

## **Arts and Humanities Graduation Requirement Fulfillment:**

To align with the KDE graduation requirements, PLD will require one (1) credit to include the content contained in the Kentucky academic standards for visual and performing arts (HAVPA) OR a standards-based specialized arts course based on the student's individual learning plan.

This change in PLD's graduation requirements shall go into effect beginning with students graduating in the 2019-20 school year.

Standards-based arts courses shall include:

- Visual Arts courses
- Drama courses (performance and design & technology)
- Music courses (Band, Choir, Orchestra, Piano)

Students who have taken additional arts and humanities credits may count those as elective credit for graduation.

Students who have begun the Graphic Arts & Communications or Multimedia Communications 3-course sequence by the 2018-19 school year may complete that option as their Arts and Humanities graduation requirement. Beginning in the 2019-20 school year those courses will no longer count for the Arts and Humanities requirement and will count for Career and Technical Education credits only.

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