Grade 9 COURSE SELECTION PRESENTATION



Corpus Christi Catholic Secondary School



Your Guidance Counsellors

- Last names
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Education and Career/Life Planning Framework: A Four-Step Inquiry Process



WHAT IS YOUR DESTINATION(S)?

- ✓ Post Secondary Destination?
 - College
 - University
 - Transition Agreements (College to University)
 - Apprenticeship
 - Workplace

Secondary Diploma Requirements

- 30 credits:
 - ► 18 compulsory courses
 - ► 12 elective courses
- 40 hours community involvement
- Successful completion of the Grade 10 Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test

SECONDARY DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

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
- credit in Canadian history
- 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:

- English or French as a second language**
- a Native language
- · First Nations, Metis, and Inuit studies
- a classical or international language
 - social sciences and the humanities
 - Canadian and world studies
 - · guidance and career education
 - cooperative education***

Group 2:

- · health and physical education
- the arts
- business studies
- French as a second language**
- cooperative education***

Group 3:

- · science (Grade 11 or 12)
- technological education
 - French as a second language**
 - computer studies
 - cooperative education***

Community Involvement

- Make sure that your hours are true community service hours.
- Hours must be documented using the form available in Student Services or on-line under Student Services - Forms
- Ideally you should try to complete a minimum of 10 hours per year.

VOLUNTEER HALTON

- http://volunteerhalton.ca
- Download the app
- Visit cccss.ca under Community Services Links

Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT)

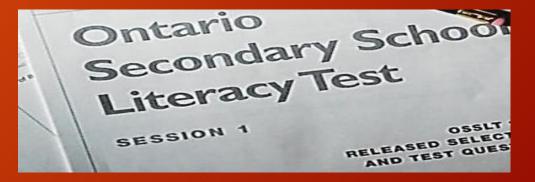
Written in Grade 10

Based on expectations up to and including Grade 9

- If a student is unable to meet standards in first attempt they will:
 - ▶ take the test again in Grade 11, or

may be directed to complete the Ontario Literacy Course in

Grade 12 (OLC4O)



PLAR Prior Learning Assessment Recognition

- Are you in grade 10 12?
- Have you acquired knowledge and skills outside of school that could "challenge" for credit?

You may be eligible to "challenge" a specific course for credit if you can provide enough evidence that you have met the provincial course expectations (equal to 110 hours, and meeting all Overall Expectations of the course)

Check out more info on your school website https://www.hcdsb.org/students/prior-learning-assessment-recognition-plar/ and talk with your Guidance Counsellor about the PLAR process!

Are you ready for Grade 10?

- All grade 10 students should have 8 credits by the end of Grade 9.
- Students who do not meet these requirements should attend Summer School.
- Summer School Offerings come out during April. They take place during the first 4 weeks in July. If you take a course with a different school board you will need to provide us with a report card.
- There may be 2 week upgrade courses during the summer. You must have a minimum of 50% to upgrade your mark.

What level do you choose?

- Locally Developed
- Open
- Applied
- Academic

Making Course Level Choices

- Carefully consider your teacher's recommendations
- Consider your learning skills (initiative, homework completion, problem solving, independent work etc.)
- Carefully consider your interests and possible career goals
- You can choose to take a combination of applied and academic courses. (i.e. academic English, applied math, applied science)

Compulsory Credits Grade 10

English (ENG 2D, ENG 2P, ENG 2L)

Math (MPM 2D, MFM 2P, MAT 2L)

Science (SNC 2D, SNC 2P, SNC 2L)

Religion (HRE 20)

History (CHC 2D, CHC 2P)

Careers/Civics (GLC 205, CHV 205)

2 Electives

Understanding Course Codes

The 4th character of a course code denotes the year in which the course is offered.

The 5th character of the course code denotes the level of the course.

