

MCS GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Mountainview awards two types of diplomas to students who spend their entire senior year at the school.

1. The Standard Diploma qualifies the graduated student to apply for admission to a college or technical school in the United States.
2. The Merit Diploma includes more challenging course requirements and is considered the college or university preparatory course of study. Students working toward the Merit Diploma must:
 - o Earn a 3.0 cumulative GPA or higher in grades 9-12
 - o Not earn any F's on their report cards in grades 11 or 12

Students with learning difficulties may make special arrangements with the school to earn a modified diploma. Following is the list of semesters and minimum credits required for each type of diploma.

	Current System for the graduating class of 2021 and beyond	
	Standard	Merit
Ethics ¹	40 credits (4 years)	40 credits (4 years)
English	40 credits (4 years) (English 9, English 10, English 11, English 12 or AP English Literature)	40 credits (4 years)
Social Studies	40 credits (1 year Ancient History, 1 year of Modern history, 1 year of US History, 1 Year of World Government)	40 credits (1 year World History, 1 year Economics/Civics, + 1 year of Contemporary Issues and 1 other pre-approved Social Studies Classes)
Science*	30 credits [1 Year of Biology, 1 year of Physical Science (either a Chemistry or Physics) 1 year of any pre-approved elective Sciences]	40 credits [1 Year of Biology, 1 year of Physical Science (either a Chemistry or Physics) 2 years of any pre-approved elective Sciences]
Math	20 credits (1 year Geometry & 1 year Algebra 2)	40 credits (1 year Geometry, 1 year Algebra 2, 1 year Pre-Cal & 1 year of another pre-approved Math class)
Foreign Language	10 credits (1 year of Indonesian Language Class)	20 credits (2 years of Indonesian Language Class)
Health/ Physical Education	15 credits (1 year PE & 1 Semester Health)	20 credits (1.5 years PE & 1 Semester Health)
Fine Arts	15 credits (1.5 years FA)	20 credits (2 years FA)
Minimum ² Credits	210 credits	260 credits
Community Service ³	20 hours (5 hours per year/4 years)	80 hours(20 hours per year/ 4 yrs)
Minimum G.P.A.	Not applicable	3.0 (no F's)
¹ Transfer students may request an exemption from meeting the full requirement. ² Electives & other classes will be needed to meet minimum credit requirements. ³ Not counted as academic credits * updated June 2018		



Typical Course Schedule for MCS Students

7th grade: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Language Arts/English• Life Science• Math (Pre-Algebra)• Indonesian Geography• Moral & Ethics• Indonesian or ELL• Study Skills• Art• Music• PE	8th Grade: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Language Arts/English• Physical Science• Algebra 1• World Geography• Moral & Ethics• Indonesian or ELL• Drama• Music• Art• PE
9th Grade: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• English 9• Biology 1• Geometry• Ancient History• Old Testament History• Indonesian• Fine Arts• PE• Electives – PE, Fine Arts, AP Class, Worship Team	10th Grade: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• English 10• Chemistry 1 & Physics 1• Algebra 2• Modern History• New Testament History• Indonesian• Fine Arts• PE• Electives – PE, Fine Arts, AP Class, Worship Team
11th Grade: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• English 11• Science – Anatomy; Earth, Space Science; Psychology; Physics 2• Pre-Calculus• US History• Moral & Ethics• Indonesian• Fine Arts• PE• Electives – PE, Fine Arts, AP Class Yearbook, Worship Team	12th Grade: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• English 12• Science – Anatomy; Earth, Space Science; Psychology; Physics 2• AP Calculus AB or Business Math• World Government• Worldview• Indonesian• Fine Arts• PE• Electives – PE, Fine Arts, AP Class, Yearbook, Worship Team