

Maine State Statute: Graduation Requirements

§4722-A. Proficiency-based diploma standards and transcripts

B-1. Phase in the following diploma requirements from the 2020-2021 school year to the 2024-2025 school year:

- (1) For a student graduating in the graduating class of **2020-2021**, certify that the student has demonstrated proficiency in meeting the state standards in the content areas of English language arts, mathematics, science and technology and social studies;
- (2) For a student graduating in the graduating class of **2021-2022**, certify that the student has demonstrated proficiency in meeting the state standards in the content areas of English language arts, mathematics, science and technology, social studies and at least one additional content area of the student's choice;
- (3) For a student graduating in the graduating class of **2022-2023**, certify that the student has demonstrated proficiency in meeting the state standards in the content areas of English language arts, mathematics, science and technology, social studies and at least 2 additional content areas of the student's choice;
- (4) For a student graduating in the graduating class of **2023-2024**, certify that the student has demonstrated proficiency in meeting the state standards in the content areas of English language arts, mathematics, science and technology, social studies and at least 3 additional content areas of the student's choice; and
- (5) For a student graduating in the graduating class of **2024-2025** and for each subsequent graduating class, certify that the student has demonstrated proficiency in meeting the state standards in all content areas.

High Schools must certify that the student has demonstrated proficiency in each of the **guiding principles** set forth in department rules governing implementation of the system of learning results established pursuant to section 6209.

