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GRADE 11 PRESENTATION

POSTSECONDARY RESEARCH

TODAY'S GOAL

To provide resources
for postsecondary planning
related to college and
university.

WHAT IS POSTSECONDARY??



Group Discussion

- Who has begun *thinking* about their post-secondary options?
- Who can say with certainty that they know their path?
- Who has NO IDEA what they might want to do?
- Who has actually begun *research* for post secondary?
 - Tell me some of the things you have done?
 - What has been helpful?
 - Any advice to share with friends?

TRUE OR FALSE??

1. Universities will use grade 11 marks to determine your acceptance into programs?

2. Colleges offer
Bachelor Degree programs
that require 6 grade 12
U/M level courses

3. The cost of a typical year at university, if you choose to live away from home, is approx. \$10,000.

4. You can receive a Titan Award from HT as early as grade 11.

It is important to do your research so that you can make wise course selections when we do online registration in February.

TIMELINE

- **Now** – Start considering post secondary pathways (don't know do some interest surveys, talk to people about their jobs, etc.)
- **February** – course registration
- **March** – VISIT open houses/campus tours
- **April** – Titan Award application due
- **September** – sign up in guidance for liaison visits; UIP; CIP; GO GLOBAL; Study/go abroad
- **October** – Financing your education/grade 12 parent night
- **October** – Workshops on applying to College/University;
- **December** – Apply before Christmas holidays

REALITY

If the Reality is that you may be applying for post-Secondary a year from today ... what are some things you think you should (or would want) to know, or start learning about NOW?



College

Why COLLEGE??

- ▶ Hands on, skill based, practical training
- ▶ Faculty with current industry experience
- ▶ Smaller class sizes
- ▶ Grads employable - 85% in 6 months (www.collegesontario.org)

Why COLLEGE??

- ▶ Programs are designed to respond to the needs of the labour market and employers
- ▶ Can have a local "flavour"
- ▶ Quick to innovate and pivot with industry (200 new programs each year)
- ▶ Faculty with Industry Experience

Why COLLEGE??

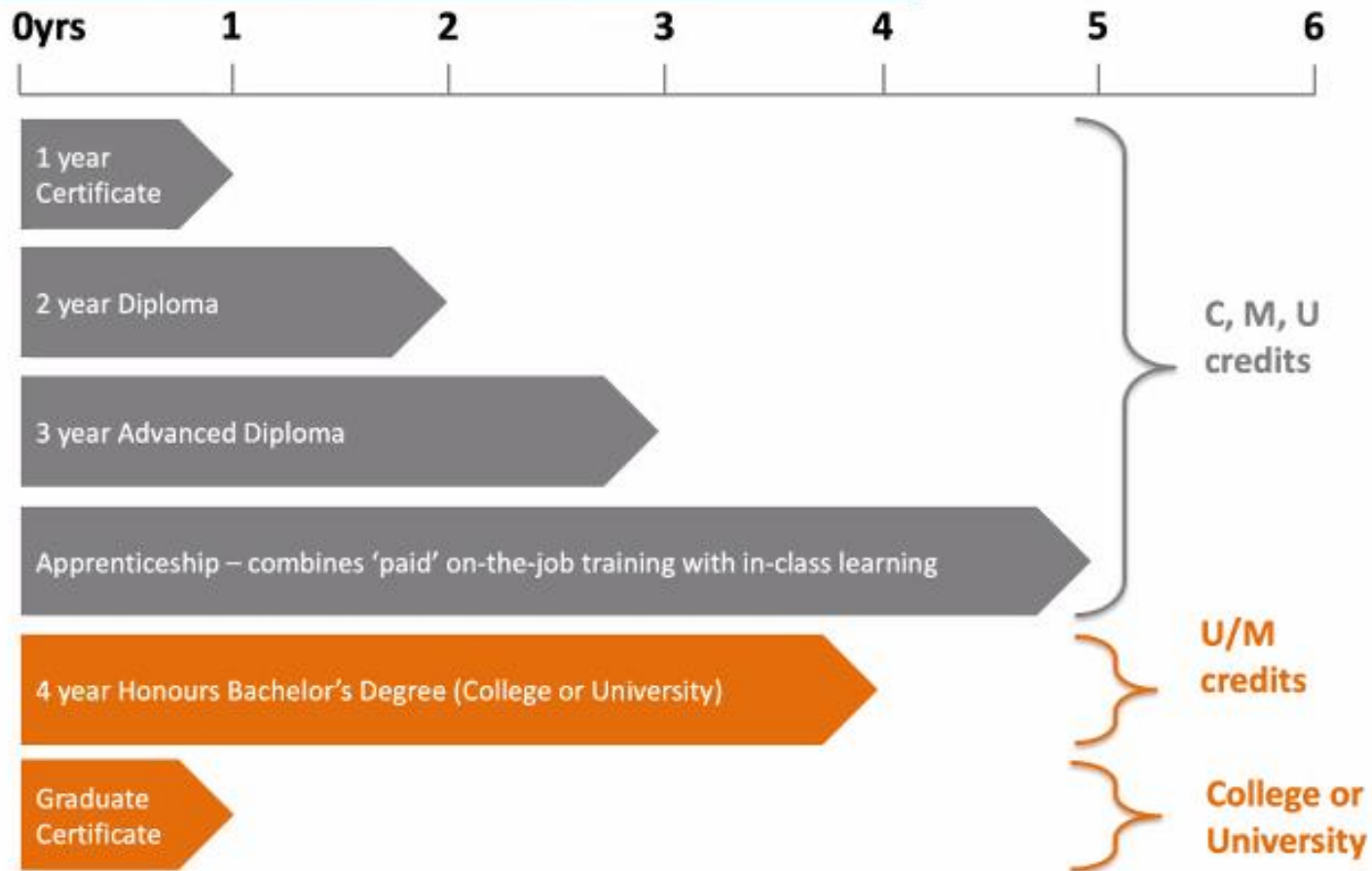
- ▶ NO SURPRISES...
- ▶ •Employment focused
- ▶ •Students know exactly what they're going to get
- ▶ Many different pathways to extend learning after a diploma.

