

## Project Graduation – Student Information

Project Graduation is a credit recovery program delivered online for students in Rochester Community Schools. The program is designed to assist students in recovering credits in courses needed for graduation. The goal of this program is to accommodate students who have attempted but not successfully completed a course in the traditional learning environment; however, he/she is committed to completing the academic requirements for graduation. Counselors will work with students, parents, and administration to evaluate the proper placement of students in this program. Classes from more than one building may be combined to ensure the availability of the class being offered.

The program is a computer-based, online learning system that provides students with another medium for achieving academic credit. The online system allows students to work at their own pace in completing necessary academic courses.

### Requirements:

- Students will need to have access to a stand-alone computer with high speed internet.
- Students will be required to take notes to assist learning the course content. Notes must be submitted at the end of the session for a grade.
- Student grades will be based on completing online tests, a final exam, course notes, and any assigned supplemental materials.
- Students will be able to access the coursework on the first day of the session. All coursework and tests must be completed in order to take the final exam.
- Students will have access to the online course on their scheduled course day. Students may never access their course during regular school hours. Additional remote access is available on a first come first serve basis:
  - Mondays (3:30 p.m. – 11:59 p.m.)
  - Weekends (Friday 3:30 p.m. – Monday 5:00 a.m.)
- Each online course is designed to be the equivalent of approximately **60** hours of instruction.
- Students must spend additional time outside of the class meeting time in order to complete the course.
- **If the course (all units/modules) is not completed in the allotted time, the student will not earn credit for the course. There will be no extensions or incompletes.**
- Students will take their final exams on the last day of the session in the classroom. Exams will be monitored by the instructor.
- **All course work must be completed by 9:00 p.m. the night before the final exam. Students who do not have all coursework completed and notes available will not be allowed to take the final exam and will fail the course.**

### **Session 1**

October 8, 2019 – January 9, 2020

(No classes the weeks of Nov. 4, Nov. 25, Dec. 23, & Dec. 30)

Tuesday classes start 10-8-2019 and end 1-7-2020, Wednesday classes start 10-9-2019 and end 1-8-2020, and

Thursday classes start 10-10-2019 and end 1-9-2020.

**Mandatory parent meeting: Monday, October 7, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at ACE High School.**

### **Session 2**

February 25, 2020 – May 14, 2020

(No classes the weeks of Apr. 6 & Apr. 13)

Tuesday classes start 2-25-2020 and end 5-12-2020, Wednesday classes start 2-26-2020 and end 5-13-2020, and

Thursday classes start 2-27-2020 and end 5-14-2020.

**Mandatory parent meeting: Monday, February 24, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. at ACE High School.**

RHS (Room B123)

Tuesdays

3:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

SCHS (Room A234)

Wednesdays

3:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

AHS (Room 251)

Thursdays

3:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

**Please be aware that if there are not enough students registered for Project Graduation classes, schools could be combined or Project Graduation classes could be cancelled that session.**