

## Duchesne County School District - Policy Proposal

### 4.0510.04 Grades 9-12 Graduation Requirements

Existing Policy	Proposed Policy
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