



**Ohio** updated its mathematical standards in 2017 with full implementation for the 2018-2019 school year. It was noted that the existing Algebra 2 course was not meeting the diverse needs of students and the evolving demands of the workforce. More information on the updated mathematics standards can be found [here](#). Below find some key features of the revised high school mathematics curriculum.

- **Common Two-Year Experience**
  - Students take either Algebra 1 and Geometry or Math 1 and Math 2 for their first two courses of high school mathematics.
- **Interest-driven Pathways**
  - Aside from Algebra 2, students have options for their third course of high school mathematics.
  - Districts aren't required to offer all four Algebra 2 equivalent pathways but are encouraged to offer at least one in addition to Algebra 2.
  - These four additional pathways can fulfill the Algebra 2 requirement for Ohio public universities.
  - [Career clusters](#) are provided for each pathway to help students make informed decisions.

