



### MAKING THE TRANSITION TO GRADE 10

What do I need to graduate?



DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

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#### TOTAL CREDITS NECESSARY: 30

#### 17 COMPULSORY CREDITS

You need the following 17 compulsory credits to get your OSSD:

- 4 credits in English (1 credit per grade)
- 3 credits in mathematics (Grade 9, Grade 10 and 1 credit in Grade 11 or 12)
- 2 credits in science
- 1 credit in technological education (Gr. 9 or Gr.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 credit from the <u>STEM-related course</u> group

#### STEM-related course group

Of the 17 compulsory credits, you must complete 1 from the following group:

- business studies
- computer studies
- cooperative education
- mathematics (in addition to the 3 compulsory credits currently required)
- science (in addition to the 2 compulsory credits currently required)
- technological education (in addition to the 1 compulsory credit required)

#### 13 OPTIONAL CREDITS

- 4 Religion credits 1/year
- The other 9 can be anything you like!

#### Note:

If you plan to go to University, you will need to research what the Gr 12 course requirements are for your chosen program.

 You will need 6 courses that end in "4U or 4M" in order to apply to University.

If you plan to go to College, you will need to research what the Gr 12 course requirements are for your chosen program.

Programs differ in the courses they need.

#### OTHER REQUIREMENTS TO GRADUATE

#### Literacy Requirement

- Literacy test generally written in Gr. 10
- Can also take a course if not successful on test

#### Volunteer Hours

- You need 40 hours (you can do more!)
- Must be for a Not For Profit Organization
- Not a job that someone would usually be paid for

#### Online Learning

You must earn at least two online (E-Learning) credits in order to graduate.

## DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

4 Religion Credits

9 Optional Credits

40 hrs Community Service

Successful completion of the Literacy Test or Literacy Course

### DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

- 2 ONLINE LEARNING CREDITS
- Introduced in 2019.
- A diploma requirement unless y ou have OPTED OUT
- Online summer school courses count (careers/civics is 1 credit)
- Credit recovery does not count
- "Opt Out Form" now available through MyBlueprint

## COMMUNITY SERVICE HRS

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

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

NOT dance academies, farmwork, businesses, horse stables, donating clothes, etc.



#### BRANT HALDIMAND NORFOLK CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

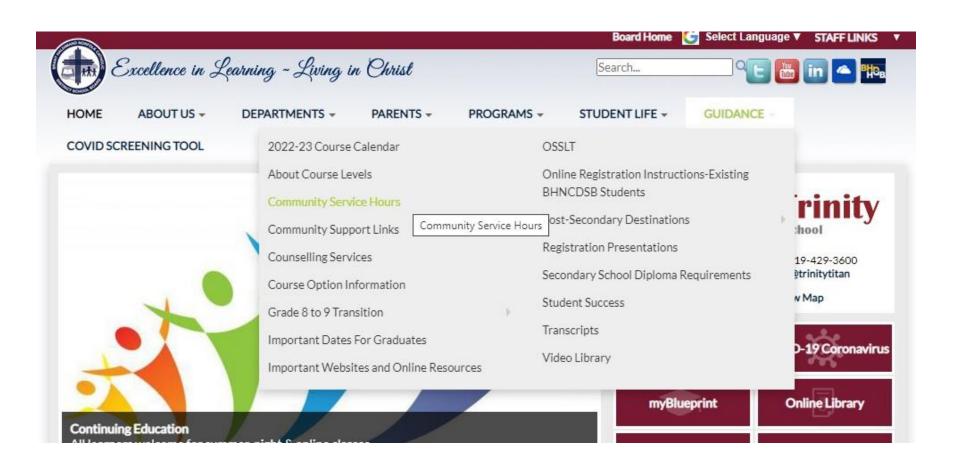
#### COMPLETION OF COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT ACTIVITIES

