

**PARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #6
BOARD OF EDUCATION POLICY**

CODE: IKF

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Cody High School students will be awarded a diploma upon successful completion of the following, as evidenced by passing grades or by the successful performance on competency-based equivalency examinations:

SUBJECT AREA	CREDITS	SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS
Language Arts	4.0	English 9, English 10, a Writing class, and a Literature class
Math*	3.0	Algebra I, Geometry, and one additional mathematics
Science*	3.0	Physical Science Biology I and one additional science credit
Social Studies	3.0	World History, US History II, American Government
P.E.	1.0	One P.E. credit required during 4 years in school
Health	1.0	Health (includes required CPR training)
Consumer Economics	1.0	Consumer Economics includes required Career Planning.
Electives	10.5	Elective Units may be taken from any of the subject areas offered
Total Class of 2019	27.5	
Total Class of 2020	27.0	

*Students must have a total of 7 credits between mathematics and science for graduation. Students must take at least 3 mathematics classes and 3 science classes and may choose between mathematics, science, or computer science for the 7th credit. In addition, students must take an additional open elective.

Graduates of Cody High School must also:

- Take an approved exit exam. (ACT or WorkKeys. Alternate exams must be pre-approved by CHS officials.)

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Heart Mountain Academy courses shall be approved by the Park County School District No. 6 Board of Trustees and verified for high school credit by the Wyoming Department of Education.

Students will be awarded a diploma upon successful completion of the following, as evidenced by passing grades or by the successful performance on competency-based equivalency examinations:

SUBJECT	CREDIT	REQUIRED COURSE(S)
Language Arts	4	4 Years of Language Arts
Science	3	3 Years of Science
Math	3	3 Years of Math
Social Studies	3	US History, American Government w/ Economic Systems and Institutions
Health	1	Health (includes required CPR training).
Elective Credit	10	Elective Units may be taken from any of the subject areas offered. Foreign Language is not a diploma requirement. However, all students that are planning on attending two or four year colleges are encouraged to take two years of Foreign Language in high school.
TOTAL CREDITS:	24	

Hathaway Scholarship Eligibility

In addition to the above requirements students will also need to meet the following requirements to be Hathaway Scholarship Eligible

I. Hathaway Scholarship-Honors - \$1,680 per semester

- Math – 4 years of math (Must include Algebra 1 & 2, Geometry and an additional math)
- Language Arts- 4 years of Language Arts
- Science- 4 years of science
- Social Studies- 3 years of social studies (five content areas must be covered in 3 years)
- Foreign Language- 2 years of sequenced foreign language (i.e. Spanish 1 & 2)

Additionally:

- Computer Science May count toward one year of their science or math graduation requirements.
- Two years of fine and performing arts **OR** Two additional years of foreign language **OR** Two years of career-vocational education

+3.5 unweighted Grade point average and 25 ACT

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II. Hathaway Scholarship-Performance - \$1,260 per semester

- Math – 4 years of math (Must include Algebra 1 & 2, Geometry and an additional math)
- Language Arts- 4 years of Language Arts
- Science- 4 years of science
- Social Studies- 3 years of social studies (five content areas must be covered in 3 years)
- Foreign Language- 2 years of sequenced foreign language (i.e. Spanish 1 & 2)

Additionally:

- Computer Science May count toward one year of their science or math graduation requirements.
- Two years of fine and performing arts **OR** Two additional years of foreign language **OR** Two years of career-vocational education

+3.0 unweighted grade point average and 21 ACT

III. Hathaway Scholarship-Opportunity - \$840 per semester

- Math – 4 years of math (Must include Algebra 1 & 2, Geometry and an additional math)
- Language Arts- 4 years of Language Arts
- Science- 4 years of science
- Social Studies- 3 years of social studies

Additionally:

- Computer Science May count toward one year of their science or math graduation requirements.
- Two years of fine and performing arts **OR** Two years of sequenced foreign language **OR** Two years of career-vocational education

+2.5 unweighted grade point average and 19 ACT

IV. Hathaway Scholarship-Provisional Opportunity - \$840 per semester

- Math – Current High School Graduation Requirements (Must include two of the three: Algebra 1, Algebra 2, and Geometry)
- Language Arts- Current High School Graduation Requirements
- Science- Current High School Graduation Requirements
- Social Studies- Current High School Graduation Requirements

Additionally

- Two years of fine and performing arts **OR** Two years of sequenced foreign language **OR** Two years of career-vocational education

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+2.5 unweighted grade point average and 17 ACT or 12 WorkKeys

This scholarship is good for four semesters at a Wyoming community college. Upon successful completion of a degree or certificate, students will then qualify for an additional four semesters at the University of Wyoming or a Wyoming community college.

Graduates of Heart Mountain Academy must also:

- Take an approved exit exam. (ACT or WorkKeys. Alternate exams must be pre-approved by HMA officials.)

The District may make arrangements for students with disabilities as are consistent with the state and federal law, and which are in accordance with the District's rules and regulations governing programs for students with disabilities including making provision to recognize those students who have met the requirements of their individualized educational plan but cannot receive a diploma reflecting completion of the state mandated graduation requirements.

Arrangements may be made with the school principal to enroll in college credit courses when available and receive credit towards graduation requirements. Students who need a course(s) to graduate, which is not available to them at the high school, may be permitted to enroll in correspondence courses approved by the principal. The student will be expected to pay all costs of the correspondence course unless provision is made by other Board policy or administrative regulation for the school district to pay some or all of the cost of such correspondence courses.

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