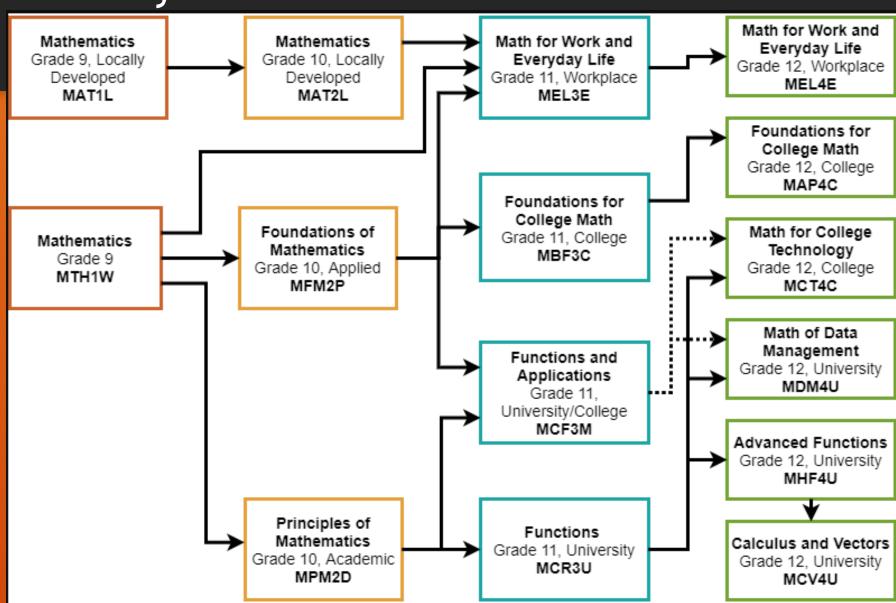
Grade 9 and 10 Levels			Grade 11 and Grade 12 Levels			
Code	Level	Example	Code	Level	Example	
Р	Applied	ENG2P1	С	College	MBF3C1	
D	Academic	ENG2D1	M	College/University	MCF3M1	
L	Locally Developed	ENG2L1	U	University	MCR3U1	
0	Open	HRE2O1	Е	Workplace	MEL3E1	
			0	Open	PPL4OM	

Math Pathways

University	College	Workplace
MPM 2D	MPM 2D	MPM 2D
MFM 2P	MFM 2P	MFM 2P
		MAT 2L

• Students can still go to University if they take APPLIED level math

Math Pathways



Grade 10 Electives

Arts	Business	French/ Languages	Physical Education	Tech./ Computer Studies	Spec. Ed.	E-Learning
ADA2O	BBI2O	FSF2D	PPL2OF	TCJ2O	GLE2O	ASM2OE
AMG2O		FSF2P	PPL2OM	TDJ2O		
AMU2O			PAL2OI	TEJ2O		
AMV2O			PAL2OF	ICS2O		
AVI2O				TTJ2O		
ASM2O				TXJ2O		

^{**}e-Learning must be included in your eight courses - cannot be the ninth course. Students can take one e-Learning course per semester.

Programs to think about for your grade 11 year studentsuccess.hcdsb.org

- OYAP Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program
- SHSM Fitness Promotion, Arts and Design, Business Leadership and Environmental Science apply through myBlueprint in grade 10 year

Each SHSM program offers students a bundle of 8 - 10 credits. These courses are regular Ontario secondary school courses that allow students to work towards their Ontario Secondary School Diploma at the same time as their SHSM requirements. Please check out our school website for more information on the SHSM programs.

- Co-op 2 credit co-op in various community placements (see Ms. Moore or Mr. Spadafora) application required
- Students also participate in special certifications when part of either program.

Important Dates for Course Selection

Date	
Feb.15, 2022	Course Selection Presentations
Feb. 25, 2022	 Course Selection is due Submission is done entirely online 1. Course Selections in myBlueprint (with email verification to parents/guardians) 2. Student Activity Fee: Pay online using cashless (keep a copy of your receipt for your records) Students may not get equal consideration for courses if they are late. Applications to SHSM, coop and sports leadership must be submitted. Forms can be found online and outside student services
April, 2022	COURSE VERIFICATION Students will receive a verification of their course selections in April. At that time students will have the opportunity to verify and modify their course selections.
June 17, 2022	COURSE SELECTION FINALIZED

myBlueprint

Make sure that you can login into myBlueprint.

