RULES AND REQUIREMENTS FOR 2020 GRADUATES AND BEYOND

Please read thoroughly, as there are changes to the scholarship requirements which affect students graduating high school in 2021.

REQUIREMENTS

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS
✓ Take the required classes in grades 9-12 (see pages 4-8)
✓ Earn at least a 3.3 cumulative high school GPA
✓ Earn at least a composite score of 22 on the ACT
✓ Graduate from a Utah high school
✓ Meet college enrollment or deferment requirements

NON-ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS
✓ Fill out the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)
✓ Meet all deadlines
✓ Be a US citizen or a non-citizen eligible for federal financial aid

REQUIRED CREDITS TO BE COMPLETED IN GRADES 9-12
✓ 4 credits of English
✓ 4 credits of Math
  (at least 1 class must be selected from the advanced course list; see page 5)
✓ 3 credits of Social Science
✓ 3 credits of lab-based Science
  (one each of Biology, Chemistry, and Physics)
✓ 2 credits of the same World Language
  (other than English)

APPLYING FOR REGENTS’ SCHOLARSHIP

You will apply for the Regents’ Scholarship during your senior year. The application opens mid-November and is due no later than February 1. A priority deadline may be established each year. Additional details about the application process will be available on RegentsScholarship.org.
AWARD INFORMATION

The Regents’ Scholarship can be used at an eligible Utah College or University for up to 4 semesters (or two years at an approved technical college) and must be used within 5 years from the date of high school graduation. Scholarship funds can be used towards tuition and fees. The award amount for each student will vary based on other state aid that has been awarded to the student.

COLLEGE ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS

Enrollment at an eligible college is required Fall semester after high school graduation unless you receive an approved deferment from the Regents’ Scholarship Office. Students are required to enroll in and complete 12 credit hours earning a 3.0 GPA each semester for which they receive a disbursement. Students who attend a technical college must enroll full time and maintain satisfactory progress as defined by the college you attend.

For more details regarding the enrollment requirements and award disbursement please see the FAQ found at regentsscholarship.org under the Future Applicants section.

COLLEGES WHERE THE REGENTS’ SCHOLARSHIP CAN BE USED

The Regents’ Scholarship can be used at any of the following Utah colleges and universities:

Utah System of Higher Education

- The University of Utah
- Utah State University
- Weber State University
- SUU Southern Utah University
- DSU Dixie State University
- UVU Utah Valley University
- Salt Lake Community College
- Snow College

Technical Colleges

- Bridgerland Technical College
- Davis Tech
- MTECH Mountainland Technical College
- Ogden-Weber Technical College
- Southwest Tech
- Uintah Basin Technical College
- TOBTECH Tobbeg Technical College
- UTBTECH

Private Institutions

- BYU Young Women’s College
- Ensign College
- Westminster College
- WGU

Please note that the private, non-profit schools listed must agree to participate in this program, thus the ability to use the scholarship at those colleges is subject to change.
KNOWING WHICH CLASSES TO TAKE FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP

To learn which classes meet the scholarship requirements, use the Regents’ Scholarship Course Warehouse (a new, searchable database) or see pages 4-8 of this guide. Note: each Utah school is responsible for submitting classes for review. As this is a new tool, many schools are still working on submitting classes to the warehouse. If you search for your school and there is no information provided, please click on View Commonly Accepted Courses on the Course Warehouse or see pages 4-8 of this guide. Call the Regents’ Scholarship if you have questions about your classes.

RULES FOR COMPLETING CLASSES

• All classes considered for the Regents’ Scholarship must be completed through sources accredited through AdvancEd.

• A class may meet your school’s graduation requirements but may not meet the scholarship requirements.

• Before enrolling in a class through the Public Education Statewide Online Education Program, Ed-Net concurrent enrollment, or a class offered at another accredited Utah high school or college, check the Regents’ Scholarship Course Warehouse or contact our office to learn if it can be used to fulfill the scholarship requirements.

• In order for a class to count towards the scholarship requirements, it must be unique in content and cannot be a repeat of curriculum. For example, you cannot complete a standard class and enroll in the honors version of the same class the following year, counting both towards meeting the credit requirement. (Example: Geography and Geography Honors cannot both be counted towards fulfilling the scholarship requirements.)

• You may satisfy a class requirement through a competency-based assessment provided it is documented for credit on an official transcript. The requirement for lab-based science courses may not be fulfilled through competency exams, as the exams do not include a lab component.

CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT (CE)

• By taking CE courses, you earn both high school credit and college credit. A CE class can be taken at a high school, at a college, via Ed-Net, or by distance education.

• A 3:1 ratio of college credits to high school credits will be applied to all classes in which college credit is earned as demonstrated on the college transcript. For example, classes worth three college credits will be counted as one credit towards the scholarship requirements.