COLLEGE Program Types

- ▶ • < 1 year certificate programs
- ▶ • 2 year Diploma programs
- ▶ • 3 year Advanced Diploma programs
- ▶ • Post-Graduate Certificate programs
- ▶ Degree Programs - 4 years (requires 6 grade 12U/M)
- ▶ Collaborative Degree Programs (4 years get a degree and diploma)



Credentials & Pathways



COLLEGE WEBSITES

- ▶ www.ontariocolleges.ca – Ontario college programs
- ▶ www.ontransfer.ca – transfer agreements b/w college & university programs
- ▶ <https://www.ouac.on.ca/guide/collaborative-university-college-programs/> - collaborative Programs

LET'S RESEARCH COLLEGE

▶ www.ontariocolleges.ca

UNIVERSITY



WHY UNIVERSITY??

- Many careers require university - doctors, teachers, lawyers, engineers, vets
- May be a steppingstone to the next level of education i.e. Master's, PhD, Graduate certificate.
- "Move up the ladder" in the workplace – for some management positions you require a degree.
- Some jobs require a Bachelor degree to be eligible for an interview
- Some students prefer to learn more theory and abstract thoughts

WHY UNIVERSITY (CONTINUED)

Teaches transferable skills desired by employers such as:

- ▶ Ability to think critically
- ▶ Collaborate
- ▶ Communicate
- ▶ Work under pressure
- ▶ Solve theoretical problems

Unique opportunity to make social and industry connections through networking

What is a Bachelor Degree?



- Received upon the completion of undergraduate studies
- Could prepare you for a variety of careers

Usually takes **4 years** to complete

Types of Bachelor Degrees



Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA)

Example majors include dance, acting, painting, sculpting



Bachelor of Arts (BA)

Majors in liberal arts and the sciences



Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA)

General business courses plus other advanced courses



Bachelor of Science (BS)

Example majors include engineering, physics, biology

UNIVERSITY PATHWAY WEBSITES

- ▶ www.ouinfo.ca – undergrad degree programs
- ▶ www.ontariocolleges.ca - undergrad degree programs
- ▶ www.ouac.on.ca/university-links - undergrad course calendars
- ▶ <https://www.ouac.on.ca/guide/collaborative-university-college-programs/> – Collaborative Programs (college diploma & university degree)
- ▶ www.ouac.on.ca – research graduate programs
- ▶ **** We strongly encourage campus visits**

LET'S DO OUR RESEARCH

- ▶ Welcome to Ontario Universities' Info (www.ouinfo.ca)
- ▶ We also have a view book from a post-secondary institution in guidance and an example here to show you how to research.



Skilled Trades

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What are the Skilled Trades?

- ▶ A skilled trade is a career path that requires hands-on work, technical knowledge & capabilities

“The Future belongs to those who build it”

What are the Skilled Trades?

