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# NYSED Graduation Requirements:

All Students must:

Earn...

- 22 Credits

Take...

- Required courses

Pass...

- Regents exams

Types of Diplomas are...

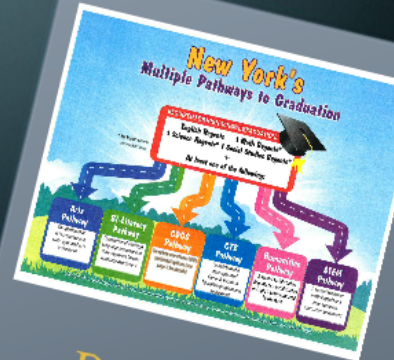
- Local

- Regents

- Regents with Advanced Designation

\*Special endorsements for  
Honors, Mastery in Math  
and/or Science, &  
Technical endorsement

- 4 + 1 Pathways to graduation



Required Regents

English

Science

Math

Social Studies

Pathway Options

Arts, Bi-Literacy, CDOS, CTE

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## CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

(Apply to all diploma types: local, Regents,  
Regents with advanced designation)

	MINIMUM NUMBER OF CREDITS
English	4
Social Studies (see note #6) <i>Distributed as follows:</i> <i>U.S. History (1)</i> <i>Global History and Geography (2)</i> <i>Participation in Government (½)</i> <i>Economics (½)</i>	4
Science <i>Distributed as follows:</i> <i>Life Science (1)</i> <i>Physical Science (1)</i> <i>Life Science or Physical Science (1)</i>	3
Mathematics	3
Languages Other than English (LOTE)	1 <sup>(**)</sup>
Visual Art, Music, Dance, and/or Theater	1
Physical Education (participation each semester)	2
Health	0.5
Electives	3.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>22</b>

(\*\*) Students with a disability may be excused from the requirement for 1 unit of credit in LOTE if so indicated on their IEP, but they must still earn 22 units of credit to graduate.

## Types of Diplomas are...

- Local
- Regents
- Regents with Advanced Designation

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Technical endorsement



**EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS**

	Regents Diploma for All Students		Regents Diploma via Appeal for All Students		Local Diploma via Appeal for All Students		Local Diploma for Students with a Disability		Local Diploma via Appeal for English Language Learners	
REGENTS EXAM or passing score on a Department approved alternative	# of Exams	Passing Score	# of Exams	Passing Score	# of Exams	Passing Score	# of Exams	Passing Score	# of Exams	Passing Score
English Language Arts (ELA)	1	65	1	1 Regents exam with a score of 60-64 for which an appeal has been granted by the district and all remaining Regents exams with a score of 65 or above	1	2 Regents exams with a score of 60-64 for which appeals have been granted by the district and all remaining Regents exams with a score of 65 or above	1	55 <sup>**</sup>	1	Either the ELA Regents exam with a score of 55-59 for which an appeal has been granted by the district, and all remaining Regents exams with a score of 65 or above, OR 1 Regents exam with a score of 60-64 and the ELA Regents with a score of 55-59 for which appeals have been granted for both by the district, and the remaining Regents exams with a score of 65 or above <sup>+</sup>
Math	1	65	1		1		1	55 <sup>**</sup>	1	
Science	1	65	1		1		1	55 <sup>**</sup>	1	
Social Studies	1	65	1		1		1	55 <sup>**</sup>	1	
Pathway (See note 1 on reverse side)	1 or CDOS	65 if Regents Exam	1 or CDOS		1 or CDOS		1 or CDOS	55 <sup>**</sup> if Regents Exam	1 or CDOS	
Compensatory Safety Net	Non-Applicable		Non-Applicable		Non-Applicable		Scores of 45-54 on any required Regents exam (except ELA and Mathematics) can be compensated by a score of 65 or above on another required Regents exam including ELA and Mathematics.		Non-Applicable	

**REGENTS DIPLOMA with ADVANCED DESIGNATION**

Depending on the pathway a student chooses, the Regents diploma with advanced designation assessment requirements may be met in multiple ways. Students seeking the Regents diploma with Advanced Designation may choose from the following assessment options:

Traditional Combination	ELA, Global History and Geography, US History and Government, 3 mathematics, 2 science (1 life science, 1 physical science) = 8 assessments. In addition, the student must choose either 2 additional credits in LOTE and the locally developed Checkpoint B LOTE Exam OR a 5-unit sequence in the arts or CTE.
Pathway Combination (other than STEM)	ELA, 1 social studies, 3 math, 2 science (1 life science, 1 physical science), 1 Pathway (other than science or math) or complete the requirements for the CDOS Commencement Credential = 7 (+CDOS) or 8 assessments. In addition, the student must choose either 2 additional credits in LOTE and the locally developed Checkpoint B LOTE Exam OR a 5-unit sequence in the arts or CTE.
STEM (Mathematics) Pathway Combination	ELA, 1 social studies, 4 math <sup>†</sup> , 2 science (1 life science, 1 physical science) = 8 assessments. In addition, the student must choose either 2 additional credits in LOTE and the locally developed Checkpoint B Exam or a 5-unit sequence in the arts or CTE.
STEM (Science) Pathway Combination	ELA, 1 social studies, 3 math, 3 science (at least 1 life science, at least 1 physical science) = 8 assessments. In addition, the student must choose either 2 additional credits in LOTE and the locally developed Checkpoint B LOTE Exam OR a 5-unit sequence in the arts or CTE.