Test your email and password.

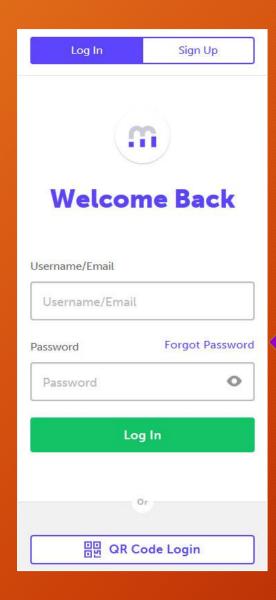
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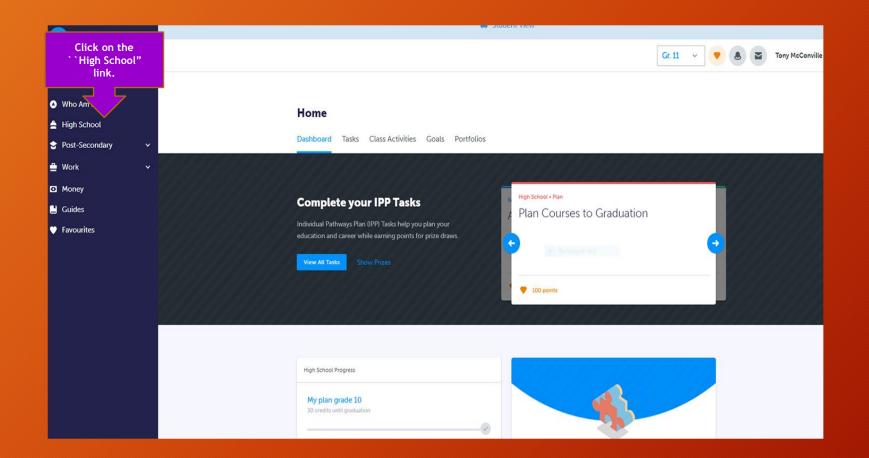
An Overview

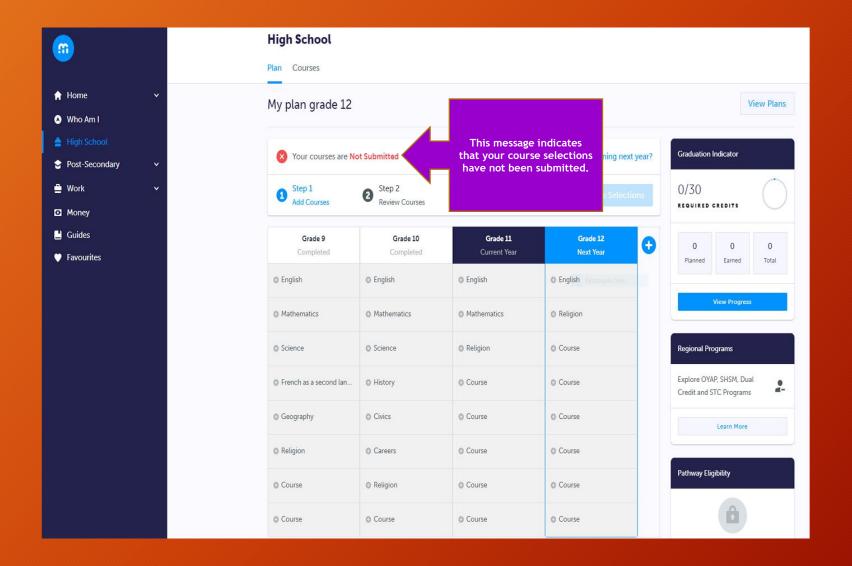
How do I select my courses?

