

A large, solid orange silhouette of a longhorn's head and neck, facing forward. The horns are long and curve upwards and outwards. The text "Going to Grade 11" is centered over the silhouette.

Going to Grade 11

Your Guidance Counsellors

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What do you need to graduate from high school?

18 compulsory credits

Students must earn the following compulsory credits to obtain the Ontario Secondary School Diploma:

4	credits in English (1 credit per grade)*
3	credits in mathematics (1 credit in Grade 11 or 12)
2	credits in science
1	credit in Canadian history
1	credit in Canadian geography
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

In addition, students must complete:

✓	12 optional credits†
✓	40 hours of community involvement activities
✓	the provincial literacy requirement

Plus one credit from each of the following groups:

	Group 1:
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">English or French as a second language**a Native languagea classical or international languagesocial sciences and the humanitiesCanadian and world studiesguidance and career educationcooperative education***
	Group 2:
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">health and physical educationthe artsbusiness studiesFrench as a second language**cooperative education***
	Group 3:
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">science (Grade 11 or 12)technological educationFrench as a second language**computer studiescooperative education***

* A maximum of 3 credits in English as a second language (ESL) or English literacy development (ELD) may be counted towards the 4 compulsory credits in English, but the fourth must be a credit earned for a Grade 12 compulsory English course.

** In groups 1, 2 and 3, a maximum of 2 credits in French as a second language can count as compulsory credits, one from group 1 and one from either group 2 or group 3.

*** A maximum of 2 credits in cooperative education can count as compulsory credits.

† The 12 optional credits may include up to 4 credits earned through approved dual credit courses.

Graduation Requirements



Volunteer Hours

By the end of Grade 12 you must have 40 hours of community service.

Check out our website for volunteer opportunities

www.cccss.ca → Students → Community Service

Upload Form to see if community service will be approved

<https://secondary.hcdsb.org/corpuschristi/wp-content/uploads/sites/10/2019/08/Community-Service-Hours-sheet.pdf>

Compulsory Credits
Grade 11

English (ENG 3U, ENG 3C, ENG 3E)

Math

(MCR 3U, MCF 3M, MBF 3C, MEL 3E)

Religion (HRT 3M, HRF 3O)

5 Electives – time to start planning for
post-secondary and prerequisites

Course Levels – grade 11 and 12

O – Open courses are appropriate for all students. These courses allow students to broaden their knowledge and skills in a particular subject that may or may not be directly related to their post-secondary goals, but that reflect their interests.

E - Workplace preparation courses prepare students to move directly into the workplace after high school or to be admitted into select apprenticeship programs or other training programs in the community. Courses focus on employment skills and on practical workplace applications of the subject content.

Course Levels – Grades 11 and 12

C - College preparation courses provide students with the knowledge and skills needed to meet the entrance requirements for most college programs and possible apprenticeships. Courses focus on practical applications and also examine underlying theories.

M - University/College preparation courses are offered to prepare students to meet the entrance requirements of certain university and college programs. They focus on both theory and practical applications.

U - University preparation courses provide students with the knowledge and skills they need to meet university entrance requirements. Courses emphasize theoretical aspects of the subject and also consider related applications.

Important Post-Secondary Information

To apply to university you **must** take ENG 3U and ENG 4U.

Some university programs do not require a grade 12 university level math course.

There are some colleges that have degree programs (same prerequisites as a university).

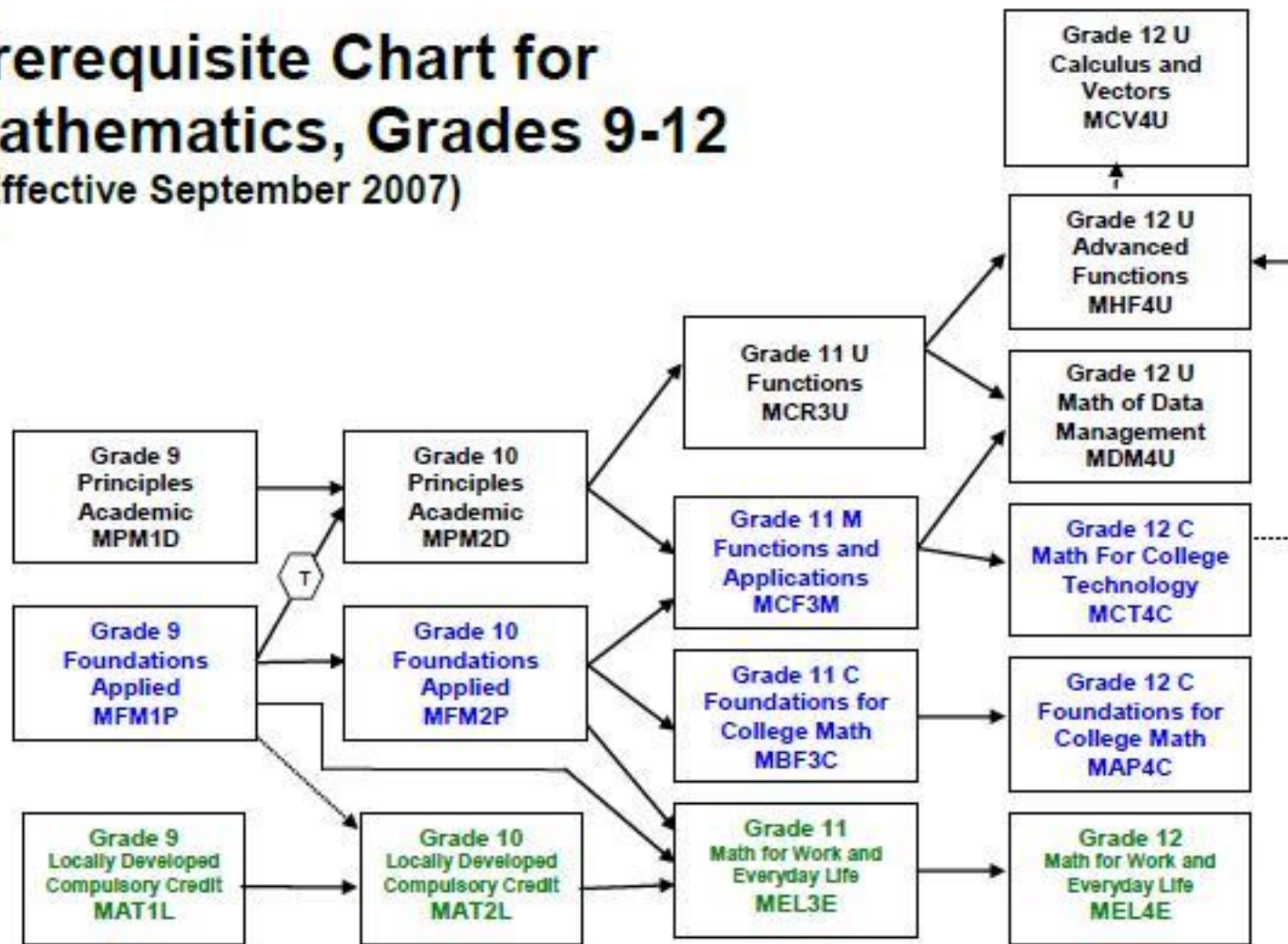
Your top 6 grade 12 U or M level courses are used for admission to university. The prerequisite courses will always be part of the top 6, regardless of mark.

