

MINIMUM GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
(Majors Program Grades 9-12)

The TSA Board of Directors has adopted the following requirements for graduation from the Toledo School for the Arts. Only credits earned in grades **nine** through **twelve** are considered (with the exception of Algebra 1 and a year of Foreign Language if taken for credit in the eighth grade). Students must select arts courses according to his/her Major, in addition to selecting one course from a different arts area.

Each student is also required to pass the **Ohio Graduation Tests (OGT)** in Writing, Reading, Mathematics, Social Studies and Science before a Diploma will be awarded.

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<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>UNITS</u>
English	9	10	11	12	4 (4 years)
Social Studies:					4 (4 years)
___ World Studies (Freshman year)					
___ American History (Sophomore year)					
___ American Government (Junior year)					
___ Senior Humanities (Senior year)					
Mathematics:					3 (3 years)
___ Algebra 1					(4 years for graduating class of 2014 and beyond)
___ Geometry					
___ Algebra 2					
___ Additional Math (Pre-calculus or Trigonometry/Statistics)					
Science:					3 (3 years)
___ Physical Science (Freshman year)					
___ Biological Science (Sophomore year)					
___ Science Elective (Junior year)					
Foreign Language (two years of one language)					2 (2 years)
*Health					½ (1 Sem.)
*Dance/Martial Arts for PE					1 (1 year)
Major Arts Area					5 (4 years)
Senior Humanities Course					1 (1 year)
Additional Arts Elective					1 (1 year)

A unit of credit is equivalent to one year's work in any regular academic or arts subject. ***Health is required for 1 Semester**, which is equivalent to ½ unit of credit. **M.A. and/or Dance for Physical Education** are equal to the mandated ½ unit of credit when course meets M-F for at least one year. Consult **Curriculum Guides** and **Course Description Catalogues** for specific information.

TOLEDO SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS

CONTINUED ENROLLMENT AND GRADE PLACEMENT POLICY (Majors Program - Effective Class of 2008)

Toledo School for the Arts students will be assigned grade level status based upon either the number of courses successfully completed or the number of credits they have earned. Grade level classification is determined as follows:

Sixth grade students must have successfully completed all requirements for the fifth grade at their previous school and shall not have failed more than one academic course.

Seventh grade students must have successfully completed their previous school's sixth grade requirements and shall not have failed more than one academic course.

Eighth grade students must have successfully completed a seventh grade Course of Study and shall not have failed more than one academic course.

Freshmen must have successfully completed eighth grade courses and shall not have failed more than one academic course (which may NOT be American History).

At the high school level, a student must successfully complete a minimum of 6.0 credits at each grade level in order to advance to the next grade level. Mandatory courses for the previous grade level must have been completed. A student that fails a mandatory course must attend an approved Summer School Program or the student will be required to repeat the course during the next school year. Following a failure, the student's opportunity to return to TSA will be at the discretion of the administration of Toledo School for the Arts.