

BRAINTREE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

IKF- GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

To earn a diploma from Braintree High School a student must earn 115 credits and successfully meet the following requirements:

Department	Credits	Number of Year-long Courses	Additional Requirements
English	20	4	
Mathematics	20	4	Must Complete Algebra II
Science	15	3	Must complete 3 lab-based courses
Social Studies	15	3	Must complete American History, World History, and American Government
World Language	10	2	Must complete 2 years of the SAME World Language
Creative/Applied Arts	5	1	
Physical Education	8	4	8 Semester Courses that meet 2 days per cycle
Electives	22		22 additional credits must be obtained through selection of elective courses

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

1. All students must carry five major courses each semester plus Physical Education. A major course is defined as a course that meets six times or more per cycle. In addition, freshmen will also be scheduled to take Health Education.



2. Completion of one of the following two conditions in both the English Language Arts and Mathematics MCAS to earn a competency determination:
 - Meet or exceed the Proficient scaled score of 240 on the English Language Arts and Mathematics grade 10 MCAS test,
Or
 - Meet or exceed the Needs Improvement scaled score of 220 on the English Language Arts and Mathematics grade 10 MCAS tests and fulfill the requirements of an Educational Proficiency Plan

3. In addition to the above requirements, students must attain a minimum of Needs Improvement (scaled score of 220) on one of the high school end of course science MCAS tests in Biology, Chemistry, Introductory Physics, or Technology/Engineering to meet their science competency determination.

4. All academic, discipline, financial, and/or procedural obligations must be fulfilled two school days before graduation.

Adopted by School Committee 5/7/2018

