

CHERRY HILL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Cherry Hill, New Jersey

G-5

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Students who wish to earn credits toward fulfillment of the requirements of a Cherry Hill diploma as noted in Policy 6146: Graduation Requirements may do so by taking college courses in accord with the following conditions.

HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL COURSES

1. **Upon successful completion of Introduction to Functions in the Middle School and/or Geometry H. the student can receive high school credit for these courses. The student will still need to complete 3 years of math in high school to meet the HS graduation requirement.**

HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT FOR COLLEGE COURSES

1. Two, three credit college semester courses, or equivalent, would be equal to a full year high school course.
2. Prior approval be received from the guidance director, department supervisor and principal. The college course must meet the requirements of the high school course for which it is substituted.
3. Only those high school courses approved by the Board of Education and listed in the current year Course Selection Booklet will be considered.
4. College courses taken in this manner will count toward graduation requirements, but will not be counted in class rank.

EARLY ADMISSION TO COLLEGE

1. Upon successful completion of all requirements for high school graduation as prescribed by the State of New Jersey and the Cherry Hill Board of Education, a student shall be awarded a high school diploma.
2. [A student shall accumulate a minimum of one hundred and three (103) credits in high school including at least three (3) years of English and one (1) year of American History.]
3. Maximum of fifteen (15) credits will be accepted for transfer credit from college or university study. A full year of college study shall be considered as equal to five (5) high school credits for each course.

4. Any course in the history of the United States taken at an approved college or university, which credit is to be applied toward meeting school graduation requirements, shall meet the requirements set forth in Title 18A:35-1 and 18A:35-2 of the New Jersey Statutes and meet the approval of the Superintendent.

Reference: Policy 6146: Graduation Requirements

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