

**Welcome
Class of
2026
2027
2028**

**Current Grade
9 - 12**



MAXWELL Guidance Department



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GUIDANCE INFORMATION

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

- Graduation Requirements
- Course streams
- Struggling with a class
- Manage my course load?
- Preparation for major tests/exams or assignments
- Study Skills/Habits

SOCIAL SUPPORT

- Troubles with Peers at School
- Making Friends
- Talking to Adults
- Managing Emotions
- In and outside of school concerns (family, friends, substances)

CAREER SUPPORT

- I really enjoy _____, but is it something that I could make into a career?
- I know what I want to do in the future, but how do I get there?
- What sorts of options are there after high school?
- To be a _____, do I need to go to college or university?

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GUIDANCE APPOINTMENTS

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

SOCIAL SUPPORT

CAREER SUPPORT



Appointments are booked through Microsoft Bookings

- Accessible via QR codes, Google classroom and school website



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Maxwell Heights SS Guidance Appointments

Current Course - Academic Support

Current Course - Academic Support
15 minutes



Educational and Pathway Planning
30 minutes



Personal/Social Support
30 minutes



Timetable Change - Semester 2 Only
10 minutes



September 09

< > September 2024

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22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
29	30						

Select staff (optional)

👤 Anyone

12:20 PM	12:25 PM	12:30 PM
12:35 PM	12:40 PM	12:45 PM
12:50 PM	12:55 PM	1:00 PM
1:05 PM	1:30 PM	1:35 PM

REASON

PERSON

TIME

DATE



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GUIDANCE 2024-25



MEET THE GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

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Graduation Requirements

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Course Selection

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Other Credit Programs

Edited Aug 26



Community Involvement

Edited Oct 16, 2023



Apprenticeship Information

Edited Aug 15



College Application Information

Edited Aug 15



Post Secondary Planning

Edited Aug 15



University Application Information

Edited Aug 15



Personal Support Resources

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30 Credits
my way

Need Support?
Contact Guidance,
Inclusive Student Services,
your Principal or Vice Principal

OSSLT

SCAN ME

ddsb.ca/en/programs-and-learning/30-credits-my-way

DDSB
Ignite Learning

The graphic features a stylized road with a blue and red background. A graduation cap is positioned over the number '30'. A QR code is highlighted with a yellow border and a white arrow pointing to it from the text 'SCAN ME'. Various road signs are scattered throughout, including a pedestrian crossing sign, a yield sign, a 'Need Support?' sign, and a 'Yield' sign. The text 'OSSLT' is written vertically on a red and white striped banner.



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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS



- 1** 30 credits in total
- 2** 40 hours of Community Involvement
- 3** Completion of the Literacy Requirement
- 4** Earn at least 2 Online Learning Credits

Current GRADES 10 - 12 REQUIREMENTS

- 18 Compulsory Credits
- 12 Electives

Current GRADE 9 REQUIREMENTS

- 17 Compulsory Credits
- 13 Electives



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Current Grade 10 - 12 GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 4 credits in English (1 credit per grade)
- 3 credits in Math (Gr 9, 10 and 11)
- 2 credits in Science
- 1 credit in Canadian History (Gr 10)
- 1 credit in Canadian Geography (Gr 9)
- 1 credit in the Arts
- 1 credit in Health and Physical Education
- 1 credit in French as a Second Language
- 0.5 credit in Career Studies
- 0.5 credit in Civics and Citizenship

GROUP 1 - English or French or Language or Social Sciences and Humanities or Canadian and World Studies or Co-op

GROUP 2 - Physical and Health Education or Arts or Business Studies or Co-op

GROUP 3 - Science (Grade 11 or 12) or Technological Education or Computer Science or Co-op



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Current Grade 9s GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

FOR GRADE 9s

- 4 credits in English (1 credit per grade)
- 3 credits in Math (Gr 9, 10 and 1 in Gr 11 or 12)
- 2 credits in Science
- 1 credit in Technological (Gr 9 or 10)
- 1 credit in Canadian History (Gr 10)
- 1 credit in Canadian Geography (Gr 9)
- 1 credit in the Arts
- 1 credit in Health and Physical Education
- 1 credit in French as a Second Language
- 0.5 credit in Career Studies
- 0.5 credit in Civics and Citizenship
- 1 additional credit from a STEM Related Course

Business studies

Computer Studies

Cooperative education

Mathematics

Science

Technological



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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Ontario Literacy Requirement

- Test first attempted in grade 10
- May be reattempted in grade 11
- May complete a course in grade 11 or 12

Online Learning Requirement

- 2 Courses Required
- Must be Asynchronous
- Student may opt out by completing the opt out form

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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Community Involvement

- 40 hours REQUIRED
- Be completed outside scheduled class time
- Not be a part of a credit course
- Be unpaid
- Start July 1 after grade 8
- Be complete by the end of grade 12
 - Recommend 10 hours per year
 - Ideally finished by end of grade 10

 **DDSB**
Ignite Learning

Community Involvement Activities

Student's Name:				Date of Birth (YY/MM/DD):		
School:				Principal:		
*Activity Description	**Pre-Approved Signature	Organization/Location	Telephone #	***Supervisor's Name & Signature	Date Completed	# of Hours

These activities must be completed outside regular instructional class time. Students may begin to earn hours the summer before they enter Grade 9.
*The placement must not replace someone who would normally be paid to do this type of work.
**Activities not identified on the School Board's list of Approved Activities must obtain approval from the Principal or designate before starting the activity.
***A supervisor cannot be a parent or a member of the immediate family such as grandparents, aunts or uncles.

Total Hours

Form available in
guidance or online



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TAKING CREDITS OUTSIDE THE DDSB

- INFORM GUIDANCE IF YOU ARE TAKING A COURSE OUTSIDE THE DDSB
- ONLY COURSES TAKEN AT MAXWELL DAY SCHOOL ARE AUTOMATICALLY ADDED TO YOUR APPLICATION
- A HARD COPY OF THE REPORT CARD MUST BE SENT DIRECTLY FROM THE SCHOOL TO MHSS

(report cards sent from students or parents are not acceptable)



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COURSE SELECTION

February 11 – 10AM

February 27 – 4pm

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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

30 TOTAL CREDITS

GRADE 9

- English
- Math
- Science
- Geography
- French
- 3 Electives

GRADE 10

- English
- Math
- Science
- History
- Careers/Civics
- 3 Electives

GRADE 11

- English
- Math
- 6 Electives

GRADE 12

- English
- 7 Electives



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EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING OPTIONS

- Dual Credit
- Co-op paid or unpaid
- Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program (OYAP)
- Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program Level 1
- Recognition of Experiential Learning Credit
- Science Centre School
- SHSM
- Focused Apprenticeship Skills Training

Do you have questions?

