



Dover High School

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Graduation Requirements for the Class of 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019

On November 5th, the New Jersey State Board of Education updated the threshold ‘cut’ scores that students of the classes of 2016-2019 must meet to “demonstrate that they have met the competency testing requirements needed for a regular high school diploma.”

Students must earn a score for both English Language Arts and Mathematics of:

English Language Arts	Mathematics
PARCC ELA Grade 9 \geq 750 (Level 4) <i>or</i>	PARCC Algebra I \geq 750 (Level 4) <i>or</i>
PARCC ELA Grade 10 \geq 750 (Level 4) <i>or</i>	PARCC Geometry \geq 725 (Level 3) <i>or</i>
PARCC ELA Grade 11 \geq 725 (Level 3) <i>or</i>	PARCC Algebra II \geq 725 (Level 3) <i>or</i>
SAT Reading* \geq 400 <i>or</i>	SAT Math* \geq 400 <i>or</i>
ACT Reading or ACT PLAN Reading \geq 16 <i>or</i>	ACT or ACT PLAN Math \geq 16 <i>or</i>
Accuplacer Write Placer \geq 6 <i>or</i>	Accuplacer Elementary Algebra \geq 76 <i>or</i>
PSAT10 Reading or PSAT-NMSQT Reading** \geq 40 <i>or</i>	PSAT10 Math or PSAT/NMSQT Math** \geq 40 <i>or</i>
ACT Aspire Reading \geq 422 <i>or</i>	ACT Aspire Math \geq 422 <i>or</i>
ASVAB-AFQT Composite \geq 31 <i>or</i>	ASVAB-AFQT Composite \geq 31 <i>or</i>

*SAT taken prior to March 2016

**PSAT Taken prior to October 2015

The Collegeboard is expecting to establish new ‘cut scores’ in December 2015 for the new PSAT and in May 2016 for the new SAT.

The State has advised that *The Study Commission on the Use of Statewide Assessments* will be “shortly” making recommendations regarding graduation requirements for the class of 2020.