

## To the Parent(s) or Guardian of

Congratulations on your son/daughter reaching his/her senior year. Transcript history and academic progress can be found under the student's Academic Progress Tab of the Infinite Campus Portal. Students who anticipate graduating this school year, must earn a minimum of 23 units of credit in grades nine through twelve. (Please note: Student must have at least 17.0 earned credits to be classified as a senior and be in his/her 4<sup>th</sup> year of high school.)

High School Diploma Requirements			
Areas of Study	Units of Credit		
English/Language Arts***	4 units		
Mathematics***	4 units		
Science***	4 units		
Social Studies***	3 units		
Health and Physical Education	1 unit		
CTAE and/or World Language and/or Fine Arts Student is encouraged to complete a pathway in one of the above areas. Student must earn a minimum of 3 full credits in CTAE, World Language or Fine Arts to graduate. 2 units of the same World Language for admission to colleges and universities	3 units		
General Electives	4 units		
Total Units Required for Graduation23 units***Research, Regional, and State institutions of The University System of Georgia may require additional units in academic core areas.			

## Important Facts About the HOPE Scholarship

All core academic courses (required or elective) are included for a student to qualify for the HOPE Scholarship. For the most recent HOPE and Zell Miller Scholarship information provided by Georgia Student Finance Commission, please use the following link:

https://www.gafutures.org/hope-state-aid-programs/

In addition, students may view their HOPE scholarship eligibility grade point average by using their account on the <u>www.GAfutures.org</u> website (MyGAfutures). All graduating students must have <u>4 rigorous courses</u> identified by Georgia Student Finance Commission to qualify for the HOPE Scholarship. This is entirely the responsibility of the student to ensure they meet HOPE Requirements.

Link: https://tinyurl.com/bdcweuv4

## HOPE Grant

Georgia's HOPE Grant is available for students who opt to work on a certificate or diploma program at an eligible college.

https://www.gafutures.org/hope-state-aid-programs/hope-zell-miller-grants/hope-grant/

The Infinite Campus Progress Tab (MYAP Tool) is used to review the Individual Graduation Plan as well as transcript history. Also, You Science data is maintained under SLDS within the Infinite Campus portal.

BRIDGE Law, Georgia's state-mandated advisement that begins in elementary school, requires that students select an after high school career option in grade 12. Your student's career plans are indicated in chart below:

Options			
4-Year College/University		Military	
2-Year College/University		Work	
Technical College		Other	

Your student, his/her parent or guardian, and the professional school counselor review information during the Senior Advisement opportunity. School counselors have the specific date and time of the Senior Advisement opportunity that involves parents/guardians. If you have questions at any time throughout the school year, please call your student's counselor.

I understand and acknowledge the importance of all senior advisement information including all graduation requirements. Therefore, this document, if not signed at the senior advisement opportunity, is to be returned with signatures within five school days. Please carefully review the list of specific requirements on page 2.





Student's Name Stu	udent's ID No			
COURSES		Numeric Grade Point		
I understand that I must pass the following courses during the scho	ool day:	Average: (NOT the		
□ GSE Algebra II**, Advanced Algebra C & C, or GSE Pre-Calci		Same as HOPE GPA)		
Advanced Math Decision Making* or Statistical Reasoning*				
$\Box$ Other 4 <sup>th</sup> Math:		Waightad		
AP Calculus or AP Statistics	-	Weighted:		
+b		Unweighted:		
□ 4 <sup>th</sup> English	-	This is the numeric average		
4th Science		of all courses on the high		
however it may not meet admissions requirements for certain colleges.	tion requirements,	school transcript and the		
American Government		weighted GPA is used for		
		class rank.		
	<b>`</b> .	Pathway Completer?		
Pathway Courses Needed (CTAE/Fine Arts/World Language)	).	Do you have a completed		
		CTAE, Fine Arts, or World		
Other Courses/Electives:		Language Pathway completed?		
•		completed.		
NOTE: Potential NCAA athletes must meet core course requirements that are libit school's list of approved courses on the NCAA site. Science courses that so		🗆 Yes		
high school's list of approved courses on the NCAA site. Science courses that courses to meet graduation requirements and/or Embedded Courses awarded <i>elective</i>		🗆 No		
core Science requirement for NCAA eligibility.				
*Not a choice for students planning to study a STEM (Science, Technology, Engine	eering, and Math) field in			
college and may limit admissions possibilities at any college or university.	<i>0,</i> , , ,			
** If Algebra II/Advanced Algebra is the fourth and final math course, then it may	limit your post-secondary			
options.				
Dual Enrollment Program				
As a Dual Enrollment student, I know that I must pass the following course(s) to meet graduation requirements. I understand				
that if I withdraw from any Dual Enrollment course (required or not required to meet graduation requirements) at any time				
during the semester, I must notify my counselor immediately. Withdrawal from a DE course without notification will result in a				
69 on the transcript. See DE Form 1 for specific details.				
CREDIT RECOVERY and/or ONLINE Courses (Board Policy JBC~4)				
I understand that I must pass the following course(s) online and/or complete credit recovery courses within/outside the regular				
school day. A+, Canvas, FuelEd, Georgia Virtual School, or Plan for Mastery options will be provided. The only NHEC online courses approved and accepted by the NCAA are attached to a NHEC instructor. Applicable GAVS courses are NCAA approved.				
		ses are NCAA approved.		
EOC Course Tests, Circle all that apply:				
Algebra C & C Biology United States Hist	orv America	n Literature		
Student must pass the course with a 70 or higher grade.				

Student's Signature

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

Counselor's Signature White copy (Counselor's File)

Date Yellow copy (Signed by Parent and returned to Counselor) Page 2