To apply to college you will need either ENG 4C or ENG 4U.

Check prerequisites required to apply to programs that you are interested in.

Prerequisite Chart for Mathematics, Grades 9-12

(Effective September 2007)



Math Pathways

you can take grade 11 mixed math and still take data management in grade 12

SHSM

Specialist High Skills Major

Specialist High Skills Majors let students focus on a career path that matches their skills and interests while meeting the requirements of the Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD). Students receive the SHSM seal on their diploma when they:

- complete a specific bundle of 8-10 courses in the student's selected field
- earn valuable industry certifications including first aid and CPR qualifications
- gain important skills on the job through cooperative education placements.
- more information on school website

SHSM – Fitness and Health Promotion

Students will work alongside educators and community partners to achieve major credits; certifications; experiential learning programs; job shadowing; job twinning; career exploration; and work experience in the field of Fitness and Health Promotion.

The program consists of a total of 9 credits in Grades 11 and 12 which include:

4 Major Courses in Health and Physical Education and/or Biology, 1 English Course, 1 Math Course, 1 Elective Course, 2 Co-op Credits

Some future career areas in Fitness and Health Promotion include:

Medicine, Physiotherapy/Massage Therapy, Personal trainer, Personal support worker, Biomechanics, Nutritionist, Physical Education Teacher, Coaching, Health Promotion, Public Health, Sports Retail

SHSM – Arts and Culture

Students will work alongside educators and community partners to achieve major credits; certifications; experiential learning programs; job shadowing; job twinning; career exploration; and work experience in the field of Fitness and Health Promotion.

The program consists of a total of 8 credits in Grades 11 and 12 which include:

4 Major Courses in Visual arts and Design, 1 English Course, 1 Business/Math/Religion Course, 2 Co-op Credits

Some future career areas in Arts and Design include:

Animation, graphic design, interior design, architect, web design, advertising, photo journalism, software engineer, video game designer, computer systems analyst

Grade 9 Completed	Grade 10 Current Year	Grade 11 Next Year	Grade 12 Plan Ahead
English ENG1D1 • 1 Credit	English ENG2D1 • 1 Credit	+ English	+ English
Principles of Mathematics MPM1D1 • 1 Credit	Principles of Mathematics MPM2D1 • 1 Credit	+ Mathematics	+ Religion
Science SNC1D1 • 1 Credit	Science SNC2D1 • 1 Credit	+ Religion	+ Course
Core French FSF1D1 • 1 Credit	Canadian History CHC2D1 • 1 Credit	+ Course	+ Course
Geography of Canada CGC1D1 • 1 Credit	Career Studies(0.5credit) GLC2O5 • 0.5 Credits	+ Course	+ Course
Religious Education HRE1O1 • 1 Credit	Religious Education HRE2O1 • 1 Credit	+ Course	+ Course
Healthy Active Living Male PPL1OM • 1 Credit	Civics(0.5credit) CHV2O5 • 0.5 Credits	+ Course	+ Course
Visual Arts-Comprehensive AVI1O1 • 1 Credit	Large Group Activities - Fi... PAL2OS • 1 Credit	+ Course	+ Course
	Introduction to Business BBI2O1 • 1 Credit		

Register
Through
myBlueprint

myBlueprint

Make sure that you can login into myBlueprint.

Test your email and password.

<https://app.myblueprint.ca/>

If you can not login, email your guidance counsellor. We can let you know the email you used and reset your password.

Pathways

Think about what you may want to do in the future. Is it University, College, Apprenticeship or workplace and plan accordingly.

You can use these websites to help you.

<https://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/>

<https://www.ontariocolleges.ca/en>

<https://studentsuccess.hcdsb.org/where-do-i-start/ontario-youth-apprenticeship-program-oyap/>

<https://studentsuccess.hcdsb.org/specialty-school-to-career-programs/>

This is the time to start planning and researching universities and colleges. Book virtual tours. Plan which courses are needed in your grade 12 year to get into the programs of your choice. Look at scholarship opportunities now.

[Post Secondary Information](#)

[Scholarship Information](#)

Plan Now