Contact your Guidance teacher,
Inclusive Student Services,
your Principal or Vice Principal

O'Neill Performing Arts
Academy for Student
Athletic Development



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30 Credits
my way

EXPRESS LANE

Night School
dce.ca



PLAR
Prior Learning Assessment
and Recognition

Durham
Continuing
Education
dce.ca

8 CREDITS

French Immersion

16 CREDITS



EXPRESS LANE

Summer School
dce.ca

START
Grade 9

You are in the driver's seat!

IPP **INDIVIDUAL
PATHWAY PLAN**
myBlueprint
myblueprint.ca/ddsb

**40 COMMUNITY
INVOLVEMENT** Hours

Student Success

Supervised Alternative Learning
Modified Schedule (SAL)
Flexible Timetable Options
Durham Alternative
Secondary School (DASS)

Have you heard of the **Regional
Centres for Success?**

24 CREDITS

30 CREDITS

Work
Apprenticeship
College
University
Community Living

OSSD *Ontario Secondary
School Diploma*

- 30 credits in total
- 40 hours of Community Involvement
- Completion of the Literacy Requirement
- Earn at least 2 Online Learning Credits

COA *Certificate of
Accomplishment*

- Non-credit courses
- Does not require 40 hours of Community Involvement or OSSLT

OSSC *Ontario Secondary
School Certificate*

- Minimum of 14 Credits
- Does not require 40 hours of Community Involvement or OSSLT



EXTERNAL CREDIT OPTIONS

- exchange programs
- international language credits
- conservatory music credits
- accredited private school credits

BACKWARDS DESIGN

ontariocolleges.ca



ontransfer.ca

Ontario's Transfer & Pathways Guide



**COLLEGE
Trades**



ONTARIO
UNIVERSITIES'
INFO



**Skilled
Trades
Ontario**

ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca



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DIRECT POST SECONDARY REQUIREMENTS

Apprenticeship

OSSD

- Gr 12 English

Additional

- Gr 12 Math
- Chemistry/Physics

College

OSSD

- ENG4C/4U

Other potential requirements

- Prerequisite Courses
 - Math & Science
- Portfolio

University

OSSD

- ENG4U1
- 5 Additional 4U/4M
(A total of 6 4U/4M)

Other potential requirements

- Prerequisite Courses
- Portfolio
- Interviews
- Essays

RESEARCH YOUR OPTIONS...
REQUIREMENTS MAY DIFFER BY INSTITUTION



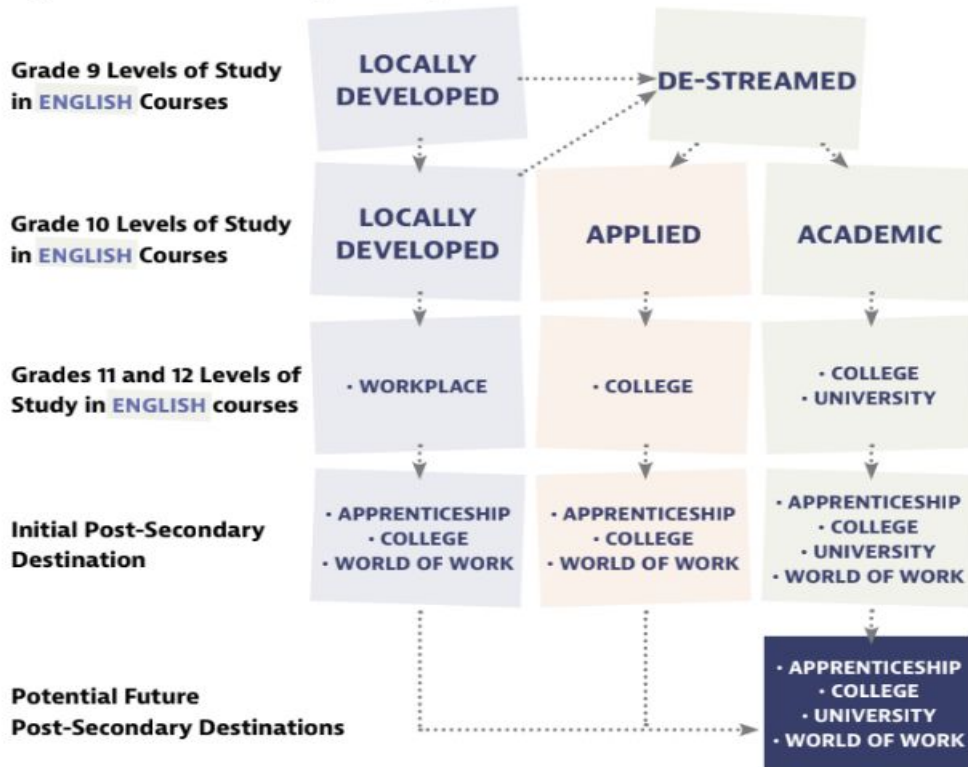
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Pathway Steps for All

Your education is only the beginning of a journey and does not determine your destination. Pathways can change. Focus on the journey.

High School and Beyond: Apprenticeship, College, University and the World of Work *Ask your Grade 8 teacher, Grade 7/8 Student Success Teachers, SERT, or guidance counsellor about potential options.





A credit transfer & program pathway guide for Ontario students.

Find the information & tools you need to transfer courses or find pathways to/from Ontario's public colleges, universities & Indigenous Institutes.