OFFICE USE ONLY III Completion entered in Student Record

Note: Check with your guidance counsellor to

ensure that your p	nunity servi	ce			
hours will be accep	otable.		Signa	ature of School Official	Date
Student:			Princip	oal: Mrs. Tara	Williams
School: Holy Trinity Catholic High School			Telephone:519-429-3600		
Organization/Charity/Activity (Provide a brief description of your duties)	Start Date	No. of Hours	Date of Completion (month/day/year)	Location and Telephone	Supervisor's Name (Please print) Signature required
Example – HT Student Council, Fair painting (after school)	Oct 2/24	2	October 2, 2024	Holy Trinity, Simcoe ON 519-429-3600	John Henry John Wenny
Total Hours					
** The boxes above are <u>re</u>	<u>quired</u> info	rmation. Fo	orm must include studer	t name and parent signatu	re (if under 18)
Student Signature:			_ Parent/Guardian Sign	nature:	

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### COMMUNITY SERVICE

## PICKING COURSES FOR GRADE 10

#### SHIFT IN LANGUAGE

Course	Destination
Academic (D)	University/ College/ Work
Applied (P) →	College / Work
Locally - (L) Developed	Work
Open (O)	All Electives

### ACADEMIC COURSES

Grade 10

Best for students who:

Enjoy theory and analyzing results

Are abstract, reflective learners

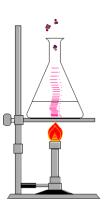
Can work independently

Homework an expectation

Typically bound for university



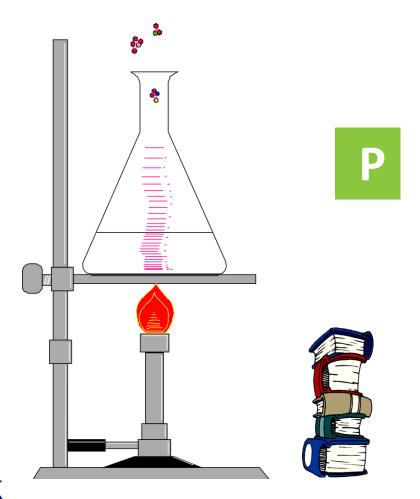




#### **APPLIED COURSES Grade 10**

#### **Best for students who:**

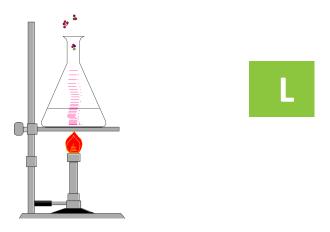
- Learn by doing
- Learn from practical experiences
- Like to relate learning to real-life examples
- Need more assistance getting started
- Typically bound for college, trades or work



#### Locally- Developed Grades 9 & 10

#### **Best for students who:**

- Small Teacher: Student ratio
- Slower Pace
- Learn by doing
- Require additional support in the classroom
- Typically bound for work or trades





## HOW DO I CHOOSE THE RIGHT LEVEL?

- \* Evaluate your grade 9 success
- \* Begin researching post-secondary destinations to see which level of education is required.
- \*Evaluate your work habits and effort
- \*Listen to teacher recommendations

## HOW DO I CHOOSE THE RIGHT LEVEL?

- \* Work at the highest level possible
- = more options in the future
- \* Be honest with yourself:
  - •What are you good at?
  - •What do you enjoy?
  - •How much work are you willing to do?

### MAKING COMPULSORY CHOICES

English

Religion (Open)

Math

History

Science

Careers/ Civics (open)

