

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## ACADEMIC GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Graduation from Highland requires the successful completion of a minimum of 23 academic credits. One credit is the equivalent of the successful completion of a full-year course. Semester courses carry one-half credit.

Minimum requirements for graduation are listed below. Any variation requires prior approval by the Upper School Director and the Director of Studies.

| <b>Course</b>       | <b>Credits</b>  |
|---------------------|---|
| English             | 4 credits (must be 4 year-long English classes)   |
| Foreign Language    | 2 credits (at least through the third year of a language)   |
| Mathematics         | 3 credits (at least through Algebra II and Geometry)  |
| Social Sciences     | 3.5 credits (must include U.S. History and Government)  |
| Laboratory Sciences | 3 credits   |
| Fine Arts           | 1 credit  |
| Computer Science    | 1 credit (must include Technology for the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century)<br>{Note: Students who have taken Computer Concepts or Programming I prior to the 2009-2010 school year do not have to take Technology for the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century } |
| Electives           | 5.5 credits   |
| <b>TOTAL</b>        | <b>23 credits</b>   |

### Academic Graduation Requirement Worksheet

Please use this worksheet to track the courses you have successfully completed that meet graduation requirements.

#### English: 4 credits (must be 4 year-long English classes)

| <b>Course</b> | <b>Credits</b> | <b>Year Completed</b> | <b>Advisor/Date</b> |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |

#### Foreign Language: 2 credits (at least through the third year of a language)

| <b>Course</b> | <b>Credits</b> | <b>Year Completed</b> | <b>Advisor/Date</b> |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |

#### Mathematics: 3 credits (at least through Algebra II and Geometry)

| <b>Course</b> | <b>Credits</b> | <b>Year Completed</b> | <b>Advisor/Date</b> |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |

**Social Sciences: 3.5 credits (must include U.S. History and Government)**

| <b>Course</b> | <b>Credits</b> | <b>Year Completed</b> | <b>Advisor/Date</b> |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |

**Laboratory Sciences: 3 credits**

| <b>Course</b> | <b>Credits</b> | <b>Year Completed</b> | <b>Advisor/Date</b> |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |

**Fine Arts: 1 credit**

| <b>Course</b> | <b>Credits</b> | <b>Year Completed</b> | <b>Advisor/Date</b> |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |

**Computer Science: 1 credit (must include Technology for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century)**

{Note: Students who have taken Computer Concepts or Programming I prior to the 2009-2010 school year do not have to take Technology for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century}

| <b>Course</b> | <b>Credits</b> | <b>Year Completed</b> | <b>Advisor/Date</b> |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |

**Electives: 5.5 credits**

| <b>Course</b> | <b>Credits</b> | <b>Year Completed</b> | <b>Advisor/Date</b> |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |
| _____         | _____          | _____                 | _____               |

**Physical Education Requirement**

Students may choose between these two options in order to satisfy this requirement:

1. They may take one credit of PE classes at Highland, (if credit is earned list above as an elective)
2. They may participate actively in two seasons of team sports at the JV or Varsity level. (list below)

Any variation requires prior approval by the Upper School Director and the Athletic Director.

| <b>Sport</b> | <b>Season/year</b> | <b>Advisor approval</b> |
|--------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| _____        | _____              | _____                   |
| _____        | _____              | _____                   |