Search for transfer opportunities

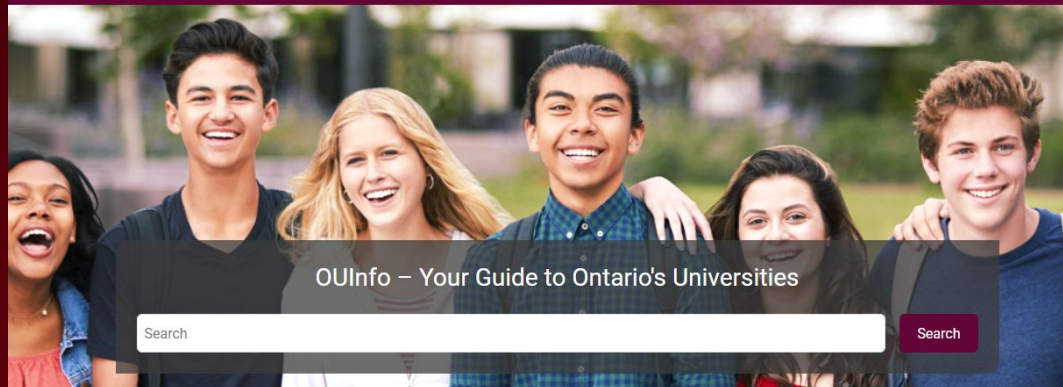
Learn about transfer

School-specific transfer info



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Popular Programs Preq

Engineering

- ENG4U1
- MHF4U1
- MCV4U1
- SPH4U1
- SCH4U1
- Plus any 4U/4M

Health Related

- ENG4U1
- MHF4U1
- MCV4U1
- SBI4U
- SCH4U1
- Plus any 4U/4M

Nursing

- ENG4U1
- 4U Math
- SCH4U1
- SBI4U1
- Plus any 2 4U/4M

Kinesiology

- ENG4U1
- SBI4U1
- 4U Math
- Plus any 3 4U/4M

OSSD

- ENG4U1
- 5 Additional 4U/4M
(A total of 6 4U/4M)

Other potential requirements

- Prerequisite Courses
- Portfolio
- Interviews
- Essays

Check each university as requirements vary school to school for each program



SCHOLARSHIPS

FREE MONEY FOR WHO YOU ARE AND WHAT YOU HAVE DONE IN HIGH SCHOOL



Seeking Scholarships

StudentAwards

yconic.



ScholarTree

The Scholarship

NOVEMBER 2023



Report

for Ontario high school students

SCHOLARSHIPS**CANADA**.com

Criteria (Set by who gives the \$)

- Marks
- Community Involvement hours
- Deadlines begin September of your grade 12 year!



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5 STEPS TO PREP FOR

POST-SECONDARY

Know Yourself

Understand your strengths and needs as a learner.

1

Know What Changes

Know what differences to expect at post-secondary.

2

Know Your Rights

Know your rights, responsibilities, and how to advocate for yourself.

3

Know Your School

Learn about the services and supports offered at the school(s) you want to attend.

4

TRG Next

Complete the 4 free online modules of TRG Next to learn about what to expect at post-secondary and practice the skills for success.

5

TAKEME TO
TRG NEXT



www.transitionresourceguide.ca



GET READY FOR POST-SECONDARY

GOING TO POST-SECONDARY? WHAT TO KNOW BEFORE YOU GO:



YOUR NEEDS

Understand what your strengths and needs are as a learner, and how that will impact you at post-secondary.



THE CHANGES

Change can be exciting and scary! Know what differences to expect at post-secondary school.



YOUR RIGHTS

Know your rights, responsibilities, and how to advocate for yourself as a post-secondary student.



YOUR SCHOOL

Learn about the services and supports offered at the colleges/universities you are interested in.

TRG NEXT

TRG next is a series of 4 free online modules, each with a companion workbook and activities to complete to help you feel more prepared to begin post-secondary!

Visit the Transition Resource Guide to access TRG Next and learn more about availability and other resources available at Ontario's publicly funded colleges and universities.



Academics

Learn about academic expectations and how to make the most of your academic journey.



Learning Skills

Learn tips and tricks for note-taking, time management, studying and more!



Campus Life

Discover resources and strategies to support your physical, mental, and social well-being on campus



FOR STUDENTS WITH AN IEP



TIME TO PICK YOUR COURSES



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February 11 – 10AM

February 27 – 4pm



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Before you Begin...more to think about

- DO I HAVE ALL MY COMPULSORY COURSES FROM THE PREVIOUS GRADE?
 - OPTIONS FOR COURSES - SUMMER SCHOOL OR NEXT YEAR?
- NOT ALL COURSES NEED TO BE AT THE SAME LEVEL
- YOU CAN SEQUENCE DIFFERENT STEAMED COURSES
 - SEMESTER 1 COLLEGE/MIXED AND SEMESTER 2 UNIVERSITY
- PREREQUISITES — A COURSE YOU NEED BEFORE TAKING ANOTHER COURSE (MCR3U1 BEFORE MHF4U1)
- FULL DISCLOSURE
 - ALL GRADE 11 AND 12 COURSES ATTEMPTED WILL BE SHOWN ON TRANSCRIPT



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COURSE CODES GRADE 12

Each course has a unique 6 character code

This letter identifies the stream/destination

U = University

M = University/College (Mixed)

C = College

E = Workplace

O = Open

GUD 4C1

Indicates grade level 4 = grade 12

Arts

English

Science

Technology

Business

Information Technology

Physical and Health Ed

Math

Canadian & Word Studies

Humanity & Social Science

N First Nation, Metis and Inuit Studies

French

GRADE 12 PROGRAM

1 Compulsory Subjects
+ 7 Elective Subjects
8 Courses Total



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GRADE 12 COMPULSORY COURSES

Compulsory Credit				
Course	University	College	College Dual Credit	Workplace
English	ENG4U1	ENG4C1	ENG4CD	ENG4E1

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GRADE 12 ELECTIVE COURSES

STUDENTS SELECT

7

COURSES

PLUS 2 ALTERNATES

74 ELECTIVE COURSES in grade 12



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74 Elective Courses in GRADE 12



