

Message to parents for Thursday night...

Good Evening Concord High Community:

I have yet another important message for you and your students. As you may be aware, the school board reluctantly had to change graduation requirements to address fiscal challenges the district is facing - starting with the 2010-2011 school year.

- Students will need 200 credits for graduation, down from 230 credits.
- To accomplish this change the math requirement will be reduced from three years of math to two years or 20 credits
- Elective requirements will be reduced from 80-60 credits

To address the changes, we are making available to you and your student the ability to take 5 classes and under special circumstances 4 classes during their senior year, as long as all grade level requirements have been met. This may also apply to other grade levels depending on circumstances. Our current juniors have been working under the 230 credit requirements and should have enough credits to avail themselves of this reduction.

On May 7th, we will begin class meeting with the current junior class to discuss graduation requirements for next year. Students may pickup the form to request the shorter schedule from their grade level administrator and bring it home for your signature. If you have any questions, please contact the appropriate grade level administrator for your son or daughter.

All requests must be made by May 14th to allow us time to develop our master schedule for the 2010-2011 School Year.

Thank you,
Dr. McAdam