South Doyle High School Graduation Requirements

Please note these are showing standard course progressions, but SDHS offers other options for students who wish to take honors, AP, or dual enrollment classes, as well as students who receive special education services.

Required Exams: ACT, Civics Test, EOCs

English (4 credits): English 1, English 2, English 3, English 4

Math (at least 4 credits): Algebra 1 or Algebra 1B, Geometry, Algebra 2 or Algebra 2B, one additional math beyond Algebra 2 (Tennessee State BOE Policy: Math must be taken every year, regardless of the number of math credits a student has earned.)

Science (3 credits): Biology, Chemistry or Physics, one additional lab science (usually physical science)

Social Studies (3.5 credits): World History & Geography (1.0 credit), US Government (0.5 credit), US History (1.0 credit), Economics (0.5 credit), Personal Finance (0.5 credit)

World Language (2 credits): both credits must be in the same language in order to meet this requirement. World language requirement may be waived if student adopts a second elective focus area, but this is not recommended for students who are considering attending college.

Physical Education (0.5 credit) Lifetime Wellness (1 credit) (Two courses of JROTC can satisfy this PE & Lifetime Wellness graduation requirement.)

Fine Art (1 credit) *Fine art requirement may be waived if student adopts a second elective focus area, but this is not recommended for students who are considering attending college.*

Electives (10 or more)

Elective Focus/Pathway Courses: 3 credits in the same focused area (see below). Additional elective credits may come from any other courses outside the core requirements.

Total Credits Required for Graduation: 28 credits (consisting of the above requirements)

2021/2022 SDHS Elective Focus Options		
Architectural & Engineering Design		Advanced Placement (AP)
Automotive Collision Repair		Dual Enrollment
Business Entrepreneurship/Marketing		JROTC
Cosmetology		Physical Fitness
Culinary Arts		Math & Science
Health Science		Humanities (Eng., Soc. St., & World Lan.)
Structural Systems/Construction		Human Services
Welding		Fine Arts