- ▶ **There are 140+ trades in 4 Sectors**
 - ▶ Construction
 - ▶ Motive Power
 - ▶ Industrial
 - ▶ Service

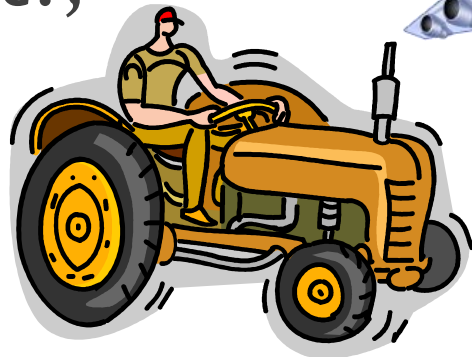
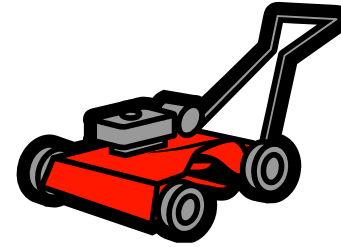
Construction

*Workers design, build
and maintain
infrastructure like
our homes, schools,
hospitals, roads
and parks*



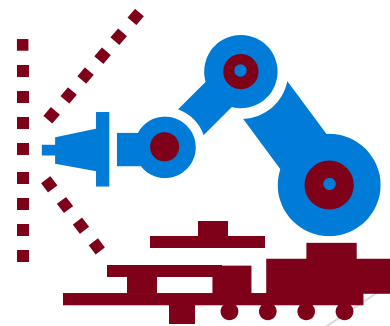
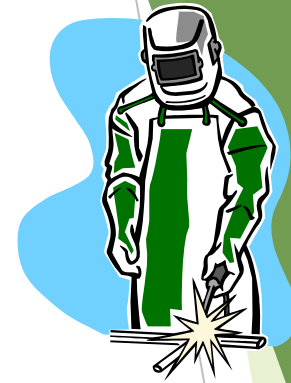
Motive

*Workers build & service
the motors we rely on -
our vehicles, planes,
and lawn mowers, etc.,
even ski lifts!*



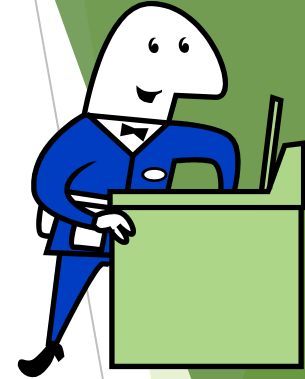
Industrial

Workers keep manufacturing industries running day to day; they design, build & maintain equipment; they build efficiencies into the industry



Service

Workers perform many of the services we rely on every day, like food preparation, hairstyling, esthetics and social services.



What is an Apprenticeship?

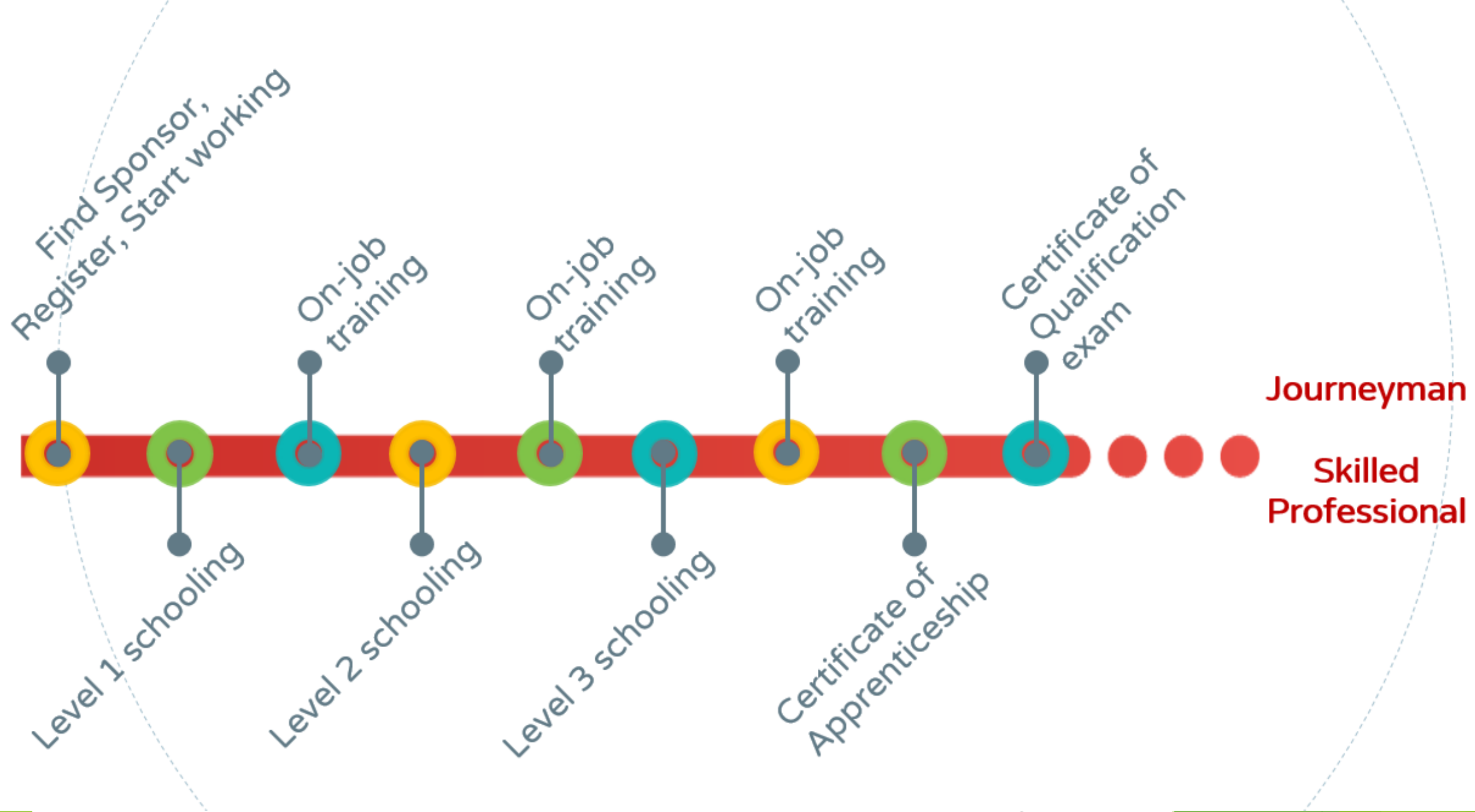
- ▶ It is an **on-the-job** training program for those interested in pursuing a career in the Skilled Trades.
- ▶ 80-90% on the job training
- ▶ 10-20% in-class learning

