

High School Planning Guide For:

Student: _____

Completed On: _____

Subject 23 Credits Req'd in GA	8 th Grade	9 th grade	10 th grade	11 th grade	12 th grade	Comments
English 4 Credits						literature, writing, composition, speech
Math 4 Credits						Algebra 1, geometry, algebra 2, trigonometry, pre-calculus, or calculus
Social Studies 3 Credits						world history, US history, economics, and government
Science 4 Credits						biology, chemistry, physics, and other specialty sciences (2 with lab preferred)
*Foreign Language 3 Credits						GA universities require 2 years same language (modern preferred)
Physical Education 1 Credit						Health, PE, sports, or ROTC
Electives 4 Credits						Bible, driver's ed., keyboarding, logic, computer science, career, technical
*Fine Arts May take in place of foreign language						At least 1 year music, theater, art, and dance are suggested for non-art majors
Other	Begin high school record-keeping		Optional: October PSAT-for fun?	October PSAT, Spring SAT or ACT, and visit colleges	Fall: College essays, college applications January FAFSA	AP, IB, CLEP, or SAT 2 Subject Tests, if needed, after each course is completed.

*Under GA law Fine Arts and or Career/Technical/Agricultural Education may substitute for foreign language.
In general, 1 credit or unit is equivalent to 150 hours of classroom clock time or 130 hours of block time.