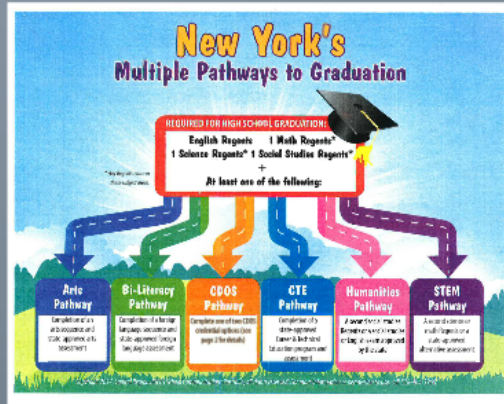
\* A student with a disability may appeal scores between 52 and 54 on up to two Regents examinations in any discipline and graduate with the local diploma. See Diploma Requirements Chart: Local diploma for Students with Disabilities (<http://www.nysed.gov/common/nysed/files/programs/curriculum-instruction/diploma-and-credentials-summary-requirements.pdf#page=4>).

^In the event a student with a disability is unable to attain a passing score on any Regents examination, the student may be eligible for a Superintendent Determination of a local diploma. See Information Related to Graduation Requirements for Students with Disabilities (<http://www.p12.nysed.gov/specialed/gradrequirements/home.html>).

†English Language Learners seeking an appeal for a score of 55-59 on the ELA Regents Exam are only eligible if they entered the United States in grade 9 or after and were classified as an English Language Learner when they took the test the second time. See Diploma Requirements Chart: Local Diploma: English Language Learners Only (<http://www.nysed.gov/common/nysed/files/programs/curriculum-instruction/diploma-and-credentials-summary-requirements.pdf#page=6>).

‡The 4<sup>th</sup> mathematics examination can be selected from the list of Department Approved Alternative Examinations (<http://www.p12.nysed.gov/assessment/hsgen/archive/list.pdf>).

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## PATHWAYS TO GRADUATION

### Required Regents Exams:

English  
Science  
Math  
Social Studies

### Pathway Options:

Arts, Bi-Literacy, CDOS, CTE, Humanities, STEM



# New York's Multiple Pathways to Graduation

REQUIRED FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION:

**English Regents    1 Math Regents\***  
**1 Science Regents\*    1 Social Studies Regents\***

+

**At least one of the following:**

*\* Any Regents exam in  
these subject areas.*

## Arts Pathway

Completion of an arts sequence and state-approved arts assessment

## Bi-Literacy Pathway

Completion of a foreign language sequence and state-approved foreign language assessment

## CDOS Pathway

Complete one of two CDOS credential options (see page 2 for details)

## CTE Pathway

Completion of a state-approved Career & Technical Education program and assessment

## Humanities Pathway

A second social studies Regents or a social studies or English exam approved by the state

## STEM Pathway

A second science or math Regents or a state-approved alternative assessment



# Understanding GPA/Rank

GPA (Grade Point Average) is the student's cumulative average for each year of school they complete in high school.

Weighting is applied in computing cumulative average and rank. This is done in the following manner:

- AP courses are given 1.0 pt to the final overall score in the course
- Regents, Regional LOTE, and dual credit (e.g. MVCC) courses are given .5 pts to the overall score in the course
- No other courses are given additional points

Remsen students are given 0.25 pts to their cumulative GPA for each full credit completed above the required 22 for NYS graduation. For example, a student graduating with 25 credits will have 0.75 pts added to their GPA before rounding to the nearest whole number.

# *Remsen Opportunities Include...*

*Our own in-house CTE programs*

*Dual credit courses offered through MVCC & Cobleskill*

*AP Courses*

# CTE @ Remsen

## Academy of Business

(Already NY State approved)

**Linda Smith**

lsmith@remsenctd.org  
(315) 205-4300 x:5222

### Core Courses - 2 credits

Marketing (.5)  
Business Law (.5)  
MVCE-Introduction to Business - (.5)  
MVCE-Workplace Computer Applications - (.5)

### Elective Courses - 1 credit

MVCE-Principles of Accounting (.5) and Advanced  
Computer Applications (.5)  
Or  
Business Math-11.0



## Academy of Human Development

(JUST NY State approved!)