"There's a problem on our horizon: Ontario is facing a **shortage of workers** in the skilled trades. The solution is clear. We need to let young people and their parents know that a career in the trades is exciting, fulfilling, and lucrative. **These are well-paying jobs.**"

Monte McNaughton, Minister of Labour, Training and Skills Development has said -

Benefits to a career in the Skilled Trades

- ▶ Earn while you learn
- ▶ Use your skill, judgement & creativity
- ▶ Use of cutting-edge technology
- ▶ Many paths to advance
- ▶ Hard work (physical labour)
- ▶ Transferable skills
- ▶ Opportunities for Skilled Trade Labourers without certification



How much does it cost to be an apprentice?

- ▶ Apprentices are **paid** while completing on-the-job training, and their wages **increase** with their level of skill.
- ▶ In school portions costs approx \$500
- ▶ Cost of tools (grants available)

Suggested steps in high school

- ▶ Tech courses
- ▶ COOP/OYAP**
- ▶ Math and Physics courses
- ▶ Build a Network - Job Shadow/Pt Job
- ▶ Drivers License
- ▶ Online assessments
- ▶ YouTube videos

NO IDEA OF WHAT YOU WANT TO DO??

- ▶ Scroll through the program categories on www.ontariocolleges.ca and www.ouinfo.ca
- ▶ Use career planning tools (next slide)
- ▶ Speak to people doing jobs of interest
- ▶ Talk to family and friends about their jobs and pathways to get there
- ▶ Try a coop

CAREER PLANNING TOOLS

- ▶ <https://humbercareerfinder.com/>
- ▶ <http://ideagenerator.sheridancollege.ca/>
- ▶ <https://www.fanshawepathfinder.ca/>
- ▶ <https://osca.ca/> - click STUDENTS tab
- ▶ <https://app.myblueprint.ca/> - log in from school account

- ▶ [Personality Test of Myers & Briggs' 16 Types | TypeFinder® \(truity.com\)](#)

Course Selections

- ▶ Compulsory grade 12 courses:
- ▶ English
- ▶ Religion

Make sure you have completed all 18 compulsory courses

Group 1 - Covered by Grade 11 Religion

Group 2 - Additional Art, Business, Phys. Ed.,
Computer Studies, French or Coop

Group 3 - Additional Science, Tech, French or Coop

Diploma Requirements

Secondary School Diploma Requirements

Ontario Secondary School Diploma Requirements

- English (4 credits - one credit per grade)
- Mathematics (3 credits, with at least one in Grade 11 or 12)
- Science (2 credits)
- French as a second language (1 credit)
- Canadian geography (1 credit-Grade 9)
- Canadian history (1 credit-Grade 10)
- The arts (1 credit)
- Health and physical education (1 credit)
- Civics (1/2 credit-Grade 10) Careers (1/2 credit-Grade 10)
- One credit from each of the group selections listed below

One of the following choices (Group 1):

Additional English, French as a second language, or Native language, or a classical or an international language, or social sciences and the humanities, or Canadian and world studies, or guidance and career education, cooperative education.

