



# Huntington Beach Union High School District Board Policies and Administrative Regulations

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## Instruction

### Certificate of Proficiency/High School Equivalency

#### Adult School Graduation Requirements

Students shall receive diplomas of graduation from Adult School only after completing the prescribed course of study which includes meeting the standards of proficiency established by the district, and passing the California High School Exit Exam (CAHSEE).

Students shall complete the following requirements in order to receive a diploma of graduation:

1. Total credits required: 180
2. Required courses:
  - a. 4 years English
  - b. 1 year World History
  - c. 1 year U. S. History
  - d. 1/2 year U. S. Government
  - e. 1/2 year Economics
  - f. 3 years Mathematics (must include one year of Algebra)
  - g. 2 1/2 years Science (minimum of one year each in Physical Science and Biological Science, 1/2 year Health)
  - h. 1 1/2 years Visual/Performing Arts or Foreign Language or Applied Curriculum (one year must be in either Visual/Performing Arts or Foreign Language)
  - i. 2 years Physical Education

Adult School Graduation Requirements (continued)

3. Minimum of one semester as full time Adult School student immediately preceding graduation.
4. Minimum of 20 credits earned in Adult School.
5. Minimum age of 18 at time of graduation.

The Board is committed to the principle that the achievement of at least minimum proficiency in the basic skills of reading comprehension, writing and mathematical computation is required before any student is granted an Adult School diploma.

Students will have met basic skills upon the successful completion of four years of English and three years of math. The skills will be assessed during the classroom experience using assignments, class projects, units tests, and/or portfolios.

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