimum of five (5) courses or the equivalent of five periods per day based on a traditional

schedule.

The transcript of each student shall be audited at least once annually and notice to parents be provided as to each student's progress toward graduation.

A student who has not earned the following number of credits in a given year shall be deemed "credit deficient":

- End of Freshman Year five (5) credits.
- End of Sophomore year eleven (11) credits
- End of Junior year seventeen (17) credits

A student may be allowed a maximum of five (5) consecutive school years from the time he/she enters the ninth (9) grade to complete all requirements for a high school diploma at OACP at the administrators discretion. Students who do not complete the graduation requirements within this time limitation and intend to continue their education must withdraw from OACP and enroll in an adult education program.

Diploma Requirements

Standard Diploma

- Students who have earned the required 22.5 credits and have passed all of the End Of Course (EOC) examinations shall be awarded a Standard High School Diploma.

Advanced Diploma

- Students who have earned a minimum of 25.5 credits, including 4 credits of English, 4 credits of mathematics, 4 credits of science with at least two laboratory classes, 4 credits of History/Government, 2 credits of Humanities and have passed all of the End of Course examinations shall be awarded an Advanced High School Diploma.

Career and Technology Education endorsement

- A CTE endorsement seal is available if a student meets the requirements of a standard or advanced diploma, and passes the End of Program assessment, passes the Work Place Readiness assessment.

Special Education

- Students enrolled in exceptional pupil programs will be granted a standard diploma upon successful completion of the high school required credits of study and passage of the End of Course Examinations. The educational needs of these students may require specially

designed instruction, environments, or modifications in the format and administration of examinations. Those students who have otherwise met the goals and objectives in their Individualized Education Plan and are unable to pass the End of Course Examinations shall be granted an adjusted diploma upon completion of all graduation requirements as outlined in their Individualized Education Program.

Early Graduation

The Board of Directors will not accept any modification of the four-year attendance requirement for high school graduation unless the student has satisfactorily completed all requirements as set forth by the Board of Directors, the Nevada State Board of Education, and have the recommendation of his/her administrator, the written consent of the legal guardian, and review and approval of the Board of Directors.

The student who chooses to follow a modified program will not be allowed to participate in school activities following withdrawal from regular attendance.