Grade 11 Religion Counts!!

One of the following choices (Group 2):

Additional health and physical education, or the arts, or Business studies, or French as a second language, or cooperative education One of the following choices: Additional science (Grade 11 or 12), or technological education, or French as a second language, or cooperative education

One of the following choices (Group 3):

Additional science (Grade 11 or 12), or technological education, or French as a second language, or Cooperative Education

DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

4 Religion Credits

8 Optional Credits

40 hrs Community Service

Successful completion of
the Literacy Test or Literacy
Course

- 2 ONLINE LEARNING CREDITS
- “Opt Out Form” now available through MyBlueprint

Community Service Hours

**MUST BE NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS/
AGENCIES/ EVENTS**

Churches, hospitals, minor sports
associations, Lions Club, Pumpkinfest, etc.

NOT dance academies, farmwork, businesses,
horse stables, any job someone would
normally be paid for, etc.

COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

The screenshot shows the website for Trinity School, featuring a navigation menu with 'GUIDANCE' selected. A dropdown menu is open, listing various resources, with 'Community Service Hours' highlighted. The website header includes the school's logo and motto, 'Excellence in Learning - Living in Christ', and a search bar. Social media icons for Twitter, YouTube, LinkedIn, Facebook, and BHO are also present. The footer contains links for 'myBlueprint' and 'Online Library'.

Board Home Select Language STAFF LINKS

Excellence in Learning - Living in Christ

Search...

HOME ABOUT US DEPARTMENTS PARENTS PROGRAMS STUDENT LIFE GUIDANCE

COVID SCREENING TOOL

2022-23 Course Calendar

About Course Levels

Community Service Hours

Community Support Links

Counselling Services

Course Option Information

Grade 8 to 9 Transition

Important Dates For Graduates

Important Websites and Online Resources

OSSLT

Online Registration Instructions-Existing BHNCSB Students

Post-Secondary Destinations

Registration Presentations

Secondary School Diploma Requirements

Student Success

Transcripts

Video Library

Trinity School

19-429-3600

@trinitytitan

Map

COVID-19 Coronavirus

myBlueprint Online Library

Continuing Education

CHOOSE A DESTINATION

CHOOSE A COURSE TYPE

Apprenticeship

University (U), College (C)
University/College (M), Workplace (E)

Work

University (U), College (C)
University/College (M), Workplace (E)

College

University (U), College (C),
University/College (M)

University

University (U), University/College (M)

Students may take a combination of course types

MAKING
COMPULSORY
CHOICES

English

Religion

Minimum of 4
electives

ENGLISH

ENG4U – university in-
person or online

ENG4C – college

ENG4E – workplace

ENG4USS – university (in-
person, online, summer school)

ENG4CSS – college
(summer school)

RELIGION

HRE4M1 — Can be
used for University
Application

HRE4O1



MATHEMATICS PATHWAYS

Make sure you have the appropriate pre-requisite for the Math course you need

[Mathematics | Holy Trinity Catholic High School](#)



