

Board of Education Approved Courses to Satisfy Graduation Requirements for History
and Social Sciences for the Standard and Advanced Studies Diplomas
Effective July 1, 2003

Course Title	Course Codes	SOL Test(s) Required
World Geography	2210	World Geography
World History and Geography Part I	2219	World History I
World History and Geography Part II	2221	World History II
World History Part I and World Geography (one semester each course)	2222	World History I or World Geography
World History Part II and World Geography (one semester each course)	2223	World History II or World Geography
World History	2340	*
Virginia and United States History	2360	Virginia and United States History
Virginia and United States Government	2440	None
<i>Additional courses that may satisfy the history and social science graduation requirements must include the relevant content prescribed in the History and Social Science Standards of Learning (SOL)</i>		
World Studies (Typically a two-year program; Must include the SOL from either World History and Geography Part I or World History and Geography Part II and World Geography.)	2351	The appropriate World History test and World Geography
World Civilization (Typically a two-year program; Must include the SOL from two of the following: World History and Geography Part I, World History and Geography Part II, or World Geography.)	2375	*
American Civilization (Must include the SOL for Virginia and United States History)	2376	Virginia and United States History
<i>8 VAC 20-131-50 K - Students who complete advanced placement, college-level, or courses required for an International Baccalaureate Diploma shall be deemed to have completed the requirements for graduation under these standards provided they have earned the standard units of credit and earned verified units of credit in accordance with the requirements of subsections B and C of this section.</i> The use of courses that meet the provisions of 8 VAC 20-131-50 K but are not listed below is a school division decision.		
Advanced Placement U.S. History	2319	**
International Baccalaureate US History (Higher Level)	IB2360	**

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Advanced Placement World History	2380	**
Advanced Placement European History	2399	**
International Baccalaureate History of Europe	IB2219	**
Advanced Placement Human Geography	2212	**
International Baccalaureate Geography	IB2210	**
Advanced Placement Government and Politics: United States	2445	None
Advanced Placement Government and Politics: Comparative	2450	None

* This course must cover the prescribed SOL from two of the following courses: World History and Geography Part I, World History and Geography Part II, or World Geography in order for students to receive a verified credit beginning with the ninth-grade class of 2000-2001. Students will take the corresponding end-of-course test when they have completed the SOL content, as determined by the school division.

** If students have not taken a lower level course and/or the associated test earlier, the approved end-of-course test or an approved substitute assessment test will be required at the completion of the Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate course.