• If you earn college credit for any of the classes required by the scholarship, you will be evaluated off the college credit earned. Therefore, an official college transcript is required as part of your application.

70% of Regents’ Scholarship applicants felt the classes completed for the scholarship prepared them either “well” or “very well” for college.
CLASSES THAT FULFILL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

4 CREDITS OF ENGLISH

CLASSES THAT SATISFY THE ENGLISH REQUIREMENT:

✓ AP English Language
✓ AP Literature and Composition
✓ College Prep Language Arts
✓ English 1010 (Intro to Expository Writing CE)*
✓ English 2010 (Expository Writing II CE)*
✓ IB English A: Language and Literature SL 1 & 2
✓ IB English A: Language and Literature HL 1 & 2
✓ IB English A: Literature SL 1 & 2
✓ IB English A: Literature HL 1 & 2
✓ Language Arts 9
✓ Language Arts 10
✓ Language Arts 11
✓ Language Arts 12
✓ Professional Reading and Writing**

Note: ESL coursework that shows progression into standard core courses will be evaluated on an individual basis.

CLASSES THAT DO NOT SATISFY THE ENGLISH REQUIREMENT:

✗ ACT preparation courses
✗ American Literature
✗ British Literature
✗ Basic Reading Skills
✗ Basic Writing Skills
✗ Broadcasting
✗ Creative Writing 1 and 2
✗ Communications courses
✗ Communications 1010
✗ Debate
✗ Drama
✗ English 2200
✗ European Literature
✗ Effective Writing
✗ Film
✗ Foreign Language courses
✗ Humanities
✗ Humanities 1010
✗ IB Theory of Knowledge
✗ Journalism/Lit Magazine
✗ Mythology
✗ Newspaper
✗ Romantic Literature
✗ Shakespeare
✗ Speech
✗ Sports Literature
✗ Theatre
✗ Understanding Literature
✗ World Literature
✗ Yearbook

* Approved Concurrent Enrollment (CE) class. Concurrent Enrollment classes are those in which you earn college credit and will require college transcripts as part of your scholarship application.
** This class must be taken for one full credit.
4 CREDITS OF MATH

In order to satisfy the Regents’ Scholarship math requirement, you need to complete 4 credits of math selected from the following table. At least one or more classes listed under Advanced Math Classes must be completed.

If you complete a class that is not listed, it cannot be counted towards the scholarship requirements. Classes that are double-blocked, where you earn one math credit and one elective credit, will only be counted as one credit towards the math requirement.

If you have questions regarding the math classes you should take, contact the Regents’ Scholarship office.

If you are planning to complete a concurrent enrollment math class, you will need to meet the enrollment conditions, which are determined by the college/university offering the class.

CLASSES THAT SATISFY THE MATH REQUIREMENT:

*CE classes are those in which you earn college credit and will require college transcripts as part of your scholarship application.

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**Must be 3 college credits to count as 1 credit for the scholarship

CLASSES THAT DO NOT SATISFY THE MATH REQUIREMENT

*This class is not recognized by the Utah State Board of Education.

✗ Accounting courses
✗ ACT/SAT Math Prep
✗ Advanced Math
✗ Advanced Topics of Applied Math*
✗ Business Math
✗ Basic Skills
✗ College Prep Math
✗ Computer Programming courses
✗ Computer Science
✗ Discrete Mathematics
✗ Financial Literacy
✗ Geometry/Trigonometry
✗ Linear Algebra*
✗ Mathematical Decision
✗ Mathematics Essentials
✗ Math 1010
✗ Math Labs, including calculus labs
✗ Mathematics of Personal Finance
✗ Medical Math
✗ Modern Mathematics
✗ Pre-Calculus 2
✗ Physics
✗ Quantitative Analysis
✗ Trigonometry
3 CREDITS OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

CLASSES THAT SATISFY THE SOCIAL SCIENCE REQUIREMENT:
*Concurrent Enrollment classes are those in which you earn college credit and will require college transcripts as part of your scholarship application.

✓ American Government & Law
✓ Anthropology
✓ Anthropology 1010*
✓ AP US History
✓ AP Human Geography
✓ AP US Government and Politics
✓ AP Government and Politics: Comparative
✓ AP Economics
✓ AP Psychology
✓ AP World History
✓ AP European History
✓ Current Issues
✓ Economics (must earn social science credit)
✓ Economics 1010, 1500, 1740, and 2010*
✓ European History
✓ Geography 1000, 1300*
✓ Geography for Life
✓ History 1100, 1110, 1500, 1510, 1700, 2700, and 2710*
✓ IB History of the Americas
✓ IB 20th Century World History
✓ IB Psychology
✓ Introduction to Philosophy
✓ Philosophy 1000*
✓ Political Science 1100, 2060, 2200, and 2920*
✓ Psychology 1010 and 2500*
✓ Psychology, Sports Psychology, Psychology 1 or Psychology 2
✓ Sociology
✓ Sociology 1010*
✓ U.S. History II
✓ United States Government & Citizenship
✓ Utah Studies
✓ USU 1300 and 1320*
✓ US Wars
✓ World Civilizations (formerly World History)
✓ World History

