



DIPLOMA VS. CERTIFICATE



Diploma

- 24 Credits with Specific Course Requirements
- With accommodations and modifications, the student must be able to meet the standards.
- Post Secondary Transition
-Military / College / Trade / Employment
- All services end once a high school diploma is received



Commonalities Between Diploma and Certificate

- All components of an IEP are implemented
- IEP Teams will determine if a student needs additional supports and services until age 22
- Post Secondary Transition
-College / Employment / Trade
- May have an educational representative



Certificate

- Focused on Individualized Educational Program and Post-Secondary Goals
- Creative Schedule/Curriculum
- Post Secondary Transition
-College / Trade / Employment
- Each school may have their own process on participation in graduation ceremony, and proms

