

# Credits Needed to Earn Your Secondary School Diploma



| Grade   | Subject  | Number of possible credits* | Number of credits earned |
|---|--|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Secondary IV  | Mathematics  | 4 or 6*                     |                          |
|   | Science (ST or AST)  | 4 or 6*                     |                          |
|   | History of Québec and Canada                                     | 4                           |                          |
|   | Arts Education (drama, visual arts, dance, or music)             | 2                           |                          |
|   | Language of instruction  | 6                           |                          |
|   | Second language  | 4 or 6*                     |                          |
|   | Physical Education and Health                                    | 2                           |                          |
|   | Culture and Citizenship in Québec                                | 4                           |                          |
|   | Electives (SE or EST science courses, multimedia, Spanish, etc.) | 4 or 6*                     |                          |
| Total credits earned in Secondary IV  |  |                             | <b>Yellow box</b>        |
| Secondary V   | Language of instruction  | 6                           |                          |
|   | Second language  | 4 or 6*                     |                          |
|   | Mathematics  | 4 or 6*                     |                          |
|   | Contemporary World   | 2 or 4*                     |                          |
|   | Arts Education (drama, visual arts, dance, or music)             | 2                           |                          |
|   | Physical Education and Health                                    | 2                           |                          |
|   | or   |                             |                          |
|   | Culture and Citizenship in Québec                                | 2                           |                          |
|   | Financial Education  | 2                           |                          |
| Electives (Chemistry, Physics, Integrative project, etc.)                                     |  |                             | <b>Yellow box</b>        |
| Total number of credits earned in Secondary V (minimum 20)                                    |  |                             | <b>Yellow box</b>        |
| Total number of credits earned in Secondary IV and V (minimum 54)                             |  |                             | <b>Yellow box</b>        |
| * The number of credits depends on the elective or course chosen.                             |  |                             |                          |
| The green boxes represent compulsory credits needed to earn a Secondary School Diploma (SSD). |  |                             |                          |