Santa Maria High School Graduation Requirements AND

Minimum "A-G" CSU/UC Admissions Requirements

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| **SMHS Graduation Requirements** | **A-G Requirements** |
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| Social Studies - 30 units - 3 years | A. History - 2 years |
| World History, US History, Government and Economics |  |
| English - 40 units - 4 years | B. English - 4 years |
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| Math - 20 units - 2 years | C. Math - 3 years/4 recommended |
| Including 10 credits of Algebra or 20 credits of 2-year Algebra. | Including Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra 2 |
| Science - 20 units - 2 years | D. Lab Science - 2 years/3 recommended |
| 10 Credits of physical science and 10 Credits biological science. |  |
| Visual and Performing Arts, Foreign Language, or  CTE course -10 units - 1 year | E. Language other than English - 2 years /3  recommended |
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| Electives - 75 units | F. Fine Arts - 1 year |
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| Health - 5 units total | G. College Prep. Elective - 1 year |
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| Physical Education - 2 years | "C" grade or better in all of the above |
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|  | College Admissions Exams: |
| 1. SAT Reasoning and/or ACT 2. SAT II Subject Exams   . |
| Community Service/Extracurricular Activites: |
| University admissions and scholarship committees value community service and extracurricular opportunities through school or community based clubs and organizations, refer to your Student/Parent Handbook for a list of clubs. |
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