Elective Courses						
Course Name	Level	Course Code	Course Name	Level	Course Code	
Dramatic Arts	U/C	ADA4M1	Visual History	O	IDC4OL	
Instrumental Music – Band	U/C	AMI4M1	Visual History	U	IDC4UL	
Dance	U/C	ATC4M1	Foundations for College Math	C	MAP4C1	
Dance: Experienced Jazz Performance Practice	U/C	ATP4M1	Calculus and Vectors	U	MCV4U1	
Visual Arts	U/C	AVI4M1	Mathematics of Data Management	U	MDM4U1	
Visual Arts – Visual Design	O	AWD4O1	Mathematics for Everyday Life	W	MEL4E1	
Visual Arts – Painting	U/C	AWN4M1	Advanced Functions	U	MHF4U1	
Financial Accounting Principles	U/C	BAT4M1	Contemporary Indigenous Issues and Perspectives in a Global Context	U/C	NDW4M1	
International Business Fundamentals	U/C	BBB4M1	Personal and Fitness Activities – Male	O	PAF4O3	
Entrepreneurship Studies/Venture	C	BDV4C1	Personal and Fitness Activities – Female	O	PAF4O4	
Business Leadership: Management Fundamentals	U/C	BOH4M1	Yoga - Female	O	PAR4O4	
Information & Communication Tech: MultiMedia Solutions	C	BTX4C1	SHSM – Health and Wellness – Co-ed (Dual Credit)	U/C	PLF4MD	
World Issues: A Geographic Analysis	C	CGW4C1	Healthy Active Living Education - Co-ed	O	PPL4O1	
World Issues: A Geographic Analysis	U	CGW4U1	Introduction to Kinesiology	U	PSK4U1	
World History since 15th Century	C	CHY4C1	Biology	U	SBI4U1	
World History since 15th Century	U	CHY4U1	Chemistry	C	SCH4C1	
Analyzing Current Economic Issues	U	CIA4U1	Chemistry	U	SCH4U1	
Legal Studies	C	CLN4C1	Earth and Space Science	U	SES4U1	
Canadian and International Law	U	CLN4U1	Medical Science	U/C	SNC4M1	
1 Credit Cooperative Education (Co-op)	O	DCO3O8	Physics	C	SPH4C1	
2 Credit Cooperative Education (Co-op)	O	DCO3O9	Physics	U	SPH4U1	
4 Credit Cooperative Education (Co-op)	O	CWE4O9	Construction Engineering Technology	C	TCJ4C1	
The Writer's Craft	C	EWC4C1	Technological Design	U/C	TDJ4M1	
The Writer's Craft	U	EWC4U1	Technological Design: Robotics and Control System Design	U/C	TDR4M1	
Core French	U	FSF4U1	Hospitality and Tourism: Baking	W	TFB4E1	
Advanced Learning Strategies	O	GLE4O1	Hospitality and Tourism	C	TFJ4C1	
Human Development	U/C	HHG4M1	Yearbook	U/C	TGG4M1	
Families in Canada	C	HHS4C1	Communications Technology	U/C	TGJ4M1	
Families in Canada	U	HHS4U1	TV, Video and Movie	U/C	TGV4M1	
Personal Life Management	O	HIP4O1	Transportation Technology	C	TTJ4C1	
Working with School-Aged Children	C	HPD4C1	Custom Woodworking	W	TWJ4E1	
Challenge and Change in Society	U	HSB4U1	Hairstyling and Aesthetics	W	TXJ4E1	
Computer Programming	C	ICS4C1	Semester 1 Study Hall	-	STUDY1	
Computer Science	U	ICS4U1	Semester 2 Study Hall	-	STUDY2	
Black Studies	O	IDC4O1	Returning for Semester 1 – Study Hall for Semester 2	-	STUDY3	
Black Studies – Interdisciplinary Studies	U	IDC4U1	DDSB eLearning Course	-	ELERN1	



For a full list of courses and course descriptions:
<https://app.myblueprint.ca/public/courses/ddsb/maxwellheights>





COURSE CODES GRADE 11

Each course has a unique 6 character code

This letter identifies the stream/destination

U = University

M = University/College (Mixed)

C = College

E = Workplace

O = Open

GUD 3C1

Indicates grade level 3 = grade 11

Arts

English

Science

Technology

Business

Information Technology

Physical and Health Ed

Math

Canadian & Word Studies

Humanity & Social Science

N First Nation, Metis and Inuit Studies

French

GRADE 11 PROGRAM

2 Compulsory Subjects
+ 6 Elective Subjects
8 Courses Total



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GRADE 11 COMPULSORY COURSES

Compulsory Courses				
Course	University	University/College	College	Workplace
English - Understanding Contemporary First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Voices	NBE3U1		NBE3C1	NBE3E1
Mathematics	MCR3U1	MCF3M1	MBF3C1	MEL3E1

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GRADE 11 ELECTIVE COURSES

STUDENTS SELECT

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COURSES

PLUS 2 ALTERNATES

58 ELECTIVE COURSES in grade 11



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58 Elective Courses in GRADE 11



Elective Courses					
Course Name	Level	Course Code	Course Name	Level	Course Code
Dramatic Arts	U/C	ADA3M1	Learning to Lead	O	IDC3O1
Dramatic Arts – Acting/Improv	O	ADG3O1	Spanish	U	LWSCU1
Instrumental Music - Band	U/C	AMI3M1	World Views and Aspirations of First Nations, Metis, and Inuit Communities in Canada	C	NBV3C1
Dance	U/C	ATC3M1	Personal and Fitness Activities – Male	O	PAF3O3
Dance: Experienced Jazz Performance Practice	U/C	ATP3M1	Personal and Fitness Activities – Female	O	PAF3O4
Visual Arts	U/C	AVI3M1	SHSM – Health and Wellness - Co-ed	O	PAI3O1
Visual Arts – Drawing	U/C	AWL3M1	Yoga - Female	O	PAR3O4
Visual Arts - Non-Traditional	O	AWT3O1	Healthy Active Living Education – Male	O	PPL3O3
Introduction to Financial Accounting	U/C	BAF3M1	Healthy Active Living Education – Female	O	PPL3O4
Entrepreneurship: The Venture	C	BDI3C1	Biology	C	SBi3C1
Introduction to Marketing	C	BMI3C1	Biology	U	SBi3U1
Info and Comm Tech: Digital Environment	O	BTA3O1	Chemistry	U	SCH3U1
Forces of Nature: Physical Process	U/C	CGF3M1	Physics	U	SPH3U1
Travel and Tourism	O	CGG3O1	Environmental Science	U/C	SVN3M1
American History	U	CHA3U1	Construction Engineering Technology	C	TCJ3C1
World History Since 1900: Global	O	CHT3O1	Technological Design	U/C	TDJ3M1
World History to 15 th Century	U/C	CHW3M1	Technological Design: Robotics & Control Systems	U/C	TDR3M1
Understanding Canadian Law	U/C	CLU3M1	Hospitality and Tourism: Baking	W	TFB3E1
1 Credit Co-op Education	O	DCO3O8	Hospitality and Tourism	C	TFJ3C1
2 Credit Co-op Education	O	DCO3O9	Yearbook	U/C	TGG3M1
Core French	U	FSF3U1	Communication Technology	U/C	TGJ3M1
Advanced Learning Strategies	O	GLE3O1	Photography	U/C	TGP3M1
Understanding Fashion	C	HNC3C1	TV, Video and Movie	U/C	TGV3M1
Raising Healthy Children	O	HPC3O1	Transportation Technology	C	TTJ3C1
Queer Studies	W	HSE3E1	Custom Woodworking	W	TWJ3E1
Intro. to Anthropology, Psychology and Sociology	U	HSP3U1	Hairstyling and Aesthetics	W	TXJ3E1
Intro. to Anthropology, Psychology and Sociology	C	HSP3C1	DDSB eLearning Course	-	ELERN1
Working with Infants and Children	C	HPW3C1			
Introduction to Computer Programming	C	ICS3C1			
Introduction to Computer Science	U	ICS3U1			

