



Student Name: _____

Student Name: _____

Student Grade Level: _____

High School Name which student attends: _____

Listed below are the requirements for students seeking to pursue Distinction:

(1) Before the end of the student's sophomore year:

- Notify the student's counselor or school principal of the student's Industry 4.0 diploma distinction;
- Provide the student's counselor or school principal with a document signed by the student's parent or legal guardian indicating that the student and guardian is aware of the requirements for the parent's or guardian's participation in the student's Industry 4.0 diploma distinction and consenting to the student's participation;
- Register with a regional American Job Center or other career counseling or community partner approved by the student's school; and
- Enroll in work-based learning or dual enrollment courses for the student's junior year.

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(2) Beginning in the student's junior year, meet, no less than once per month, with a career coach who meets the requirements of subsection and who has been approved to provide career coaching services by the student's school

(3) Before the end of the student's junior year, enroll in work-based learning or dual enrollment courses for the student's senior year; and

(4) Successfully complete all coursework required for graduation.

By signing below, you acknowledge that you have been informed of the requirements of the student to earn the Industry 4.0 Diploma Distinction, and you consent to your student's participation in the activities required to earn this distinction.

Parent/Guardian's Printed Name: _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Grade 10

Student and Parent Requirements

By the end of 10th grade year, students interested in pursuing an Industry 4.0 Diploma Distinction must provide the counselor or school principal with documentation signed by the student's parent or legal guardian indicating that the parent or legal guardian is aware of the requirements for the student to obtain the diploma distinction and consenting to the student's participation. Students must also register with a regional American Job Center (AJC) or other career counseling or community partner, known as a ***career coach***, and enroll in at least one WBL or dual enrollment course for the student's junior year.

***If you would like to pursue the Industry 4.0 Diploma Distinction, forms are available in the counseling office.**

Grade 11

Student Requirements

The student must be enrolled in at least one WBL or dual enrollment course and enroll in WBL or dual enrollment courses for the student's senior year. The student must also meet no less than once per month during the school year with a career coach.

Grade 12

Student Requirements

The student must successfully complete all coursework required for graduation for his/her diploma type. Students may earn at least one science credit and at least one math credit through course substitutions approved by the State Board of Education, including, but not limited to, dual enrollment and WBL courses aligned to a student's chosen career path. These substitutions may only fulfill the student's third credit of science or fourth credit of math. A list of WBL and dual enrollment courses that qualify as science and math substitutions will be published upon State Board of Education approval.

By the end of the student's senior year, the student must earn at least nine credits of dual enrollment or WBL, meet no less than once per month during the school year with a career coach, and fulfill all other graduation requirements to earn the Industry 4.0 Diploma Distinction.