MATH

MEL4E1 — Work/ Everyday Life

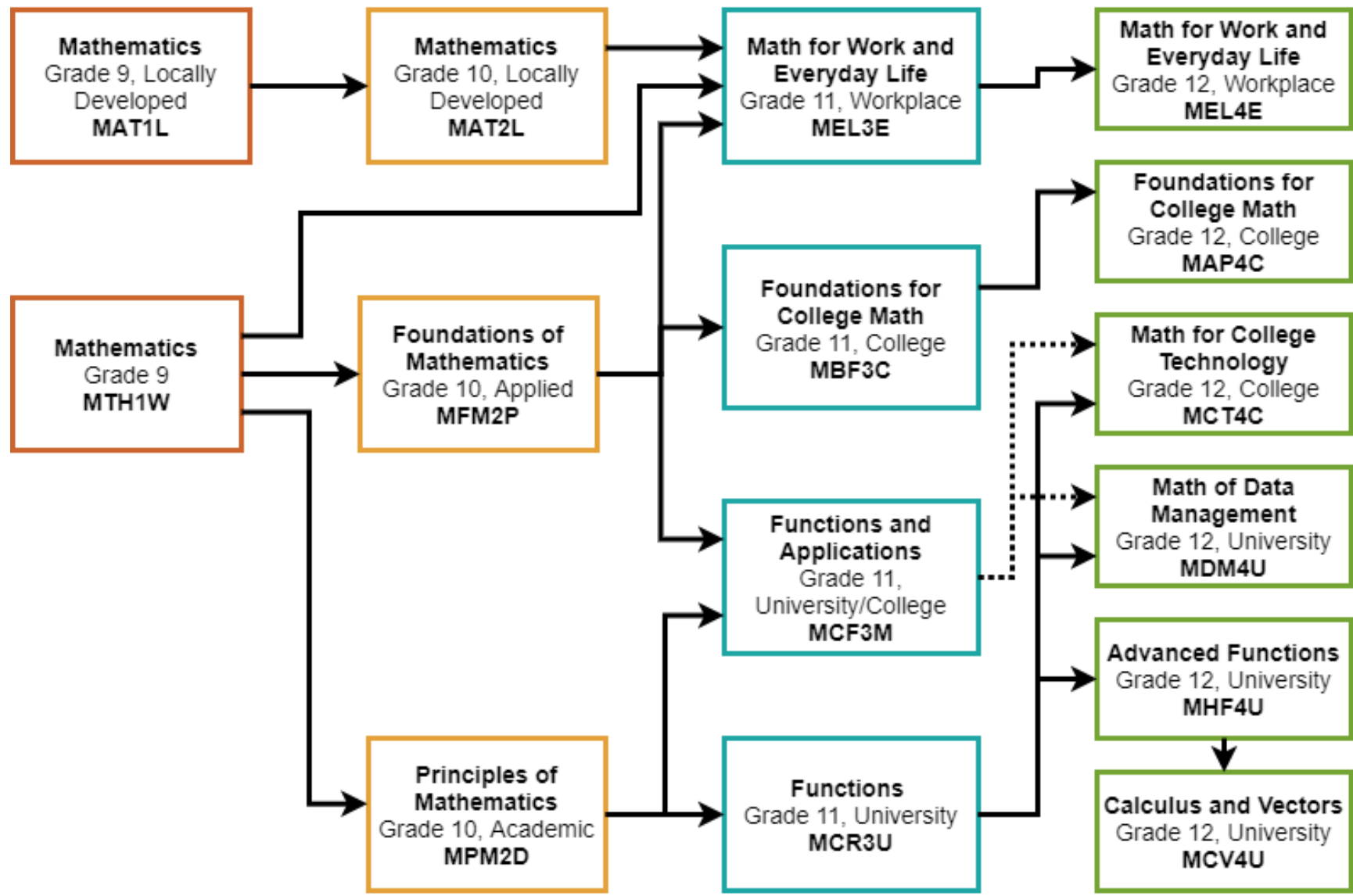
MAP4C1 — College Math
(in-person, summer school)

MCT4C — College Tech

MDM4U1 — Data Management
(in-person, online, summer school)

MHF4U1 — Adv. Functions

MCV4U1 — Calculus/ Vectors



SHSM —
SPECIALIST
HIGH
SKILLS
MAJOR

Customize your education to suit your interests and career plan

Learn sector specific skills and knowledge

Gain valuable work experience by completing a two-credit coop in your field

Acquire certifications that are specific to your field

PLANNING
AHEAD

SHSM Candidates:

There are required courses you need to complete your SHSM. Be sure to add required courses, as well as a 1/2 day coop to your course planning.

HT SHSMS

SHSM Offerings:

- Agriculture
- Construction
- Health and Wellness
- Hospitality and Tourism
- Sport
- Transportation

ELECTIVE COURSES

ARTS

- Drama (M)
- Music (Instrumental, Vocal & Repertoire) (M)
- Guitar (O)
- Visual Art (M)
- Photography (M) (in-person and online)
- Portfolio Building (M)

ELECTIVE COURSES

BUSINESS AND COMPUTER STUDIES

- Accounting (M)
- International Business (M)
- Business Management (M)
- Computer Studies (U) (in-person & online (C))

ELECTIVE COURSES

CANADIAN WORLD STUDIES

- World Issues (U)
- Economics (U)
- Contemporary First nations, Metis and Inuit Issues NDA3M1 (NEW)
- American History (CHA3U)
- World History (U) (Online only In person 2026-27)
- Canadian & World Politics (U) (online only)
- CGG3O – Travel and Tourism: A Geographic perspective (online only)
- CLN4C – Legal Studies (online)

ELECTIVE COURSES

COOPERATIVE EDUCATION

- Double Credit (O)
- All Day Coop – choose twice
- Also available in summer school (5 weeks)

ELECTIVE COURSES

MODERN LANGUAGES

- French (U)
- French – (O)
- Extended French (U)
- Grade 10 History
French instruction