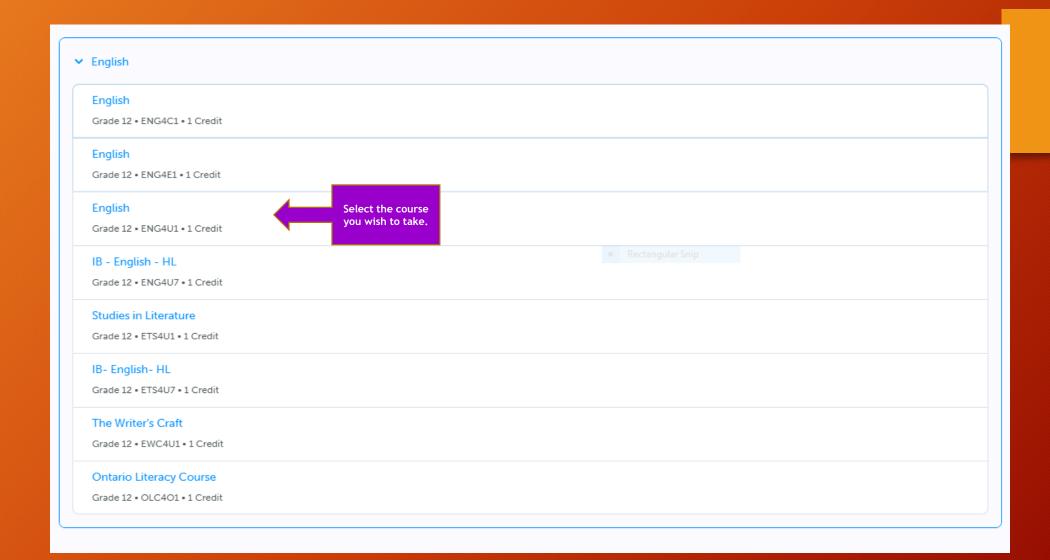


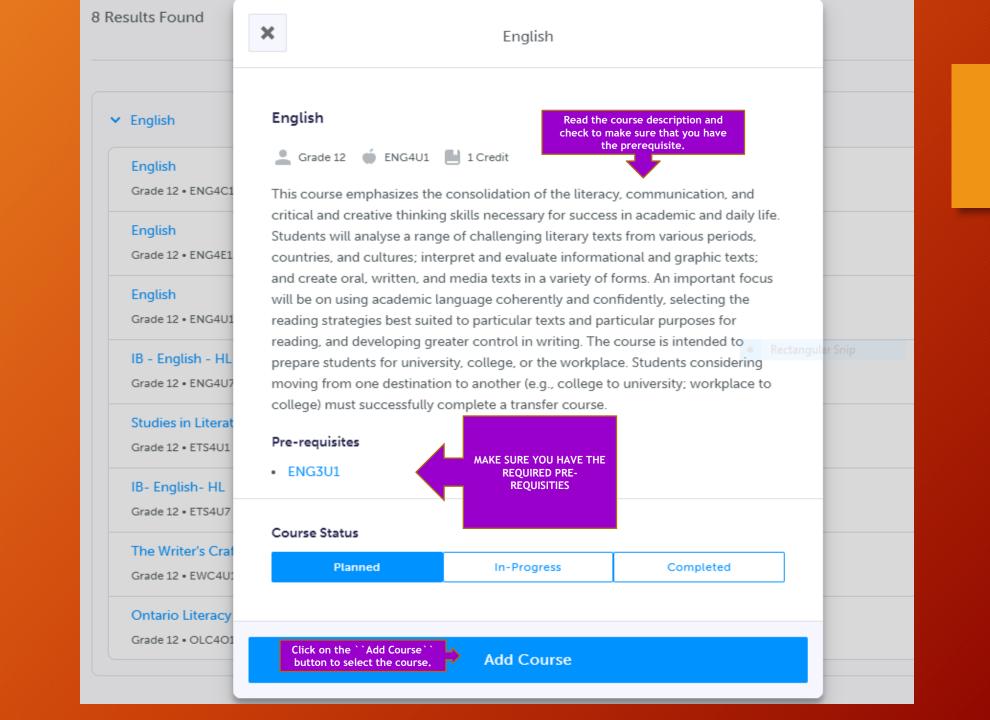
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