For a full list of courses and course descriptions:

<https://app.myblueprint.ca/public/courses/ddsb/maxwellheights>





COURSE CODES GRADE 10

Each course has a unique 6 character code

This letter identifies the stream/destination

D = Academic

P = Applied

L = Locally Developed

O = Open

GUD 2P1

Indicates grade level 2 = grade 10

Arts

English

Science

Technology

Business

Information Technology

Physical and Health Ed

Math

Canadian & World Studies

Humanity & Social Science

N First Nation, Metis and Inuit Studies

French

GRADE 10 PROGRAM

5 Compulsory Subjects

+ 3 Elective Subjects

8 Courses Total



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GRADE 10 COMPULSORY COURSES

Compulsory Courses					
Course	Enriched	Academic	Applied	Locally Developed	Open
English		ENG2D1	ENG2P1	ENG2L1	
Mathematics	MPM2D7	MPM2D1	MFM2P1	MAT2L1	
Science		SNC2D1	SNC2P1	SNC2L1	
History		CHC2D1	CHC2P1	CHC2L1	
Careers and Civics					CIVCAR (GLC201/CHV201)

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Things to know about the different Streams

ACADEMIC

- ACADEMIC COURSES DEVELOP STUDENTS' KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS BY EMPHASIZING THEORETICAL, ABSTRACT APPLICATIONS OF THE ESSENTIAL CONCEPTS WHILE INCORPORATING PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS, AS APPROPRIATE
- BEGINNING TO PREPARE STUDENTS FOR UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE OR APPRENTICESHIP

APPLIED

- DEVELOP STUDENTS' KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS BY EMPHASIZING PRACTICAL, CONCRETE APPLICATIONS OF THE ESSENTIAL CONCEPTS WHILE INCORPORATED THEORETICAL ELEMENTS AS APPROPRIATE
- BEGINNING TO PREPARE STUDENTS FOR COLLEGE OR APPRENTICESHIP

OPEN

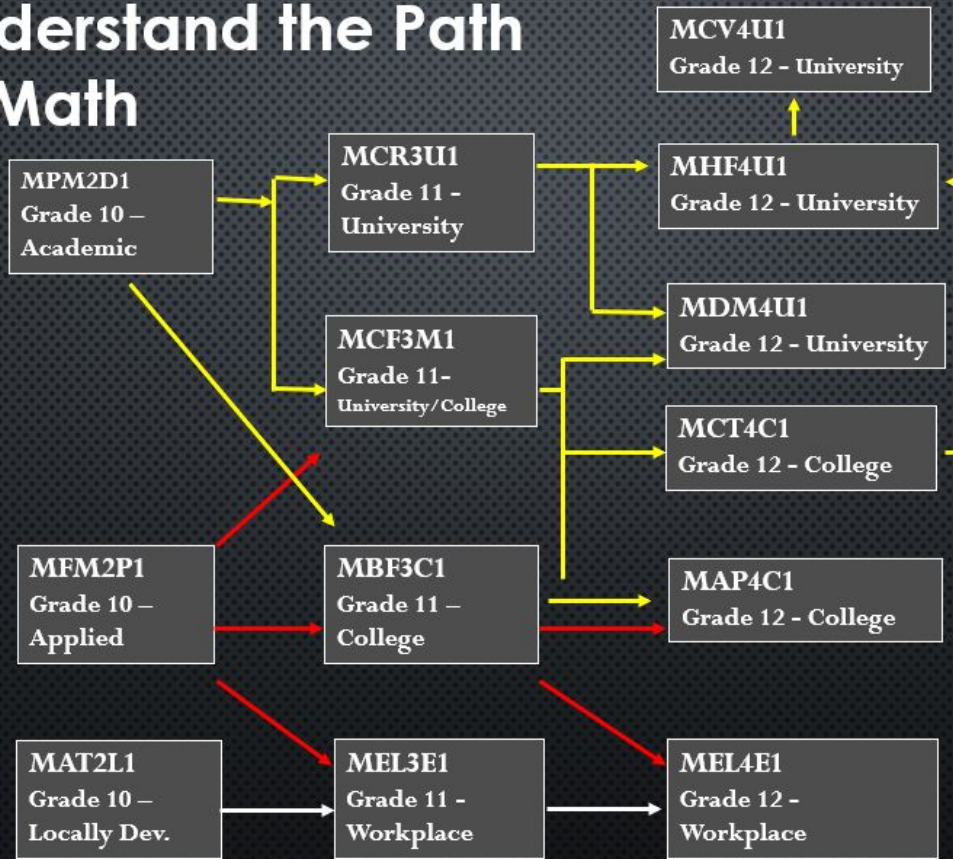
- AVAILABLE FOR ALL STUDENTS WITH ALL INTERESTS, ABILITY AND EXPERIENCE



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Understand the Path in Math



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GRADE 10 ELECTIVE COURSES

STUDENTS SELECT

3

COURSES

PLUS 2 ALTERNATES

25 ELECTIVE COURSES in grade 10



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25 Elective Courses in GRADE 10

Elective Courses		
Course Name	Course Level	Course Code
Dramatic Arts	Open	ADA2O1
Instrumental Music - Band	Open	AMI2O1
Vocal Music	Open	AMV2O1
Dance	Open	ATC2O1
Dance: Experienced Jazz Performance Practice	Open	ATP2O1
Visual Arts	Open	AVI2O1
Launching and Leading a Business	Open	BEP2O1
Academic Core French	Academic	FSF2D1
Applied Core French	Applied	FSF2P1
Learning Strategies	Open	GLE2O1
Exploring Family Studies	Open	HIF2O1
Clothing	Open	HNL2O1
Digital Technology and Innovations	Open	ICD2O1
Spanish	Academic	LWSBD1
Personal and Fitness Activities – Male	Open	PAF2O3
Personal and Fitness Activities – Female	Open	PAF2O4
Sport Focused Training in Basketball, Volleyball, and soccer – co-ed	Open	PAL2O1
Healthy Active Living Education - Male	Open	PPL2O3
Healthy Active Living Education - Female	Open	PPL2O4
Construction Technology	Open	TCJ2O1
Technological Design	Open	TDJ2O1
Hospitality and Tourism	Open	TFJ2O1
Communications Technology	Open	TGJ2O1
Transportation Technology	Open	TTJ2O1
Hairstyling and Aesthetics	Open	TXJ2O1



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Search School Courses...

