

# Maumee High School

## Long-Term Graduation Requirements for the Class of 2023 & Beyond

A student must complete the following to receive a high school diploma:

**1. Course Completion:** Students will satisfy the State of Ohio's curriculum requirements as well as the requirements of the Maumee City Schools. Students will complete 23 credits, with specific credits required in each content area, as set forth by the Maumee City Schools graduation policy:

**English** - 4 credits

**Social Studies** - 3.5 credits (must include 1 unit world hist, 1 unit US hist, 1 unit US Govt, and 0.5 unit Econ)

**Science** - 3 credits (must include 1 unit physical, 1 unit life, and 1 unit advanced)

**Mathematics** - 4 credits (must include algebra 1, geometry, and algebra 2)

**Health & Physical Ed.** - 1 credit (PE credit can be waived through full-season participation in defined defined, approved teams)

**Visual/Performing Arts** - 1 credit

**Electives** - 6.5 credits

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**Total Credits Required** = 23

**2. Competency Demonstration:** Students must demonstrate competency in BOTH math AND English by passing the state's Algebra I and English II tests. Students who have taken the required tests more than once and have received remedial support *but have not been successful in attaining passing scores on either or both* are able to show alternative competency through one of the selections (A, B, C) below:

- A. Demonstrate two career focused activities: readiness and technical skill through foundational and supporting options. One of the two options MUST be a Foundational Option.
  1. Foundational options
    - a. a 12-point industry credential
    - b. proficient scores on at least 3 WebExams
    - c. a pre-apprenticeship or acceptance into an approved apprenticeship program.
  2. Supporting options
    - a. work-based learning
    - b. earn the required score on WorkKeys
    - c. earn the OhioMeansJobs Readiness Seal

- B. Enter into a contract to enlist in the military upon graduation.
- C. Earn credit for one math and/or one English course through College Credit Plus.

**3. Readiness Demonstration:** Students must earn two diploma seal options, one of which must be defined by the State of Ohio to demonstrate academic, technical and professional readiness for careers, college, the military or self-sustaining professions.

State of Ohio Diploma Seals

- OhioMeansJobs Readiness Seal
- Honors Diploma Seal
- State Seal of Biliteracy
- Technology Seal
- Industry-Recognized Credential Seal
- Citizenship Seal
- College-Ready Seal
- Military Enlistment Seal
- Science Seal

Local Educational Authority Diploma Seals

- Fine and Performing Arts Seal
- Student Engagement Seal
- Community Service Seal

(Seals toward graduation can be earned at any time during a student’s high school career.)

**Local Educational Authority (LEA) defined Seals**

Fine and Performing Arts Seal - Demonstrate a skill level in the fine or performing arts according to an evaluation aligned with guidelines adopted by the student’s local board of education or school governing authority.

A student must complete one of the following:

1. Complete two full credits of fine arts in grades 9-12 (band, choir, orchestra or a visual art course).
2. Complete one full credit of a fine art (band, choir, orchestra or a visual arts course) AND successfully participate in one additional fine art related co-curricular or extracurricular experience through Maumee HS (including, but not limited to: drama - Fall Play or Spring musical, Select Singers, Drum Line, Color Guard, Winter Guard, Pep Band, Jazz Band). Successful participation is defined as meaningful engagement in the group’s activities. The student must complete the appropriate documents and seal verification form.

Student Engagement Seal - Participate in co-curricular and/or extra-curricular activities such as athletics, clubs, or student government to a meaningful extent, as determined by guidelines adopted by the student's local board of education or school governing authority.

A student must complete one of the following:

1. Complete and participate in two full seasons of school-based athletics approved by the OHSAA as sanctioned by the school's athletic department in grades 9-12.
2. Complete and participate in two performance-based extracurricular or co-curricular activities in grades 9-12 through Maumee HS (including, but not limited to, Student Council, DECA, Spanish Club, Speech & Debate Team, National Honor Society, Quiz Bowl, LINK Leader, Drama Club, eSports, and/or FCCLA). Successful participation is defined as meaningful engagement in the group's activities. The student must complete the appropriate documents and seal verification form.
3. Complete and participate in one full season of school-based athletics approved by the OHSAA as sanctioned by the school's athletic department in grades 9-12 -AND- Complete and participate in one performance-based extracurricular or co-curricular activity in grades 9-12 through Maumee HS (including, but not limited to, Student Council, DECA, Spanish Club, Speech & Debate Team, National Honor Society, Quiz Bowl, LINK Leader, Drama Club, eSports, and/or FCCLA). Successful participation is defined as meaningful engagement in the group's activities. The student must complete the appropriate documents and seal verification form.

