

Certificate of Completion



What it means

A student has completed high school, but didn't meet all requirements for graduation. These students may attend through their 22nd birthday.

Graduation Requirements

Unlike the diploma, the requirements are often flexible and can be tied to a student's IEP goals.

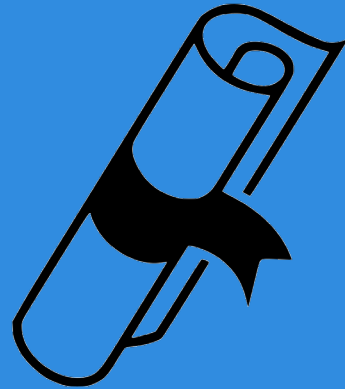
Accommodations

Yes

Curriculum Modifications Allowed

Yes

High School Diploma



What it means

A student has met all requirements for graduation

Graduation Requirements

To earn a diploma, a student typically must pass 4 years of grade level English, 3 years of math, 3 years of social studies, Biology and a physical science and other required classes. They must complete all class credits (220 total credits) required by California.

Accommodations

Yes

Curriculum Modifications Allowed

Maybe. By changing what he/she learns, modifications can hurt a student's ability to earn a high school diploma.