Filters All Grades All Disciplines

Displaying 204 Courses



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ENGLISH LANGUAGE PATHWAY

- Program available for Multilingual Language Learners
- The ESL and ELD curriculum expectations provide opportunities to develop language skills in both daily and academic English
- Goal is successful integration in mainstream school programs
- Students will take courses based on language level

ESLAO1 / ESLBO1 / ESLCO1 / ESLDO1

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Will progress to a ENG/NBE course



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STUDY Period (SPARES)

STUDY1 - For Students with 24 credits at end of Aug 2025

STUDY2 - For Students with 27 credits at end of Jan 2026

STUDY3 - For Students that have met graduation requirements at the end of January 2026



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eLearning - ELERN1

Meets requirements for the 2 online learning credits

To add an eLearning course, students need select the course in their Blueprint High School Planner

- Select the Asynchronous List of courses
- Select ELERN1
- Select the specific course from the drop-down menu (ie. BAF3ME)

AMS20	EMS30	HSE3EJ (Queer Studies)	OLC40
AMS30	EMS3OF	HSE4MJ (Queer Studies)	PP23C
AVI3M	ENG3C	HSP3U	PSK4U
BAF3M	ENG3U	HSP3C	SBI3C
BAT4M	ENG4C	HZT4U	SBI3U
BBB4M	ENG4U	ICS3U	SBI4U
BDI3C	ETS4U	IDC4O Black Studies	SCH3U
BDP3O	EWC4C	IDC4U Black Studies	SCH4C
BMI3C	EWC4U	MAP4C	SCH4U
BOG4E	FSF3U	MBF3C	SES4U
BOH4M	FSF4U	MCF3M	SNC4E
CGF3M	GLW3O	MCR3U	SNC4M
CGG3O	HFA4U	MCT4C	SPH3U
CGR4M	HHS4C	MCV4U	SPH4C1
CHI4U	HHS4U	MDM4U	SPH4U
CHW3M	HIP4O1	MEL3E	SVN3E
CHY4U	HLS3O	MHF4U	SVN3M
CIA4U	HSB4U1	NBE3C	TGJ3M1
CLN4C	HSE4M	NBE3U	TDJ4M
CLN4U	HSE4MF (French Immersion)	NDA3M	TGJ4M
CLU3E		NDW4M	

Students are given a Study period to complete the course during the school day.



SPECIAL PROGRAMS



Students must be willing to complete:

1. Course Requirements
2. Certifications
3. Coop placements

SHSM
(SPECIALIST HIGH SKILLS MAJOR)

3 PROGRAMS CURRENTLY OFFERED AT MAXWELL

- INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

MS. STEPANEK OR MR CHAKTSIRIS

- HEALTH & WELLNESS

MRS. BROMFIELD OR MS. BROWN

- CONSTRUCTION TECHNOLOGY

MR. DIMOGLU OR MR. GORDON

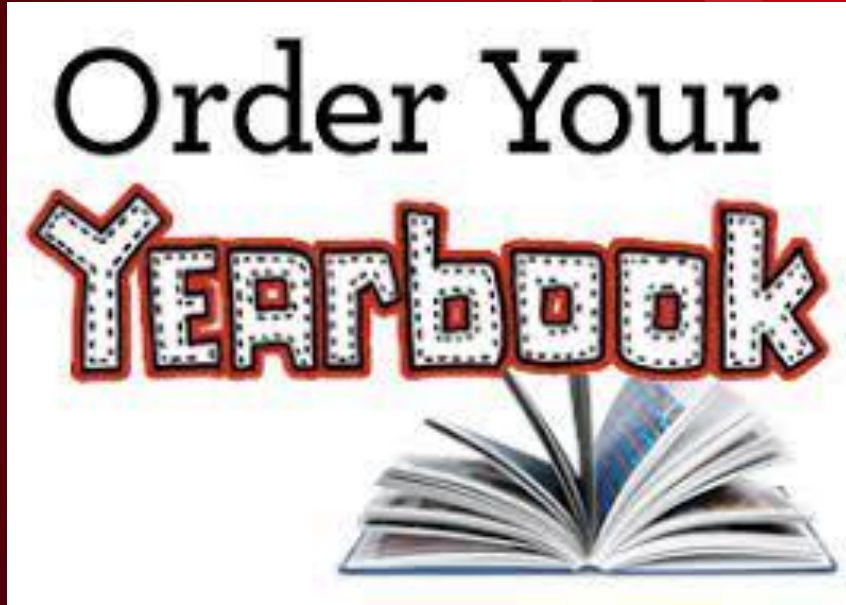


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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

YEARBOOK



- SELECT TGG3M1 OR TGG4M1
- SEMESTER 1 COURSE ONLY
- TGG3M1 HAS NO PREREQUISITE
- TGG4M1 HAS A PREREQUISITE



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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

COOP
(Cooperative Education)

1 CREDIT Co-OP – DCO308

2 CREDIT CO-OP – DCO309

4 CREDIT CO-OP – CWE409

- STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A COOPERATIVE EDUCATION APPLICATION.
- A MEETING WITH A COOPERATIVE EDUCATION TEACHER WILL FOLLOW.
- PLEASE JOIN THE CO-OP GOOGLE CLASSROOM TO HELP WITH YOUR APPLICATION AND COMMUNICATION WITH THE CO-OP TEAM: [6kuz7xd](#)



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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Accelerated OYAP COOP
(Ontario Youth Apprenticeship)

4 CREDIT CO-OP – CWE409

1. SELECT 4 CREDIT CO-OP (CWE409)
2. SEE A COOP TEACHER ASAP

Ms. WOODWARD, Ms. RIDDELL, Ms. PROHASKA OR Ms KOTES



- AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE TECHNICIAN
- COOK/CHEF
- EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATOR
- ELECTRICIAN
- GENERAL CARPENTRY
- HAIRSTYLIST
- PLUMBER
- PRECISION METAL TRADES
- WELDING



