



Ohio State Tests (OST) Parent Information



Currently, in the State of Ohio, students in the Class of 2020-22 must take seven Ohio State Tests:

- *ELA I (English 9) & ELA II (English 10)*
- *Algebra I & Geometry*
- *Biology*
- *American History & Government*

State Tests scores range from 1 to 5 points as outlined below:

PERFORMANCE LEVEL	GRADUATION POINTS
Advanced	5
Accelerated	4
Proficient	3
Basic	2
Limited	1

GRADUATION POINTS

In order to be eligible for graduation, students must earn 18 out of a possible 35 points on the seven Ohio State Tests. In addition to acquiring 18 points, students must meet minimum points in specific content areas as follows:

- Students must earn a minimum of 4 combined points in ELA I (English 9) & ELA II (English 10)
- Students must earn a minimum of 4 combined points in Algebra I & Geometry
- Student must earn a minimum of 6 combined points in Science (Biology) and Social Studies (American History and Government) tests
- This means that students can earn Limited and/or Basic scores in an area but still reach the required 18 points for graduation when they excel in other areas.
- Students will have the opportunity to retake any test and gain a higher score every fall and every spring through the fall of their senior year of high school.

***The graduation point requirements are in addition to the 22 credits required to earn a high school diploma from Beaver Creek High School.**

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COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS TEST

All students must take all seven state tests, but they can earn an exemption from the point requirements by earning a minimum score on the ACT. Beaver Creek High School will be giving all junior students the ACT on February 25, 2020. This will be free of charge to the student. Students must earn “remediation free” scores in each of the three sub score areas, two in English language arts and one in Mathematics. These scores are listed below.

English Language Arts*:

English sub score of 18 or higher

Reading sub score of 22 or higher

Mathematics*:

Mathematics sub score of 22 or higher

**These scores are subject to change*

Each student may use the highest score in each sub score from multiple administrations of the ACT to meet the student’s graduation requirement option. This would include the state-funded administration in the spring of their junior year, and additional attempts that students take and fund through non-state resources during their academic years.