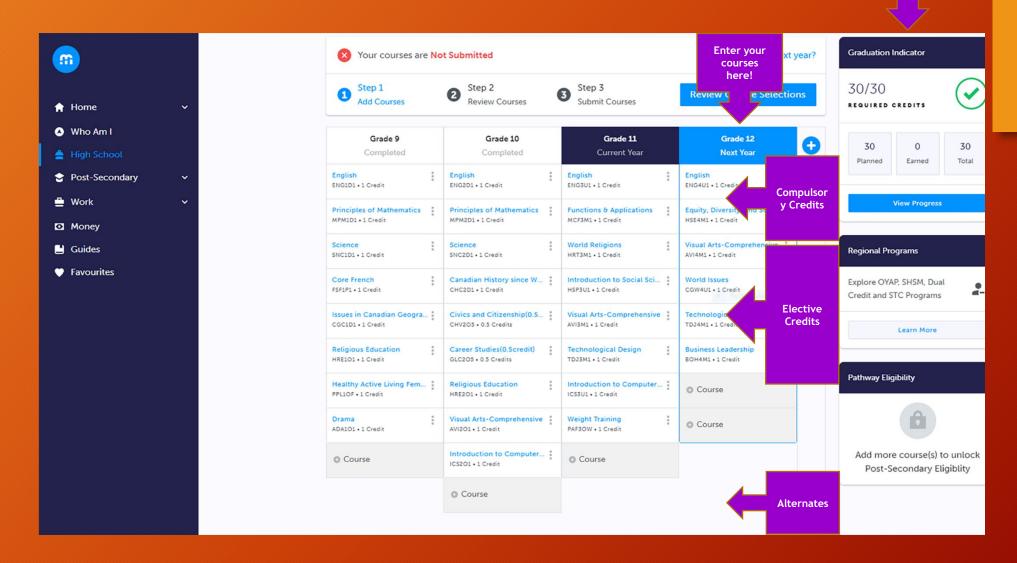
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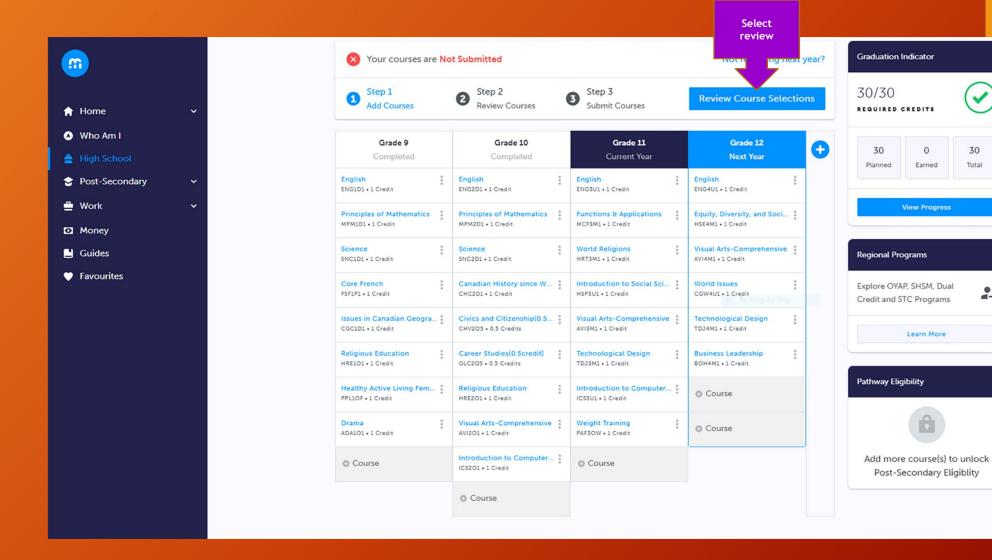


