

Indiana Academy – Graduation Requirements

Course and Credit Requirements		
	General Diploma	Advanced Studies Diploma
Bible	4 Credits	4 Credits
	One credit of Bible for each year of attendance at an SDA school	
English/Language Arts	4 Credits	4 Credits
Mathematics	3 Credits	3 Credits
	1 Credit: Algebra I 1 Credit: Algebra II 1 Credit: Geometry	
Science	3 Credits	3 Credits
	1 Credit: Biology 1 Credit: IPC or Chemistry 1 Credit: Any other Science	1 Credit: Biology 1 Credit: Chemistry 1 Credit: Any other Science
Social Studies	3 Credits	3 Credits
	1 Credit: US History 1 Credit: World History 0.5 Credit: US Government 0.5 Credit: Economics	
Directed Electives	4.5 Credits	5 Credits
	1 Credit: Computing 1 Credit: Fine Arts 1 Credit: Practical Arts 1.5 Credits: Other Electives	1 Credit: Computing 1 Credit: Fine Arts 2 Credits: Foreign Language 1 Credit: Practical Arts
Physical Education	1 Credit (Over 2 Years)	1 Credit (Over 2 Years)
Health/Wellness	0.5 Credit	0.5 Credit
Other Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Required to take ACT or SAT • Cumulative GPA of 2.0 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Required to attain a cumulative ACT composite score of 20 • Cumulative GPA of 3.0 • Additional Credit in Content Area of Emphasis • 3 Dual Credit College hours
Total Credits Required	23	24.5-25.5

For the **Advanced Studies Diploma**, students must:

- Declare a Content Area of Emphasis* no later than the start of their Junior year (Bible, ELA, Math, Science, Social Studies)
- Must complete one additional credit, beyond the minimum, within the declared Content Area of Emphasis
- Must successfully complete a minimum of 3 dual credit hours in an *approved* college course (may substitute for the additional credit in the student's area of emphasis)
- Must attain a minimum cumulative composite score of 20 on the ACT
- Must attain a cumulative GPA of 3.0

Directed Electives Offered at Indiana Academy

- Fine Arts Classes: Choralanas (Choir), Keynotes (Select Choir), Gracenotes (Select Bell Choir), Band, Photography
- Practical Arts Classes: Intro. to Technology, Essentials of Living, and Personal Finance
- Other Electives: Computer Science, Spanish I, Spanish II, Gymnastics

Both the General and the Advanced Studies Diplomas meet or exceed the requirements of the **Indiana Core 40**; however, students are responsible for making sure their course sequences meet the entrance requirements of their chosen college/university.

General Diploma (2.0 GPA)

<u>Freshman Year</u>	<u>Sophomore Year</u>	<u>Junior Year</u>	<u>Senior Year</u>
Bible 9	Bible 10	Bible 11	Bible 12
English 9	English 10	English 11	English 12
Algebra I	Algebra II	Geometry	U.S. Government
Integ. Physics/Chemistry	Biology	One unit of Science	Economics
Computer Science	World History	U.S. History	½ unit of Applied Arts
Physical Education	Health		
Intro to Technology	Physical Education	<i>Suggested Electives</i>	<i>Suggested Electives</i>
		One unit of Math	Physics or A&P
<i>Suggested Electives</i>	<i>Suggested Electives</i>	Fine Arts	One unit of Math
Fine Arts	Fine Arts	Gymnastics	Fine Arts
Gymnastics	Gymnastics	Spanish I	Gymnastics
			Personal Finance
			Essentials of Living
			Spanish I or II

Advanced Studies Diploma (3.0 GPA; ACT Composite score of 20)

<u>Freshman Year</u>	<u>Sophomore Year</u>	<u>Junior Year</u>	<u>Senior Year</u>
Bible 9	Bible 10	Bible 11	Bible 12
English 9	English 10	English 11	English 12
Algebra I	Algebra II	Geometry	U.S. Government
Integ. Physics/Chemistry	Biology	Chemistry or A&P	Economics
Computer Science	World History	U.S. History	Spanish II
Physical Education	Health	Spanish I	½ unit of Applied Arts
Intro to Technology	Physical Education		Dual Credit Class
			Additional Credit in Content Area of Emphasis
		<i>Suggested Electives</i>	
<i>Suggested Electives</i>	<i>Suggested Electives</i>	Fine Arts	<i>Suggested Electives</i>
Fine Arts	Fine Arts	Gymnastics	Pre-calculus
Gymnastics	Gymnastics		Physics or A & P
			Fine Arts
			Gymnastics
			Practical Arts