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February 27 @ 4pm

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GET IT DONE EARLY

ELECTIVE CLASSES MAY HAVE LIMITED SEATS

SUBMIT YOUR COURSES EARLY EVEN IF YOU HAVE A GUIDANCE APPOINTMENT LATER

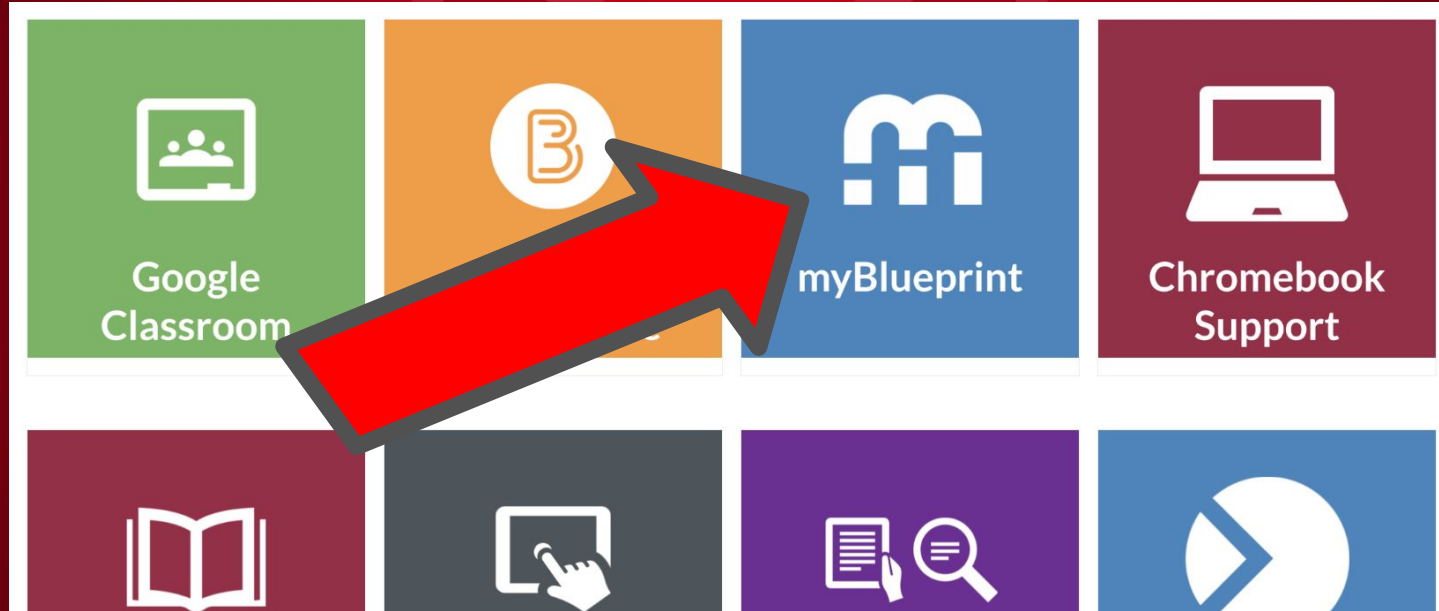
NOTE: IF A DESIRED COURSE IS FULL SELECT AS AN ALTERNATE AND COMPLETE THE GOOGLE FORM IN THE COURSE GUIDANCE NOTE



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CURRENT DDSB STUDENTS: STUDENT MOBILE CAMPUS



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DASHBOARD - Complete your IPP

Home

[Dashboard](#) [Tasks](#) [Class Activities](#) [Goals](#) [Portfolios](#)

Complete your IPP Tasks

Individual Pathways Plan (IPP) Tasks help you plan your education and career while earning points for prize draws.

[View All Tasks](#) [Show Prizes](#) • [View Scholarships](#)

High School • Plan

Plan Courses to Graduation

100 points

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IPP TASKS

COMPLETE GRADE
SPECIFIC TASKS TO
EARN GIFT CARDS OR
GRANT...

True Story a MHSS
student won a \$25
GAP Gift card last
week

The screenshot displays the 'IPP Tasks' interface. At the top, there is a header with a person icon, the text 'IPP Tasks', and two tabs: 'Active' and 'Completed'. Below the header, there are seven task cards arranged in a grid. Each card has a category header, a task title, a description area, and a point value at the bottom.

Category	Task Title	Points
High School • Plan	Plan Courses to Graduation	100 points
Home • Goals	Add 2 Goals	100 points
Home • Portfolios	Add 1 Box and Write a Reflection	100 points
Post-Secondary	Favourite 1 Opportunity	100 points
Who Am I	Complete Motivations Survey	100 points
Work • Occupations	Favourite 1 Occupation	100 points
Work • Resumes	Add 2 Work or Volunteer Experiences	100 points



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DASHBOARD - Course Selection

The dashboard features a dark blue sidebar on the left with the following menu items: Home, Who Am I, High School, Continuing Ed, Post-Secondary, Work, Money, Guides, and Favourites. The main content area is white and contains a 'Home' header with sub-links for Dashboard, Tasks, Class Activities, Goals, and Portfolios. Below this is a 'Complete your IPP Tasks' section with a description and buttons for 'View All Tasks', 'Show Prizes', and 'View Scholarships'. To the right is a 'Plan Courses to Graduation' card for 'High School • Plan' worth 100 points, with navigation arrows.

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HIGH SCHOOL PLANNER

Click on (+) to select COURSES

High School

[Plan](#) [Courses](#)

Demo High School 2 [View Plans](#)

✖ Your courses are **Not Submitted** [Not returning next year?](#)

1 Step 1 Add Courses **2** Step 2 Review Courses **3** Step 3 Submit Courses [Review Course Selections](#)

Grade 9 Next Year	Grade 10 Plan Ahead	Grade 11 Plan Ahead	Grade 12 Plan Ahead	+
<input type="radio"/> English	<input type="radio"/> English	<input type="radio"/> English	<input type="radio"/> English	
<input type="radio"/> Mathematics	<input type="radio"/> Mathematics	<input type="radio"/> Mathematics	<input type="radio"/> Course	
<input type="radio"/> Science	<input type="radio"/> Science	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	
<input type="radio"/> Geography	<input type="radio"/> History	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	
<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Career Studies/Civics	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	
<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	

Graduation Indicator

0/30

REQUIRED CREDITS

0	0	0
Planned	Earned	Total

[View Progress](#)

Pathway Eligibility

Last Updated
Oct. 22, 2020, 5:29 p.m.

[Refresh Eligibility](#)

Apprenticeship	1
College	0
University	0



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HIGH SCHOOL PLANNER

Adding Courses (you can select different grades or departments)

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Search School Courses...

Filters 10 All Disciplines

Displaying 39 Courses

Course Name	Course Code	Grade	Credits	Discipline
Grade 10 Dramatic Arts	ADA2O1	10	1	Arts
Grade 10 Dramatic Arts - Production	ADD2O1	10	1	Arts
Grade 10 Guitar Music	AMG2O1	10	1	Arts
Grade 10 Instrumental Music - Band	AMI2O1	10	1	Arts

Resources

[MHSS Courses 2022 - 2023](#)

[MHSS Course Calendar](#)



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HIGH SCHOOL PLANNER

Review Course Selections

Official High School Plan

✖ Your courses are **Not Submitted** Not returning next year?