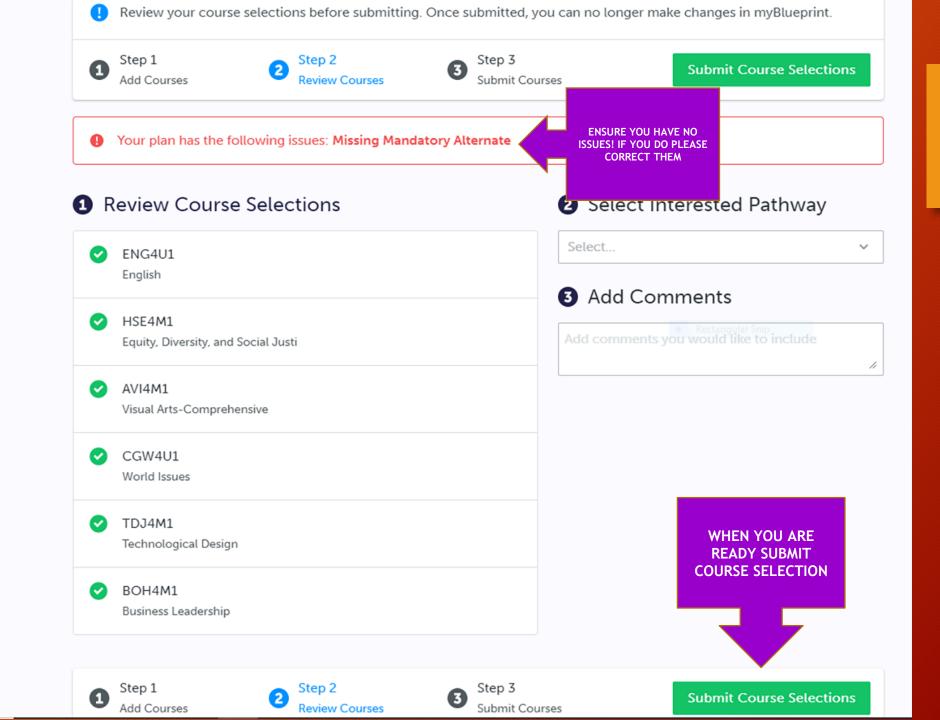




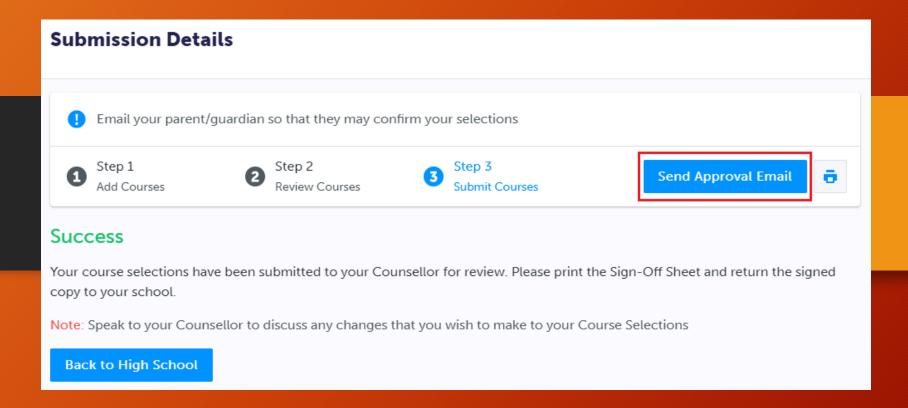




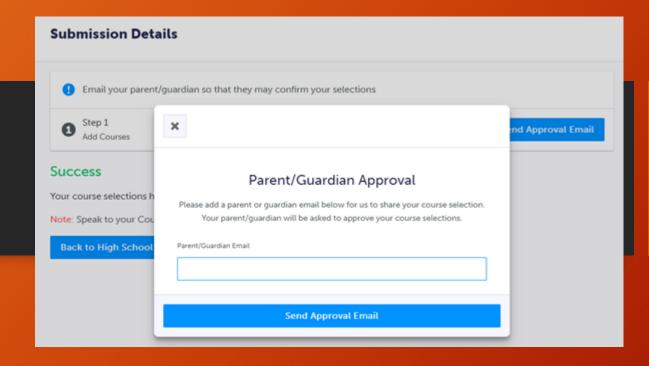




Click Send Approval Email



Enter Parent/Guardian Email



Parent/Guardian can Approve or Reject

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



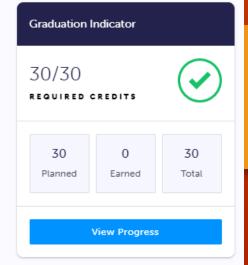
Don't approve of these Course Selections? Reject Request. If you reject this request, please follow up with your school's guidance counsellor about next steps.

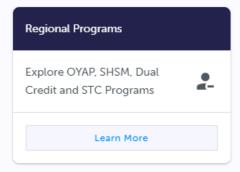


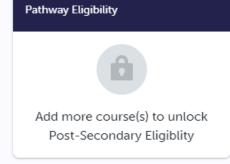
Your courses are **Submitted** Dec. 4, 2020, 11:35 a.m. EST

COURSES HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED

Grade 9 Completed	Grade 10 Completed	Grade 11 Current Year	Grade 12 Next Year
English ENG1D1 • 1 Credit	English BNG2D1 • 1 Credit	English ** ENG3U1 • 1 Credit	English ENG4U1 • 1 Credit
Principles of Mathematics MPM1D1 • 1 Credit	Principles of Mathematics MPM2D1 • 1 Credit	Functions & Applications & MCF3M1 • 1 Credit	Equity, Diversity, and Soci BHSE4M1 • 1 Credit
Science SNC1D1 • 1 Credit	Science 8 SNC2D1 • 1 Credit	World Religions 8 HRT3M1 • 1 Credit	Visual Arts-Comprehensive 8 AVI4M1 • 1 Credit
Core French FSF1P1 • 1 Credit	Canadian History since W BCHC2D1 • 1 Credit	Introduction to Social Sci 8 HSP3U1 • 1 Credit	World Issues CGW4U1 • 1 Credit
