

PUSD DIPLOMA OPTIONS

UC & CSU Eligibility		Classic Diploma		College & Career Pathways Diploma		Alternative Diploma Rose City ONLY	
40	Four courses in English	ELA	40	English 1 English 2 English 3 or AP Eng. Lang ERWC or AP Eng. Lit	40	English I, II, III, IV	
30	Three years of college-preparatory math including Algebra 2 or Math III (Recommended 40)	Math	30	Math I & II (Math III, Statistics or College Prep Math recommended as 3rd year of math)	30	Math I & Math II	
20	One year of world or European history, cultures and geography (may be a single year-long course or two one-semester courses), and one year of U.S. history or one-half year of U.S. history and one-half year of civics or American Government	Social Studies	30	World History or Social Science Elective U.S. History American Gov't/Economics	30	History/Social Science U.S. History American Gov't Economics	
20	Recommended 30, 2 labs required (Physics, Chemistry, Biology)	Science	30	Physics Chemistry Biology (Life Science)	20	Biology Physics/Chemistry	
20	20 of the same language other than English are required. (30 recommended)	World Language	10	10 units of the same Language required for 4 year college admission	10	Fine Arts, World Language, or CTE	
10	One course in visual or performing arts, foreign language (approved under VAPA)	Fine and Performing Arts	10	Required for UC/CSU admission	10	Required for UC/CSU admission	
0	Two courses in physical education	PE	20	Must pass fitness exam or continue in P.E.	20	Must pass fitness exam or continue in P.E.	
0	CTE		5	CTE	5	CTE	
10	One year (two semesters) chosen from courses specific to the elective subject area or courses beyond those used to satisfy the requirements of the academic core subjects.	Electives	45	AP, IB, and Honors courses, Choir, Band, Arts, Robotics, ASB	25	Courses with certification, dual enrollment in Junior College pathway programs	
	All courses must be passed with at least a "C" or better. CSU system requires a minimum of a 2.0 to apply. UC system requires a minimum of a 3.0 to apply.	Additional Requirements	HOURS 40	Complete 40 hours of community service or Work-Based Learning and submit a Senior Defense/Portfolio	HOURS 200	Complete 200 hours of Work Based Learning including internship and community service and submit Senior Defense/Portfolio	
150 Units		TOTAL	220 Units		220 Units		170 Units

Honors and Recognitions

3.0 GPA - Cum Laude	Key Words CTE - Career Technical Education AP - Advanced Placement IB - International Baccalaureate HL - Higher Level IB Courses SL - Standard Level IB Courses	California Scholarship Federation Requirements Membership is based on scholarship and is gained after qualifying grades are earned each semester. csf-cjsf.org	Seal of Bi-literacy Students will earn a Seal of Bi-literacy when they complete all AB815 requirements, demonstrating bilingualism and bi-literate competencies in English and an additional language. sealofbiliteracy.org	National Honor Society Requirements in grades 10 through 12 •cumulative GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) •demonstrating volunteer/service hours •excellent record of behavior •participating in leadership
3.5 GPA - Magna Cum Laude		International Baccalaureate Diploma The International Baccalaureate® (IB) Diploma Programme (DP) is recognized and respected by the world's leading universities, and evidence suggests that higher rates of DP students go on to university and higher education study than non-IB students. Students complete a rigorous internationally benchmarked college bound course of studies and have to pass 3 HL and 3 SL courses.	AP Capstone Diploma 3 AP's with 3's or higher in AP Seminar and an AP Research Earns score of 3 or higher on four additional AP Exams of their choosing	Golden Seal Diploma Minimum B in US History Minimum B+ in ELA, Math and Science for one year (9th-11th) Minimum B+ in two other subject areas for one year
4.0 GPA and above Summa Cum Laude				

