

# STUDENTS

## Series 500

Policy Title Graduation Requirements

Code No. 505.05

Students must successfully complete the courses required by the board and Iowa Department of Education in order to graduate.

It is the responsibility of the superintendent to ensure that students complete grades one through twelve and that high school students complete the following credits prior to graduation.

Course	Credit
Computer	1.0
Language Arts	10.0
Science	6.0
Math	6.0
Social Studies	6.0
Health	1.0
Physical Education	8.0
Electives	10.0
Total Required Credits	48.0

Beginning with the Class of 2011, requirements will increase to six credits of science and six credits of math.

The required courses of study will be reviewed by the board annually.

Graduation requirements for special education students will be in accordance with the prescribed course of study as described in their Individual Education Program (IEP).

**Legal Reference:**

Iowa Code 256.11, .11A, 279.8, 280.3, .14 2009).  
281 I.A.C. 12.2, .3(7), .5; 41.404(6)(e).

**Cross Reference:**

505.00 Student Scholastic Achievement  
603.03 Special Education

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Related Administrative Rules and Regulations:

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