ELECTIVE COURSES

ENGLISH

- **Writer's Craft (U)** (in-person & summer school)
- **ESL (O)**

ELECTIVE COURSES

HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- Physical Education (O)
- Personal Fitness (O)
- Kinesiology (U) (in person and online)
- Basketball (O)
- Health for life (online)

ELECTIVE COURSES

SCIENCE

- Biology (U or C) (in-person & online)
- Chemistry (U or C) (C level in-person & online)
- Physics (U or C) (C level in-person & online)
- Health Science (M) (in-person and online)
- Earth and Space (U) (online only)
- Environmental Science (gr. 11 E level)

ELECTIVE COURSES

SOCIAL SCIENCES & HUMANITIES

- Families in Canada (U)
- Philosophy (U) (in-person and online)
- Personal Life Management (O) in-person and online
- Challenge and Change (U) offered in alternating years (2026-27)
- HSC4M – World Cultures (M) (online only)

ELECTIVE COURSES

INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

- Peer Tutoring (U) – application required
- Grade 11 Law and Economics (E)
- Financial Planning (U) (online only)

ELECTIVE COURSES

TECHNOLOGY

- Computer Engineering (M)
- Gr. 11/12 Robotics/
Control Systems (M)
- Tech Design (M)
- Architectural Design (M)

ELECTIVE COURSES

TECHNOLOGY

- Transportation (C)
- Double credit: $\frac{1}{2}$ day
Transportation and
Welding

ELECTIVE COURSES

TECHNOLOGY

- Hairstyling & Aesthetics (E)
- Cooking (E)
- Baking (E)

E-LEARNING

Must be self-directed and self-motivated.

All courses are online and asynchronous

Must have reliable internet.

Must have access to a device. A cell phone is not sufficient.

Students will work in an assigned space.

E-LEARNING

AWQ30 – (Gr. 11) Photography

BEM201 – Launching and Leading
a business

BBB4M1 – International Business

CPW4U – Canadian and World
Politics

CGG30 – Travel and Tourism: A
Geographic perspective

CHY4U – World History

CLN4C – Legal Studies

E-LEARNING

ENG3U – Grade 11
University English

ENG 4U – English

ENG 4C – Grade 12
College English

GLN4O – Navigating
the Workplace

HIP4O – Personal Life
Management

E-LEARNING

HRF3O – World Religions

HRT3M – World Religions

HSC4M – World Cultures

HZT4U – Philosophy

ICS3U/C or ICS4U/C –
Computer Science

E-LEARNING

IDC4U – Peer tutoring or
Financial Planning

MCR3U- University Functions

MCF3M –Functions and
Applications

MCT4C – Math for College
Technology

MAP4C- Foundations for
College Math

MDM4U – Data management

E-LEARNING

OLC4O – Literacy Course

PPZ3C- Health for Life

PSK4U – Kinesiology

SBI3C or U - Biology

SBI4U – University Biology

SCH4C – College Chemistry

E-LEARNING

SES4U – Earth and Space
Science

SPH4C – Physics

SNC4M- Health Science

SVN3M – Environmental Science

TPJ2O – Grade 10 Health Care

SUMMER SCHOOL 2025

If summer school is part of your plan...take this into account when choosing courses.

You should choose your summer school courses BEFORE completing your grade 12 registration.

Summer school registration will open late January and close June 18



SUMMER SCHOOL 2025



All summer school courses are e-learning and asynchronous



July 2nd - 25th
Registration closes
June 18, 2025



Daily attendance required



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GRADE 11
SUMMER
SCHOOL
CHOICES
AS OF NOW
CHECK BACK
LATER FOR
OTHER
OPTIONS

HRT3M – World
Religions

HRF3O – World
Religions

PPZ3C – Health for
Life

GRADE 11
SUMMER
SCHOOL
CHOICES AS
OF NOW

MCF3M – Mixed Math

NBE3U – Understanding Contemporary
First Nations, Metis, and Inuit Voices
(Sub for grade 11 U English)

