

# **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

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## Course Work

<b><u>Subject</u></b>	<b><u>Required Coursework</u></b>
Language Arts Literacy	English 9,10,11,12 or ESL Equivalent
Mathematics	Three Credit Years - <i>Including Algebra 1 AND Geometry AND a third math that builds on Algebra 1 and Geometry</i>
LAB Science	Three Credit Years - <i>Including Biology AND Chemistry AND either Physics or Environmental Science</i>
Social Studies	Three Credit Years – <i>Including US History 1 AND US History 2 AND World History</i>
World Language	1 year minimum
Fine or Performing Arts	1 year minimum
21 <sup>st</sup> Century Life and Careers	1 year minimum
Physical Education / Health	Every year enrolled in high school
Personal Financial Literacy	1 semester minimum – Financial Literacy Course

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## Credits

<b><u>Subject</u></b>	<b><u>Required</u></b>
Language Arts Literacy	20 credits
Mathematics	15 credits
LAB Science	15 credits
Social Studies	15 credits
World Language	5 credits
Fine or Performing Art	5 credits
21 <sup>st</sup> Century Life and Career	5 credits
Physical Education / Health	20 credits
Personal Financial Literacy	2.5 credits
<b>CREDITS BASED ON REQUIRED COURSE WORK</b>	<b>102.5 credits</b>
<b>CREDITS NEEDED TO GRADUATE</b>	<b>125 credits</b>

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## NJ Graduation Proficiency Assessment

### Pathways Available

#### First Pathway

Students must take and demonstrate proficiency in grade 11 on the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment, which includes content aligned to the grade 10 New Jersey Student Learning Standards (NJSLS) in ELA, and the NJSLS in Algebra 1 and Geometry. If after completing the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment a student does not demonstrate proficiency on the ELA or mathematics section, the student may retake the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in the following summer or fall.

A student with disabilities whose IEP states that they are not eligible for the alternate assessment (Dynamic Learning Maps) must take the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in grade 11.

**Table 4: First Pathway — New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment**

ELA	Mathematics
New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment-ELA	New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment-Mathematics

#### Second Pathway

**Note:** This pathway is only available to students who completed the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in grade 11.

Students who sat for the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment in grade 11 and did not demonstrate proficiency are able to demonstrate proficiency in ELA and/or mathematics by meeting the designated cut score on one of the assessments on the menu of substitute competency tests in Table 5 on the next page.

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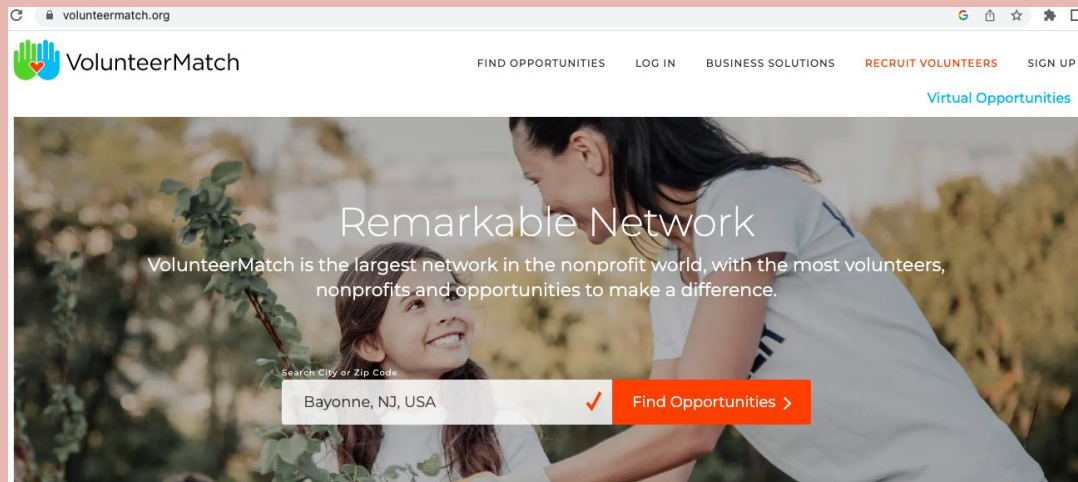
## Service Learning

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20 Hours

Seniors need to have **10 HOURS** by the beginning of senior year in order to participate in the following:

- *Sports*
- *Clubs*
- *Activities*
- *Graduation Ceremonies*



# High School Diploma

- Required Course Work
- 125 credits
- NJ Graduation Proficiency Assessment
- 20 hours Service Learning