CLASSES THAT DO NOT SATISFY THE SOCIAL SCIENCE REQUIREMENT:
✗ Art History
✗ Adult Roles
✗ Business Economics
✗ Child Care
✗ Child Development courses
✗ Criminal Justice (as of the 2018-19 academic year)
✗ Debate
✗ Financial Literacy
✗ History of Film
✗ Hospitality Management Courses
✗ Human Development courses
✗ Humanities
✗ IB Theory of Knowledge
✗ Marriage and Family Relations courses
✗ Peer Court
✗ Psychology 1100
✗ REAL BYU 41
✗ Seminary
✗ Student Government
✗ Classes that do not earn social science credit
3 CREDITS OF LAB-BASED SCIENCE, SPECIFICALLY ONE EACH OF BIOLOGY, CHEMISTRY, AND PHYSICS

CLASSES THAT SATISFY THE LAB-BASED SCIENCE REQUIREMENT:

- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Physics (1, 2 and C)
- Biology
- Biology Agriculture
- Chemistry
- Human Biology
- IB Biology
- IB Chemistry
- IB Physics
- Physics
- Physics with Technology

College Science Classes and Concurrent Enrollment

If you choose to complete a college science class or a Concurrent Enrollment (CE) science class, you must complete both a college lecture AND college lab during the same semester. Completion of the lecture and the lab must be reflected on your official college transcript. For example, Physics 1010 (lecture) and Physics 1015 (lab) must be completed together.

APPROVED CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT (CE)* CLASSES:

- Biology 1010 taken with Biology 1015
- Biology 1610 taken with Biology 1615
- Biology 1620 taken with Biology 1625
- Chemistry 1010 taken with Chemistry 1015
- Chemistry 1110 taken with Chemistry 1115
- Chemistry 1120 taken with Chemistry 1125
- Chemistry 1210 taken with Chemistry 1215
- Chemistry 1220 taken with Chemistry 1225
- Weber State University’s Chemistry 1110 or 1120 (the lab is incorporated with the lecture)
- Physics 1010 taken with Physics 1015
- Physics 2010 taken with Physics 2015
- Utah State University’s Physics 1200 (the lab is incorporated with the lecture)

*Concurrent Enrollment classes are those in which you earn college credit and will require college transcripts as part of your scholarship application.

CLASSES THAT DO NOT SATISFY THE LAB-BASED SCIENCE REQUIREMENT (EVEN IF THEY HAVE A LAB):

- Applied Physics
- AP Environmental Science
- Aeronautics
- Aerospace
- Anatomy
- Astronomy
- Basic Physics
- Botany
- Bio-Tech
- Computer Science
- Conceptual Physics
- Concurrent Enrollment AUSV 1100
- Earth Science
- Earth Systems
- Electronics
- Environmental Science
- Genetics
- Geology
- Human Biology/Intro to Health Sciences
- Human Physiology
- Introduction to Health Sciences
- Investigation Science
- Marine Biology
- Medical Anatomy
- Meteorology
- Physiology
- Physical Science
- Science Research
- Science and Technology
- Wildlife Biology
- Zoology
- Biology, Chemistry and Physics courses that do not have labs
2 CREDITS OF THE SAME WORLD LANGUAGE (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)
TAKEN DURING GRADES 9-12

CLASSES THAT SATISFY THE WORLD LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT:

✔ American Sign Language
✔ Arabic
✔ Chinese
✔ French
✔ German
✔ Italian
✔ Japanese
✔ Latin
✔ Russian
✔ Spanish
✔ Spanish for Native Speakers 1 & 2
✔ IB and AP versions of the classes listed
✔ CE Language Course 1010*
✔ CE Language Course 1020*
✔ CE Language Course 2010*
✔ CE Language Course 2020*
✔ Dual immersion bridge classes including (but not limited to):
  Chinese 3116*
  French 3116, 3117, 3118*
  Spanish CE 3116, 3117*

*Concurrent Enrollment classes are those in which you earn college credit and will require college transcripts as part of your scholarship application.

CLASSES THAT DO NOT SATISFY THE WORLD LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT:

✗ English
✗ Repeated classes
✗ World language classes completed prior to grade 9

QUESTIONS?

If you have questions about the Regents’ Scholarship, contact us using the information below.
Remember, only rely on the Regents’ Scholarship office for correct and up-to-date information on scholarship requirements.

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