Michigan Merit Curriculum 2024-2025 Hillman High School Graduation Requirements

Total Credits Required:

Michigan Merit (18 Credits)

English/Language Arts (4 credits)

• Proficiency in State Content Standards for ELA

Mathematics (4 credits)

- Proficiency in State Content Standards for Mathematics (3 credits) and
- Proficiency in district approved 4th Mathematics credit options (1 credit) Student must have a Math experience in their final year of high school
- Personal Finance course (starting with 2022/2023 9th grade students)

Science (3 credits)

- Proficiency in State Content Standards for Science (3 credits) OR
- Proficiency in some State Content Standards for science (2 credits) and completion for a Department approved formal Career and Technical Education (CTE) program (1 credit)

Social Studies (3 credits)

• Proficiency in State Content Standards for Social Studies

Visual, Performing, and Applied Arts (VPAA) (1 credit)

• Proficiency in State Content Standards for Visual, Performing, and Applied Arts

Physical Education and Health (1 credit)

- Proficiency in State Content Standards for Physical Education and Health (1 credit)
- Proficiency with State Content Standards for Health (½ credit) and district approved extracurricular activities involving physical activities (½ credit)

World Language (1 1/2 credits) or (1/2 credit) Effective with students starting 9th grade in 2022/2023

- $\frac{1}{2}$ credit of a foreign language course (1 semester)
- Options for 1 full credit (2 semesters of a foreign language, 1 CTE program completion, 2 semesters of an additional visual performing arts)

Online Experience

• Course, Learning, or Integrated Learning Experience

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