

Career and Technical Education Pathway Requirements

Required Content Areas for General and CTE Pathways Starting 2020-2021

All students must demonstrate continued engagement with educational experiences in ELA, Math and S/T standards throughout their high school or CTE experience. The following are content areas in which they must demonstrate proficiency as defined in 20-A MRS § 4722-A

**English
Language Arts
(ELA)**

All students must show proficiency

**Mathematics
(Math)**

All students must show proficiency

Social Studies

All students must show proficiency

**Science and
Technology
(S/T)**

General Pathway Only: All students must show proficiency

CTE Program

CTE Pathway Only:

Students must complete a state approved CTE program; and, meet 3rd party state/national standards pursuant to 8306-B, or, 6 dual enrollment credit hours from CTE program pursuant to chapter 229

All students must show proficiency in Guiding Principles

**Guiding
Principles
(GP)**

Phase-in Schedule for Demonstrating Content Area Proficiency

2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025+
General Pathway				
No additional content areas must be completed	1 content area of choice in addition to the required 4	2 content areas of choice in addition to the required 4	3 content areas of choice in addition to the required 4	Proficiency in all 8 content areas required
CTE Pathway				
No additional content areas must be completed	1 content area of choice in addition to the required 3 and CTE Program	2 content areas of choice in addition to the required 3 and CTE Program	3 content areas of choice in addition to the required 3 and CTE Program	3 content areas of choice in addition to the required 3 and CTE Program

Content Areas of Choice:
(S/T is an option for CTE Pathway and required for General Pathway starting 2020-2021)

**Science &
Technology
(S/T)**

**Visual &
Performing
Arts**

**Career &
Education
Development**

**World
Languages**

**Health &
Physical
Education**