

**Board of Education-approved Criteria for Awarding the Science, Technology,  
Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Diploma Seal**

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The Board of Education's STEM Seal shall be awarded to students who earn either a Standard Diploma or an Advanced Studies Diploma and

- satisfy all Math and Science requirements for the Advanced Studies diploma with a “B” average or better in all course work, and
- successfully complete a 50 hour or more work-based learning opportunity in a STEM area, and
- satisfy all requirements for a Career and Technical Education concentration. A *concentration* is a coherent sequence of two or more state-approved courses as identified in the course listing within the [CTE Administrative Planning Guide](#), and
- pass one of the following:
  - a Board of Education CTE STEM-H credential examination, or
  - an examination approved by the Board that confers a college-level credit in a STEM field.