Community Service Seal - Complete a community service project aligned with the guidelines adopted by the student's local board of education or school governing authority.

A student must complete the following:

1. Over the course of the student's high school experience, he/she must complete and participate in 60 community service hours outside of the school day AND submit a culminating reflection paper or a culminating presentation (to a school official) at the end of the 60 hour threshold. Community service hours can be logged at locally approved school-based or outside-of-school based organizations but cannot occur during the hours of the school day nor can the student receive any compensation for the service provided. Attending to family needs does not constitute community service. A student must document all community service hours on the approved documentation log, submit the supporting activity (reflection paper or presentation), and complete the seal verification form.

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## Community Service Diploma Seal Verification

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

School Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

CRITERIA: Over the course of the student's high school experience, he/she must complete and participate in 60 community service hours outside of the school day AND submit a culminating reflection paper or a culminating presentation (to a school official) at the end of the 60 hour threshold. Community service hours can be logged at locally approved school-based or outside-of-school based organizations but cannot occur during the hours of the school day nor can the student receive any compensation for the service provided. Attending to family needs does not constitute community service. A student must document all community service hours on the approved documentation log, submit the supporting activity (reflection paper or presentation), and complete the seal verification form.

### **#1 - EVIDENCE OF COMMUNITY SERVICE**

60 hours of community service meeting the guidelines stated above were completed by the student during the course of their high school career

- I attest that this student completed this requirement.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Verifying School Official

### **#2 - SUBMITTED REFLECTION PAPER -OR- REPORT OF SERVICE**

The student submitted an acceptable Reflection Paper -OR- Culminating Presentation to a school official

- I attest that this student completed this requirement.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Verifying School Official

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**Verification of criteria met to earn the Community Service Diploma Seal (OFFICE ONLY)**

School Counselor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Administrator Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Student Engagement Diploma Seal Verification

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

School Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

CRITERIA: Participate in co-curricular and/or extra-curricular activities such as athletics, clubs, or student government to a meaningful extent, as determined by guidelines adopted by the student's local board of education or school governing authority.

A student must complete one of the following:

1. Complete and participate in two full seasons of school-based athletics approved by the OHSAA as sanctioned by the school's athletic department in grades 9-12.
2. Complete and participate in two performance-based extracurricular or co-curricular activities in grades 9-12 through Maumee HS (including, but not limited to, Student Council, DECA, Spanish Club, Speech & Debate Team, National Honor Society, Quiz Bowl, LINK Leader, Drama Club, eSports, and/or FCCLA). Successful participation is defined as meaningful engagement in the group's activities. The student must complete the appropriate documents and seal verification form.
3. Complete and participate in one full season of school-based athletics approved by the OHSAA as sanctioned by the school's athletic department in grades 9-12 -AND- Complete and participate in one performance-based extracurricular or co-curricular activity in grades 9-12 through Maumee HS (including, but not limited to, Student Council, DECA, Spanish Club, Speech & Debate Team, National Honor Society, Quiz Bowl, LINK Leader, Drama Club, eSports, and/or FCCLA). Successful participation is defined as meaningful engagement in the group's activities. The student must complete the appropriate documents and seal verification form.

### **Activity #1**

Activity: \_\_\_\_\_ School Year: \_\_\_\_\_

I attest that this student participated in this activity during the dates indicated above.

Advisor/ Coach/ AD Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Activity #2**

Activity: \_\_\_\_\_ School Year: \_\_\_\_\_

I attest that this student participated in this activity during the dates indicated above.