Issues in Canadian Geogra CGC1D1 • 1 Credit	Civics and Citizenship(0.5 BCHV2O5 • 0.5 Credits	Visual Arts-Comprehensive 8 AVI3M1 • 1 Credit	Technological Design TDJ4M1 • 1 Credit ctangular Snip
Religious Education HRE101 • 1 Credit	Career Studies(0.5credit) GLC2O5 • 0.5 Credits	Technological Design 8 TDJ3M1 • 1 Credit	Business Leadership BOH4M1 • 1 Credit
Healthy Active Living Fem	Religious Education HRE201 • 1 Credit	Introduction to Computer	Course
Drama ADA101 • 1 Credit	Visual Arts-Comprehensive AVI201 • 1 Credit	Weight Training 8 PAF3OW • 1 Credit	Course
Course	Introduction to Computer	Course	
	Course		







What are you Submitting?

- Nothing that is a hard copy
- Due date February 25, 2022 for equal consideration of courses. If you are late, you may not get all the courses you want.

- 1. Course Selections in myBlueprint (with email verification to parents/guardians)
- 2. Student Activity Fee: Pay online using cashless (keep a copy of your receipt for your records)

Tips for students

- ✓ Develop self knowledge Find out more about your interests, abilities and values.
- ✓ Develop Transferable Skills: volunteer or paid work, school activities, sports, school courses
- ✓ Talk with guidance counsellor, teachers, parents
- ✓ Begin/continue your educational/career research
- www.myBlueprint.ca/hcdsb
- ✓ Attend School to Career Presentations, Post Secondary Presentations.

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-careerprograms/