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Byron Syring DELTA Center and On-Line Academy Graduation Requirements

The Monte Vista On-Line Academy offers a diploma-based program for high school completion. The Byron Syring DELTA Center offers two program options for high school completion. The DELTA Center/On-Line Academy director or counselor meets with each incoming student to evaluate present credits and explain the options available.

Option A: Traditional credit based diploma. This diploma program is available to both online and on site traditionally aged students and, to the extent funding sources are available, community adults as well.

A minimum of 24 credits to include:

- 4 English
- 3.5 Social Studies (at least 1.5 must come from US History and Government combined, and must include .5 credit personal financial literacy)
- 3 Math (4 recommended for college bound students)
- 3 Science (4 recommended for college bound students)
- 1 Computer/Technology Skills
- 1 Physical Education
- 8.5 additional core or electives to meet the 24 credit graduation requirement (2 credits of the same Foreign Language recommended for college bound students)

A minimum of 3 credits must be completed at the DELTA Center or On-Line Academy. Adults

may be awarded a maximum of 3 elective credits for Life Experiences at the Director's discretion.

Students meeting State Graduation Testing requirements for the first time in English or Math will earn 1 elective credit for each test passed above the state benchmark. Students will receive .5 elective credit for continuing to meet the State Graduation Testing requirements each time they are passed.

Effective 2021, graduating seniors must demonstrate college or career readiness in English and math based on at least one measure in English and one measure in math:

- i. Accuplacer test score of 62 on reading comprehension, 61 on elementary algebra
- ii. Next Generation Accuplacer test score of 241 on reading or 236 on writing, 255 on arithmetic (AR) or 230 on Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra and Statistics (QAS)
- iii. ACT test score of 18 English, 19 math
- iv. ACT WorkKeys score Bronze or higher in English, Bronze or higher in math
- v. ASVAB test score of 31 English, 31 math
- vi. Concurrent enrollment resulting in a grade of C or better in English or math

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vii. School approved capstone project that demonstrates college or career readiness vii. District approved industry certificate that demonstrates college or career readiness in English and math, (examples are a CNA certificate, an EMT certificate program, or another industry certificate from a state junior college or university)

viii. SAT test score of 430 in English and 460 in math

ix. Additional measures identified and approved by the state

Option B: General Education Development (GED) certificate.

 This program is only available to Byron Syring DELTA Center students 17 years old or older. This includes adult students to the extent funding sources are available. To qualify for this program, students are required to take a pre-assessment to determine program appropriateness.

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