

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

In order to graduation from the Hanover Park Regional High School District, a student must complete 130 credits during the course of grades 9-12. Effective with the 2010-11 grade nine class, a pupil must have earned a minimum of 140 credits in courses designed to meet all of the New Jersey Core Content Curriculum Standards. Satisfactory completion of a full year course earns 5 credits; students therefore must gain credit for 24-26 full year courses (or equivalent) to earn a diploma. The courses may be taken in any department or subject areas, but must include:

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Totals for the Class of 2014 and beyond</u>
Language Arts	20	20
World History	5	5
U.S. History	10	10
Mathematics	15	15
Science	15	15
World Language	5	10
Physical Education & Health	20	20
Visual & Performing Arts	5	5
21 st century life and careers	5	5
Financial Literacy		2.5
Minimum elective	30	32.5
Total needed for graduation	130	140

In addition to be above, New Jersey State Law stipulates that:

Students must pass the High School Proficiency Assessment (HSPA), the state basic skills examination, in all required areas.

PARTICIPATION IN CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Continued participation in co-curricular activities, including athletics, will be dependent upon satisfactory academic performance. Participation for such students who receive one "F" for a marking period will be subject to review by the principal. Students with two or more "F's" for a marking period shall be placed automatically on a period of lost eligibility. All N.J.S.I.A.A. rules and regulations dealing with academic eligibility will be followed.

GRADING SYSTEM

<i>NUMERICAL EQUIVALENT OF LETTER GRADES</i>		<i>GPA REGULAR</i>	<i>GPA WEIGHTED</i>
A+	99 – 100	4.2	5.2
A	93 – 98	4.0	5.0
A-	90 – 92	3.8	4.8
B+	88 – 89	3.5	4.5
B	83 – 87	3.0	4.0
B-	80 – 82	2.8	3.8
C+	78 – 79	2.5	3.5
C	73 – 77	2.0	3.0
C-	70 – 72	1.7	2.7
D+	68 – 69	1.4	2.4
D	66 – 67	1.0	2.0
D-	65	0.7	1.7