

## AMYA ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES

- ❖ **Earn up to 7 High School Credits** (*Credit Information listed below, additional credits may be offered*)
- ❖ **GED**

Youth will be able to earn credits even if they obtain their GED. It is important to speak with your current school's counselor to determine credit status and needs. In Alaska, schools will allow a youth who has obtained a GED to return and complete their requirement for a high school diploma. It is important to discuss this with your school prior to attending the Academy. If your school district does not allow the youth to return with a GED or if you prefer that your youth not obtain a GED, we simply will not have the youth take the final GED exam so they may return to High School.

- ❖ **High School Diploma**

AMYA is an accredited school, if your youth meets the minimum qualifications of credits needed upon startup of the program, they may be eligible to earn a high school diploma. The Academic Department will review the transcripts provided and determine the eligibility of the youth; they may be offered the opportunity to earn credit through our Credit Recovery program to meet the qualifications in order to graduate. The youth must meet the minimum requirements to be able to participate in Credit Recovery and be provided the opportunity to obtain their High School Diploma with AMYA.

- ❖ **High School Diploma and GED**

In \*Alaska you are allowed to get both your GED and High School Diploma, you must accomplish the requirements for both sections as it is stated in our program of studies. *\*Individual school districts may have their own exclusions.* Cadets are tested using the Test for Adult Basic Education (TABE), in order to locate the learning level of the youth and place them in the academic team that will best benefit the youth. They are evaluated twice at the beginning of Academics and at the end of Academics to be able to determine the improvement of the youth.

**Credit Information:** The standard credits the youth may earn are 7

Subject	Credits
Mathematics (Integrated)	1
Science (Integrated)	1
Social Studies (Integrated)	1
Language Arts (Integrated)	1
Physical Fitness	1
Wilderness Training	0.5
Life Coping Skills	0.5
Job Skills	0.5
Integrated Studies (includes: EverFi Financial Literacy)	0.5

**Current Program of Studies can be requested through the Principal, Adihel Wright, at [adihel.wright@alaska.gov](mailto:adihel.wright@alaska.gov) or the Registrar at [mva.amya.registrar@alaska.gov](mailto:mva.amya.registrar@alaska.gov). You may also call 907-428-7343.**

AMYA follows the guidelines under 4 AAC 06.075 under the State of Alaska Graduation Requirements (Individual school districts may have additional requirements).

Specific subject area units-of -credit requirements must be met before graduation; a student must have completed the following:

- 4 unit credits of Language Arts
- 3 unit credits of Social Studies (that includes Alaska Studies)
- 3 unit credits of Mathematics
- 2 unit credits of Science
- 0.5 units credit of Health
- 0.5 units credit of- Physical Education
- Remaining Credits from Electives