

# PLAN FOR COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS GUIDE

<https://mhs.murrayschools.org>

## MHS Graduation Requirements

### **27.0 TOTAL CREDITS TO EARN A MHS STANDARD DIPLOMA**

-To participate in graduation ceremony: No U's

-Pass all the REQUIRED CORE LISTED BELOW

#### **4.0 ENGLISH-Complete ALL of the following**

1.0 English 9

1.0 English 10

1.0 English 11

1.0 English 12 (Advanced /AP options available)

#### **3.0 MATHEMATICS-Complete 3.0 of the following:**

1.0 Secondary Math 1

1.0 Secondary Math 2

1.0 Secondary Math 3 or other 3rd year Math Option

#### **3.0 SCIENCE-Complete 3.0 of the following:**

1.0 Earth Science

1.0 Biology

1.0 Chemistry or Honors Chemistry

1.0 Physics

1.0 Foundation Course or Applied/Advanced Science Courses

#### **3.0 SOCIAL STUDIES-Complete ALL of the following:**

.50 World Geography

.50 World Civilizations or AP World History

1.0 U.S. History or AP U.S. History

.50 U.S. Govt. or AP U.S. Government

.50 Social Studies Elective

PASS THE STATE CIVICS EXAM

#### **.50 HEALTH-Complete ONE of the following:**

.50 Health Ed or 1.0 Intro to Health Science

#### **1.5 PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

**Complete the following:**

.50 Participation Skills or equivalent elective

.50 Fitness for Life

.50 P.E. Elective Credit

#### **1.5 ART-Complete any ART Core**

#### **.50 Digital Studies Component**

#### **.50 FINANCIAL LITERACY-Complete ONE of the following:**

.50 Financial Literacy or SLCC Personal Finance

#### **1.0 CAREER TECH EDUCATION (CTE) CREDIT**

.50 must be taken at MHS

## Senior TIMELINE/Checklist

### Admission & Scholarship Deadlines for Utah Schools

#### **NOVEMBER 1st**

- U of U Honors College Deadline

#### **DECEMBER 1st**

- Priority scholarship deadlines: **SUU, USU, U of U and Weber State**

#### **DECEMBER 15th**

- **BYU**-For both priority admission & scholarship

#### **FEBRUARY 1st**

- **SLCC Scholarship Deadline**

#### **MARCH 1st**

- Scholarship deadline: **Utah Tech University, Snow College, SUU, UVU**

#### **Utah's Open Enrollment Schools**

- Utah Tech, SLCC, Snow, Utah System of Tech Schools, USU-Eastern, Weber State

### TO Do's for YOU!

- \* **APPLY FOR SCHOOL (Oct/Nov)**
- \* Retake the ACT if you want to improve your score (October-last test for many academic and scholarship opportunities)
- \* **File a free application for student aid (FAFSA) beginning DECEMBER 2023 for 2024-2025 school year**
- \* Sign up for orientation at your school of choice (Oct-April)
- \* Secure your housing (April/May)
- \* Send your **final** HS transcripts to your college/school once you graduate (June)

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# ACT INFORMATION

2022-2023

Use the QR Code below to register.

You can also visit [act.org](https://act.org)



For more information on how to make up credit or find out more ways to earn credit, please use the following website:

<https://mhs.murrayschools.org/remediation-and-additional-credit-options/>

## ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

"U" (UNSATISFACTORY) citizenship will be given for:

- 1 or more unexcused absences
- 3 or more un-remediated tardies
- 1 or more un-remediated trancies (sluffs)

⇒ For more information check the MHS Website and click on Administration—>Offices—> Attendance/U  
⇒ All information can be found in the Parent-Student Handbook

## ~4 WAYS TO GRADUATE COLLEGE IN 4 YEARS~

1. Take 15 credits each semester—15 credits=4 years
2. Decide early what career path/major is right for you.
3. Meet with your college academic advisor each semester to make sure you're staying on track and taking the right courses for your major
4. Get help when you need it!

## COLLEGE SEARCH SITES

[bigfuture.collegeboard.org](https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org)  
[collegebound.com](https://collegebound.com)  
[anycollege.com](https://anycollege.com)  
[collegeboard.org](https://collegeboard.org)  
[higheredutah.org](https://higheredutah.org)

## TEST PREP SITES

Shmoop  
Magoosh  
Learning Express Library  
ACT  
Prepscholar

## Financial Aid and other scholarship websites

[fafsa.gov](https://fafsa.gov)  
[finaid.org](https://finaid.org)  
[UESP.org](https://UESP.org) (my529)  
[opportunity.collegeboard.org](https://opportunity.collegeboard.org)  
[fastweb.com](https://fastweb.com)  
[scholarships.com](https://scholarships.com)  
[ushe.edu](https://ushe.edu)  
[bigfuture](https://bigfuture)  
[Cappex](https://Cappex)  
[listsofscholarships.com](https://listsofscholarships.com)  
[Educate-Utah.org](https://Educate-Utah.org)  
[dreamersroadmap.com](https://dreamersroadmap.com)  
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