Advisor/ Coach/ AD Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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### **Verification of criteria met to earn the Student Engagement Diploma Seal (OFFICE ONLY)**

School Counselor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Administrator Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Fine and Performing Arts Diploma Seal Verification

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

School Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

CRITERIA: Demonstrate a skill level in the fine or performing arts according to an evaluation aligned with guidelines adopted by the student's local board of education or school governing authority.

A student must complete one of the following:

1. Complete two full credits of fine arts in grades 9-12 (band, choir, orchestra or a visual art course).
2. Complete one full credit of a fine art (band, choir, orchestra or a visual arts course) AND successfully participate in one additional fine art related co-curricular or extracurricular experience through Maumee HS (including, but not limited to: drama - Fall Play or Spring musical, Select Singers, Drum Line, Color Guard, Winter Guard, Pep Band, Jazz Band). Successful participation is defined as meaningful engagement in the group's activities. The student must complete the appropriate documents and seal verification form.

### *Check One Condition*

\_\_\_\_\_ Condition #1

Student Completed TWO (2) credits of fine arts in grades 9-12 as defined above

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Signature of Guidance Counselor

\_\_\_\_\_ Condition #2

Student Completed ONE (1) credit of fine arts in grades 9-12 as defined above

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Guidance Counselor

Student Completed ONE (1) fine art related co-curricular or extracurricular activity

I attest that this student completed this requirement.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Activity

\_\_\_\_\_  
School Year

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Activity Advisor

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**Verification of criteria met to earn the Student Engagement Diploma Seal (OFFICE ONLY)**

School Counselor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Administrator Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

# ALL DIPLOMA SEALS DEFINED

Every student must earn 2 Diploma Seals - at least one must be a “state defined seal” (the second can be a “state defined seal” or a “locally defined seal”)

## STATE DEFINED SEALS:

## HOW IT IS EARNED:

Ohio Means Jobs Readiness Seal

Show evidence of 15 job readiness skills/traits  
(All 11th grade MHS students will complete this)

Industry Recognized Credential

Earn at least 12 points in one career path  
(Available at Penta and MHS)

College Readiness Seal

Earn a college ready score on all 4 parts of the ACT  
(English 18+, Math 22+, Reading 22+, Science 23+)

Military Enlistment

Show proof of enlistment with any military branch.

Citizenship

Score of “proficient” (3) or higher on both the  
American History and American Government  
EOC tests.

Science

Score “proficient” (3) or higher on the Biology EOC  
test.

**-OR-**

Grade of “A” or “B” in a CCP science course.

Honors Diploma

Earn any one of the 6 Ohio Honors diplomas

Seal of Biliteracy

Demonstrate proficiency in both English and another  
foreign language.

Technology

Earn a full credit in a MHS qualifying technology  
course such as Digital Photography, Computer  
Graphics, Architectural Drawing, or CS 1010 with “A’s”  
or “B’s”

**LOCALLY DEFINED SEALS:**

**HOW IT IS EARNED:**

Community Service Seal

Perform at least 60 hours of qualifying volunteer service during your 4 years of high school.

Fine/Performing Arts Seal

Complete two full credits of fine arts in grades 9-12 (band, choir, orchestra or visual art courses)

**-OR-**

Complete one full credit of a fine art (band, choir, orchestra or visual arts courses) AND successfully participate in one additional fine art related co-curricular or extracurricular experience through Maumee HS (including, but not limited to: drama - Fall Play or Spring musical, Select Singers, Drum Line, Color Guard, Winter Guard, Pep Band, Jazz Band).

Student Engagement Seal

Complete and participate in two full seasons of school-based athletics in grades 9-12.

**-OR-**

Complete and participate in two performance-based extracurricular or co-curricular activities in grades 9-12 through Maumee HS (including, but not limited to, Student Council, DECA, Spanish Club, Speech & Debate Team, National Honor Society, Quiz Bowl, LINK Leader, Drama Club, eSports, and/or FCCLA).

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Complete and participate in one full season of school-based athletics in grades 9-12 -AND- Complete and participate in one performance-based extracurricular or co-curricular activity in grades 9-12 through Maumee HS (including, but not limited to, Student Council, DECA, Spanish Club, Speech & Debate Team, National Honor Society, Quiz Bowl, LINK Leader, Drama Club, eSports, and/or FCCLA).