DCO3O2 – COOP

Credit Recovery

GRADE 12
SUMMER
SCHOOL
CHOICES
AS OF NOW

ENG4C – English College

ENG4U – English University

EWC4U - Writer's Craft

MDM4U – Data Management

MAP4C— College Mathematics

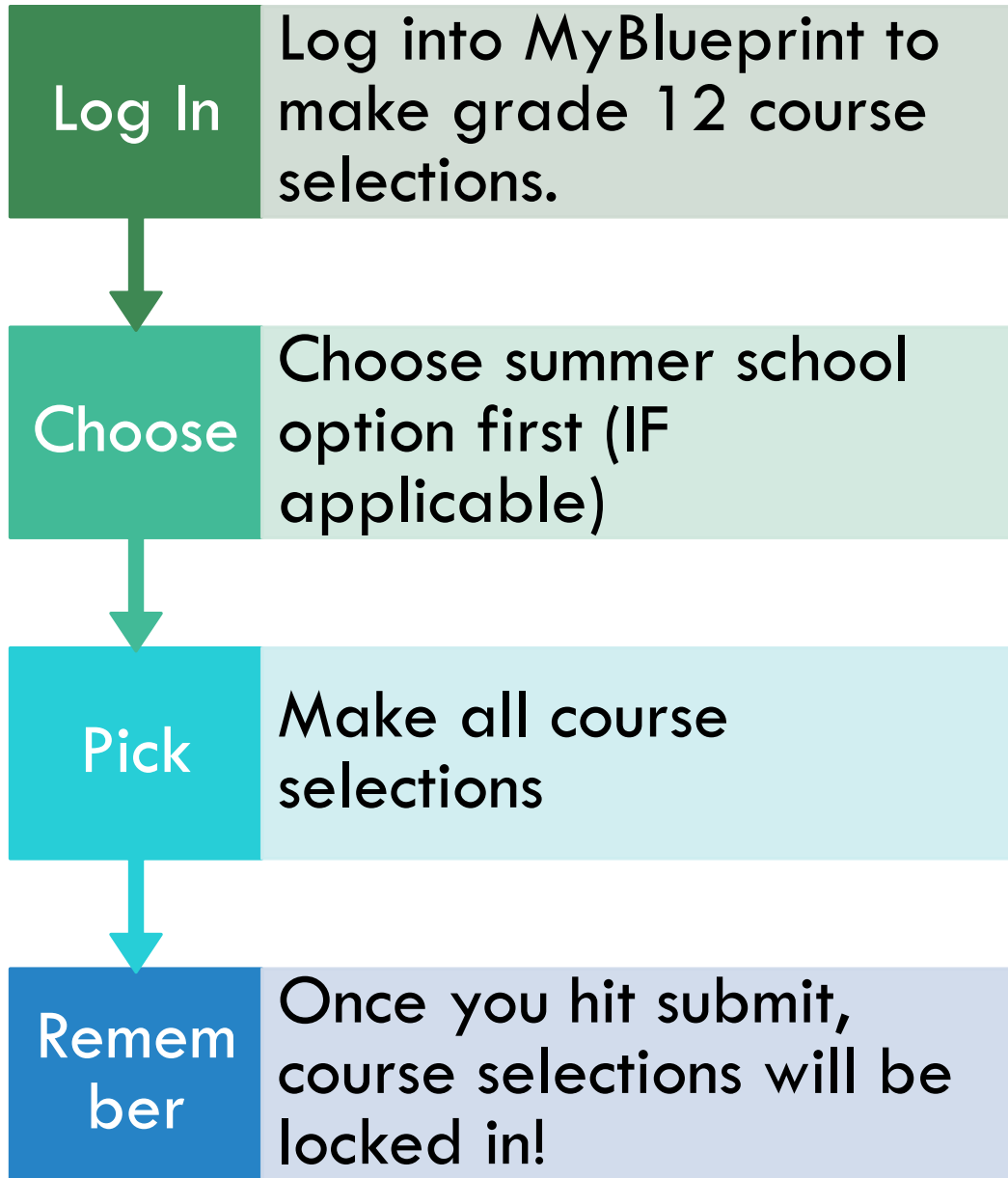
OLC4O – Literacy Course

DUE DATES

Courses are first come, first served. Don't miss the deadline!

Collecting on Feb. 20th & 21st in homerooms.

Sign Off Forms with parent signature & payment on School Cash online - \$40 Activity Fee



How do I register?

HOW DO I
REGISTER?

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CHOOSE WISELY

REMEMBER...

It is your
future, and it
is important
to consider all
post-
secondary
options

QUESTIONS /HELP

Your Surname	Counsellor Contact
A – Ga	<u>shanson@bhncdsb.ca</u>
Ge – O	<u>cdeconinck@bhncdsb.ca</u>
P - Z	<u>kberta@bhncdsb.ca</u>

A FEW OTHER THINGS:

- ❖ Do your career/post-secondary research before selecting courses. **We cannot guarantee courses if you select them late.**
- ❖ Remember your 40 community service hours will be due by February of next year – try to complete them this semester or over the summer.
- ❖ Community Service hours must be for a not-for-profit organization
- ❖ If you have been involved in school life- You can apply for the Titan award this year. Applications are available on trinitycatholic.ca under the student life tab. Due May 9, 2025