

4.45.2—Van Buren High School Diplomas

<p align="center"><b>General (Core) Diploma</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Smart Core Diploma</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Diplomas of Distinction</b></p>
<p><b>English—4 Credits</b> English 9 English 10 English 11 English 12</p> <p><b>Mathematics—4 Credits</b> Algebra 1 Geometry Algebra 2 Additional Math</p> <p><b>Science—3 Credits</b> At least one unit of Physical Science At least one unit of Biology Additional Science</p> <p><b>Social Studies—3 Credits</b> Civics .5 credit Economics .5 credit World History American History</p> <p><b>State Required</b> Oral Communications .5 credit Physical Education .5 credit Health and Safety .5 credit Fine Arts .5 credit</p> <p><b>Digital Learning Course (beginning w/Class of 2019)</b></p> <p><b>Career Focus Electives - 6</b></p> <p>*Technology (Local Credit) *Principal Approval</p> <p align="center"><b>*22 Credits needed to Graduate</b></p>	<p><b>English—4 Credits</b> English 9 English 10 English 11 English 12</p> <p><b>Mathematics—4 Credits</b> Algebra 1 Geometry Algebra 2 ADE approved fourth Math credit or Computer Science Flex</p> <p><b>Science—3 Credits</b> ADE approved physical science ADE approved biology ADE approved third science or Computer Science Flex</p> <p><b>Social Studies—3 Credits</b> Civics .5 credit Economics .5 credit World History American History</p> <p><b>State Required</b> Oral Communications .5 credit Physical Education .5 credit Health and Safety .5 credit Fine Arts .5 credit</p> <p><b>Digital Learning Course (beginning w/Class of 2019)</b></p> <p><b>Career Focus Electives - 6</b></p> <p>*Technology (Local Credit) Principal Approval</p> <p align="center"><b>*22 Credits needed to Graduate</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>(Local Honor Diplomas) College Prep</b></p> <p>Smart Core curriculum including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>23 Credits</b></li> <li>● 4 PAP or state endorsed weighted credit courses</li> <li>● 3.0 GPA at the end of 8 semesters</li> </ul> <p>*Technology (Local Credit) Principal Approval</p> <p align="center"><b>College Prep Honors</b></p> <p>Smart Core curriculum including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>23 Credits</b></li> <li>● 8 PAP or state endorsed weighted credit courses (2 must be state endorsed weighted credit courses)</li> <li>● 3.5 GPA at the end of 8 semesters</li> </ul> <p>*Technology (Local Credit) Principal Approval</p> <p align="center"><b>College Prep High Honors</b></p> <p>Smart Core curriculum including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>23 Credits</b></li> <li>● 12 PAP or state endorsed weighted credit courses (3 must be state endorsed weighted credit courses)</li> <li>● 3.9 GPA at the end of 8 semesters</li> </ul> <p>*Technology (Local Credit) Principal Approval</p> <p align="center"><b>23 Credits needed to Graduate</b></p>

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