1 Step 1 Add Courses
 2 Step 2 Review Courses
 3 Step 3 Submit Courses
 Review Course Selections

Grade 9 Current Year	Grade 10 Next Year	Grade 11 Plan Ahead	Grade 12 Plan Ahead	+
English ENGAU1 • 1 Credit	<input type="radio"/> English	<input type="radio"/> English	<input type="radio"/> English	
Advanced Functions MHFAU1 • 1 Credit	<input type="radio"/> Mathematics	<input type="radio"/> Mathematics	<input type="radio"/> Course	
Canadian and International L... CLN4U1 • 1 Credit	<input type="radio"/> Science	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	
Personal and Fitness Activiti... PAFAO1 • 1 Credit	<input type="radio"/> History	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	
Nutrition and Health HFA4U1 • 1 Credit	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	
Recreation and Fitness Lead... PLF4M1 • 1 Credit	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	
Communications Technolog... TGP4M1 • 1 Credit	<input type="radio"/> Civics	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	
AV1105 AV1105 • 1 Credit • 55%	<input type="radio"/> Careers	<input type="radio"/> Course	<input type="radio"/> Course	
BTT105 BTT105 • 1 Credit • 65%				
CGC1D5 CGC1D5 • 1 Credit • 56%				
Canadian History Since Worl... CHC2D1 • 1 Credit • 51%				
Civics and Citizenship CHV2O1 • 0.5 Credits • 78%				



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HIGH SCHOOL PLANNER

Submit Course Selections

Review Courses

1 Review your course selections before submitting. Once submitted, you can no longer make changes in myBlueprint.

1 Step 1 Add Courses 2 Step 2 Review Courses 3 Step 3 Submit Courses **Submit Course Selections**

1 Review Course Selections

- ✓ ENG2D1
English
- ✓ MPM2D1
Principles of Mathematics
- ✓ SNC2D1
Science
- ✓ CHC2D1
Canadian History Since World War 1
- ✓ AVI2O1
Visual Arts
- ✓ COP1BS
Coop sem 1 per B single credit
- ✓ CIVCAR
Civics and Careers

2 Add Comments

Add comments you would like to include

Alternates

- ✓ BBI2O1
Introduction to Business
- ✓ FSF2D1
Core French

1 Step 1 Add Courses 2 Step 2 Review Courses 3 Step 3 Submit Courses **Submit Course Selections**



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HIGH SCHOOL PLANNER

Send Approval Email

Submission Details

! Email your parent/guardian so that they may confirm your selections

1 Step 1
Add Courses

2 Step 2
Review Courses

3 Step 3
Submit Courses

Send Approval Email

Success

Your course selections have been submitted to your Counsellor for review. Please print the Sign-Off Sheet and return the signed copy to your school.

Note: Speak to your Counsellor to discuss any changes that you wish to make to your Course Selections

Back to High School



Parent/Guardian Approval

Please add a parent or guardian email below for us to share your course selection.
Your parent/guardian will be asked to approve your course selections.

Parent/Guardian Email

Send Approval Email




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HIGH SCHOOL PLANNER

Parent/Guardian Approval or Rejection

THIS IS AN AUTOMATED MESSAGE. PLEASE DO NOT REPLY!

 myBlueprint

Course Selections approval request

Hi,

First102 Last102 has requested you approve their Course Selections.

To approve these choices, you must review the information below and click 'Approve Course Selections'.

Name: First102 Last102
School: Demo High School 2

Courses Submitted:

- English (ENG4C1)
- Chemistry (SCH4CC)
- Interdisciplinary Studies (IDC4U1)
- Visual Arts (AVI2O1)
- Introduction to Business (BBI2O1)

Alternate Courses Submitted:

- Guitar Music (AMG2O1)

[Approve Course Selections](#)

Don't approve of these Course Selections? **Reject Request**. If you reject this request, please follow up with your school's guidance counsellor about next steps.



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DASHBOARD - Summer School Course Selection

Continuing Education Courses

Continuing Education

Continuing Education (DCE) provides credit programming for students age 4 to adult. Students can earn new credits, upgrade previously taken credits, strengthen language skills or learn a new language. DCE provides various methods of delivery to help students find the program and schedule that works for them. Come Live, Learn and Achieve with Continuing Education.

[Explore Courses](#) [Learn More](#)



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Continuing Education - Summer School (OPTIONAL)

- Full Credit Courses are offered in July and August
 - In-Person @ Sinclair S1: July 2 - 25
 - Elearning Only S1: July 2 - 25 S2: July 29 - Aug 20 FS: July 2 - Aug 20
 - Students can only access course material from within Canada
 - Regular online attendance is required
 - Need to be available for the full month
 - Coop - July 2 to Aug 1 (Must have own placement)



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Continuing Education - Summer School (OPTIONAL)

- Credit Recovery Courses are offered in July
 - In-Person @ Sinclair S1: July 2 - 14 S2: July 15 - July 25
 - Home School In-Person @ MHSS S1: July 2 - 14
 - Students must be available for the full time
 - Regular in person attendance is required
 - Must have been unsuccessful (Failed below 50%) in the exact course



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DASHBOARD - Summer School Course Selection

- > Summer School – eLearning – July 2-25
- > Summer School – eLearning – July 29 - Aug 20
- > Summer School – eLearning Extended – July 2 - Aug 20
- > Summer School – eLearning – Credit Recovery Sem 1 – July 2-14
- > Summer School – eLearning – Credit Recovery Sem 2 – July 15-25
- > Summer School – Full Credit (In Person) – Sinclair – July 2-25
- > Summer School – Home School Credit Recovery (In Person) – Maxwell – July 2-14



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Continuing Education Summer School Add a Comment

Review Courses

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1 Step 1 Add Courses 2 Step 2 Review Courses 3 Step 3 Submit Courses **Submit Course Selections**

1 Review Course Selections 2 Add Comments

ENG2D1
English

MPM2D1
Principles of Mathematics

SNC2D1
Science

CHC2D1
Canadian History Since World War 1

AVI2O1
Visual Arts

COPIB5
Coop sem 1 per B single credit

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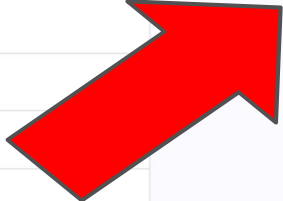
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BBI2O1
Introduction to Business

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Core French

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DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR NEED MORE INFORMATION?



Speak with:

- Guidance
- Teachers
- Special Education Teacher
- Principal or Vice Principal
- MLL Coach
- Talk to Friends and Caring Adults

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