

**Northwest High Magnet School  
Graduation Requirements**

**Students must earn a MINIMUM of 49 credits to graduate from Omaha Public Schools.**

**English . . . . . 8 credits**

Grade 9 – English 1 & 2  
Grade 10 – English 3 & 4 Grade 11 – English 5 & 6 or AP® English Language and Composition 1 & 2  
Grade 12 – English 7 & 8 or AP® English Literature and Composition 1 & 2

**Social Studies . . . . . 7 credits**

Grade 9 – United States History 1 & 2  
Grade 10 – Geography and Economics & Financial Literacy  
Grade 11 – Modern World History 1 & 2 or AP® World History  
Grade 12 – American Government or AP® United States Government and Politics

**Mathematics. . . . . 6 credits**

9<sup>th</sup> grade - Pre-Algebra 1 & 2, Algebra 1 & 2, Geometry 1 & 2, or Algebra 3 & 4  
10<sup>th</sup> grade - Algebra 1 & 2, Geometry, Algebra 3 & 4, or Pre-Calculus/Trigonometry  
11<sup>th</sup> grade - Geometry, Algebra 3 & 4, Algebra 5 & 6, Pre-Calculus/Trigonometry, or AP Calculus

**Science. . . . . 6 credits**

Class of 2016 and thereafter:  
9<sup>th</sup> grade – Physical Science 1 & 2  
10<sup>th</sup> grade – Biology 1 & 2  
11<sup>th</sup> grade – Science Elective

Class of 2013 to 2015:  
9<sup>th</sup> grade – Biology 1 & 2  
10<sup>th</sup> grade – Chemistry 1 & 2  
11<sup>th</sup> grade – Physical Science 1 & 2 or Physics 1 & 2

**Physical Education or JROTC. . . . . 4 credits**

May substitute eight semesters of Band

**Human Growth and Development. . . . . 1 credit**

**Elective Credits. . . . . 17 credits**

**TOTAL REQUIRED . . . . . 49 credits**

One credit is equivalent to one successful semester of course work in Omaha Public Schools.