



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

To remain eligible for graduation and earn a Catholic Central High School Diploma, a student must earn a minimum of 26 credits to graduate. Graduation will be based on the following additional criteria:

- Student's academic performance
- Teacher approvals
- Passing the Wisconsin State Civics Exam
- Successful completion of the following mandatory credit requirements:
 - 4.0 Cr. English
 - 4.0 Cr. Theology (pro-rated for transfers)
 - 3.0 Cr. Math
 - 3.0 Cr. Science
 - 3.0 Cr. Social Studies
 - 1.5 Cr. Fitness & Wellness
 - .5 Cr. Health
 - .5 Cr. Personal Finance
 - 1.0 Cr. Fine Arts
 - Completion of 25 documented hours of community service each school year (100 total hours; pro-rated for transfers)

COURSE RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT

Students must be enrolled in a minimum of 6.5 credit hours each academic year in order to remain enrolled at Catholic Central High School.

ADDING/DROPPING COURSES

Each student has the ultimate responsibility for his/her schedule. He/she will be assisted in this effort by the school counselor and the faculty. Graduation requirements, teacher approvals, individual talents, and the needs of the student will be considered before a final approval of the schedule change is given. A student may request a schedule change before the fifth day of classes; students must submit a parent-approved Schedule Request Form before any requests will be granted. No student will be allowed to drop a class after the 5th day unless recommended by the teacher and counselor. Please note that class changes will only be made for graduation purposes. For year-long classes, the 5th day rule only applies to the first semester. Students may not drop any year-long classes mid-year.

ASYNCHRONOUS/ONLINE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CCHS STUDENTS

CCHS understands that learning takes place in a variety of situations, environments and locations and is committed to working with its students on a case-by-case basis to meet their educational needs. Completing classes through online course providers (such as Educere, Wisconsin Virtual School, and Catholic Virtual Academy) is not the norm outside of credit recovery situations, and much consideration is given before any request to enroll in such classes is granted. Families are required to pay for the cost (in addition to CCHS tuition) for any online class that they choose to participate in.

REQUIRED COURSEWORK

Highlighted courses are required for graduation. It is strongly recommended that students planning to attend a four-year college/university after high school complete at least two credits of the same World Language to satisfy entrance requirements for many public colleges/universities.

Subject	Credits	Courses
Business and Technology	0.5	Personal Finance
English	4.0	English 1 English 2 American Literature & Composition or AP Language & Composition World Literature & Composition or AP Literature & Composition
Fine Arts	1.0	Any two classes in Visual Art and/or Instrumental and/or Vocal Music, and/or Theatre
Fitness and Wellness	1.5	Physical Education Foundations (0.5 credit) and any 2 additional Fitness & Wellness courses
Health	0.5	Health
Math	3.0	Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II/Trigonometry or Honors Algebra II/Trigonometry 3 credits of math need to be taken while in high school
Science	3.0	Conceptual Physics Biology One (1) additional Natural Science credit
Social Studies	3.0	World History US Government (0.5) or AP US Government. & Politics (1.0) US History Additional 0.5 Social Studies credit (if US Government was taken)
Theology	4.0	Catholic Christianity I & II Old Testament Scripture and New Testament Scripture Social Justice Church History Additional 1.0 credits
Electives	6.0	Elective courses are an opportunity for students to pursue personal interests, Credits will increase if theology courses are pro-rated