**Melissa Obernesser**  
mobernesser@remsenctd.org  
(315) 205-4300 x:5202

### Courses:

Food and Nutrition For Life I & II (.5 + .5 cr)  
Child Development I & II (.5 + .5 cr)  
Human Development I & II (.5 + .5 cr)



## Academy of Agriculture

(Approval process in 2019-2020)

**Rayne Ives**

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### Core Courses:

Introduction to Ag, Food, and Natural Res II  
Animal Science I (.5)  
Animal Science II (.5)  
Horticulture I (.5)  
Agricultural Business (.5)

### Elective Courses:

Horticulture II (.5)  
Natural Resources (.5)  
Introduction to Dairy (.5)



Core Courses for all programs:

- College & Career Readiness 0.5 cr
- Career & Financial Mgmt 0.5 cr
- Internship



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## Elective Courses - 1 credits

MVCC-Principles of Accounting (.5) and Advanced  
Computer Applications (.5)

Or

Business Math-(1.0)



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1000 Remsen Road  
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Website: www.remsen-csd.org

## School Store:

Students who work in the Remsen Stop & Shop learn all aspects of working in retail, including...

- Math skills
- Interpersonal communication
- Customer service
- Stocking merchandise
- Creating displays
- Time management
- Dependability
- Cash register
- Housekeeping

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## Activities:

- Plan and teach lessons at elementary school
- Cater different school events

## Dual Credit through SUNY Cobleskill:

- Food and Nutrition For Life  
(Healthy Cooking w/ Lab)
- Child Development  
(Child Growth and Development)

3 college credits each

Free or reduced lunch = Free or reduced tuition

New classroom :-)



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## Core Courses:

## Introduction to Ag, Food, and Natural Res (II)

**Animal Science I (.5)**

**Animal Science II (.5)**

### Horticulture I (.5)

### Agricultural Business (.5)

### Elective Courses:

### Horticulture II (.5)

### Natural Resources (.5)

## Introduction to Dairy (1.5)



**Agriculture Program Update**  
 • Funding source and program framework  
 • CTE Program Approval Fall 2019  
 • \$1M Ag. Education Insurance Grant \$5,000  
 • Large equipment, navigation, AG projects...  
 • Grants continue to become available  
 • Data collection...  
 • 2018 Pacific Rim Challenge winner  
 • 2019 final

# Agriculture Program Updates

- Finalizing courses and program framework
- CTE Program Approval: Fall 2019
- NY Ag. Education Incentive Grant: \$4,000
- Large equipment, curriculum, PD, projects...
- Grants continue to become available
- New classroom :-)
- 2018 Plastic Film Challenge winners!
- FFA Club

# CTE @ BOCES

Presentation to students  
on 2/5, 4th period

BOCES CTE & NV  
Visitation Day 3/5, 3/8

## For Seniors @ BOCES

New Visions

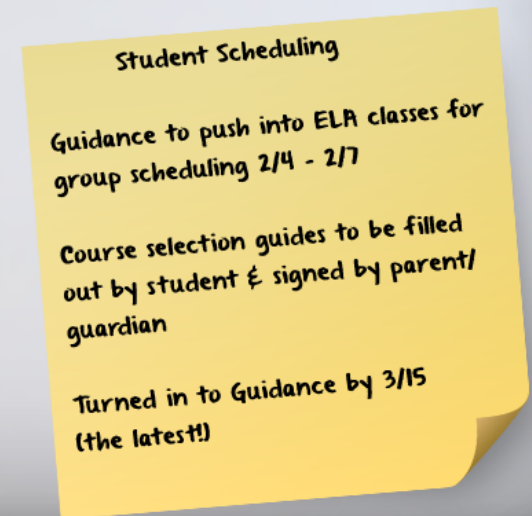
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# BOCES Open Houses

Saturday Showcase - February 2nd  
from 10:00-1:00

Info Night - March 13th  
from 6:00-8:00 pm







## Student Scheduling

Guidance to push into ELA classes for group scheduling 2/4 - 2/7

Course selection guides to be filled out by student & signed by parent/guardian

Turned in to Guidance by 3/15  
(the latest!)



ENTERING GRADE 9  
2019-2020 COURSE SELECTION – YEAR B

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*\*\*  
Please see reverse side for graduation requirements and required courses. Both the student and parent/guardian's signature is required for processing. All freshman are required to take a fine art course: either Chorus, Band, or Studio Art, as required by NY State graduation requirements. Any student interested in pursuing a Remsen CTE pathway, see reverse side for further information.  
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ENGLISH:

☒ 0100 English 9

SOCIAL STUDIES:

☒ 0200 Global 9

MATHEMATICS:

☐ 0300a/0300b Algebra CC & Lab  
☐ 0304a/304b Geometry CC & Lab

SCIENCE:

☐ 0405/0406 Living Environment R & Lab  
☐ 0400 General Biology

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

☒ 8892 PE 9-12

FOREIGN LANGUAGE:

☐ 0901 Spanish 1B  
☐ 0801 French 1B

FINE ART:

☐ 0505 Studio Art

MUSIC:

☐ 0600 Band & Lessons  
☐ 0601 Chorus & Lessons

BUSINESS & COMPUTER TECH:

☐ RCTE101 College & Career Readiness

TECHNOLOGY:

☐ RCTE300 Foundations of Tech

AGRICULTURE:

☐ 0049AG Intro to Ag, Food & Nat Res

REMSSEN CTE PATHWAY OF INTEREST: \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER COURSES NEEDED:

SPECIAL EDUCATION NEEDS (if any):

STUDENT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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