### ENG2P — applied

**ENGLISH** 

ENG2D — academic

ENG2L — locally developed

### MFM2P1 - applied

**MATH** 

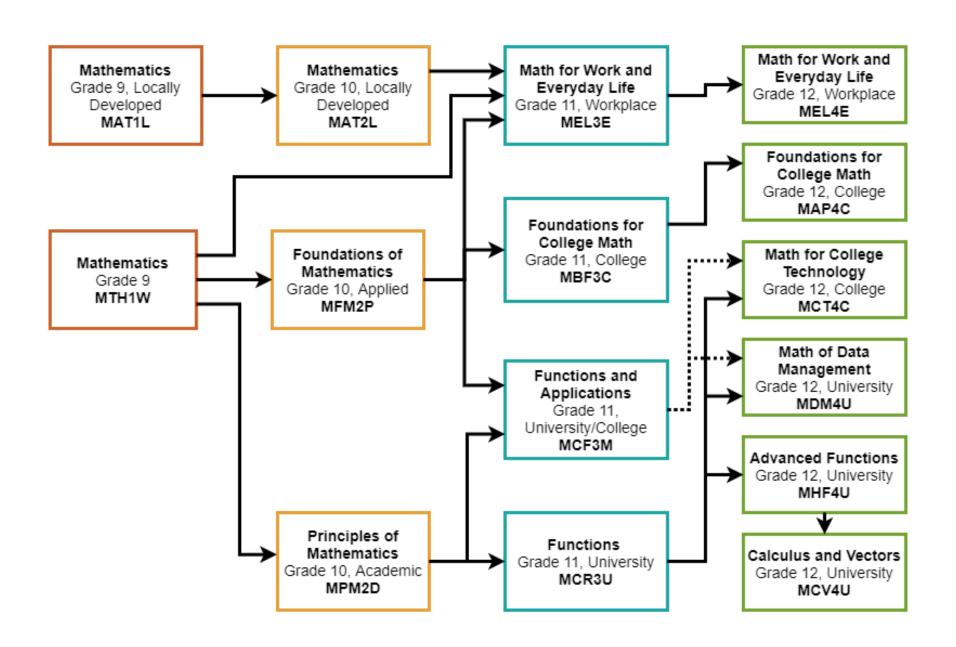
MDM2D1 — academic

MAT2L1 — Locally Developed

### MATHEMATICS PATHWAYS

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

Mathematics | Holy Trinity Catholic High School



### SNC2P — applied

SCIENCE

SNC2D — academic

SNC2L — locally developed

CHC2P — applied

HISTORY

CHC2D — academic

CHC2L — locally developed

### HRE20 — open

RELIGION

HRE20A — Arts Focus (prerequisite AVI10)

#### GLC20— Careers ½ credit

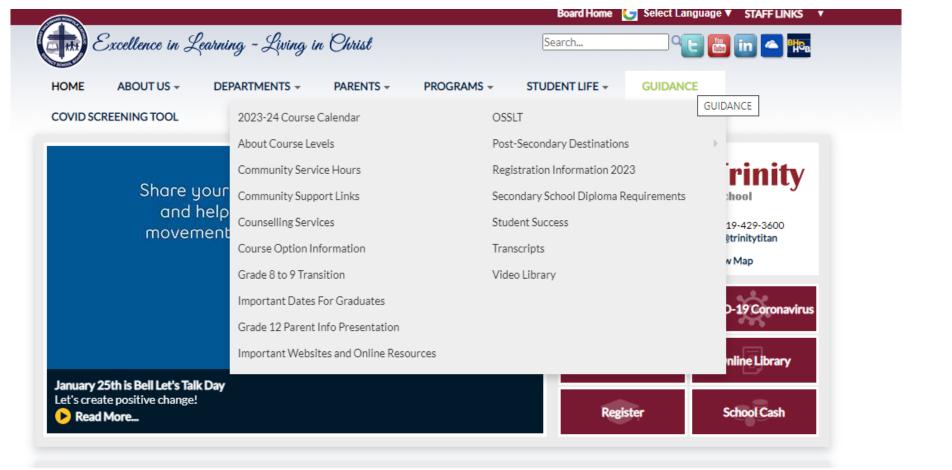
CAREERS/ CIVICS

CHV20— Civics ½ credit

### PLANNING AHEAD

Some Grade 10 courses will be pre-requisites for specific grade 11 courses.

Example: SBI3U needs SNC2D; AWQ3O needs AVI1O or AVI2O



## HOW DO I CHOOSE THE RIGHT ELECTIVES??

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- \* Look carefully at online Course Guide (page 26) and explore ALL possible choices. Note prerequisites.
- \* You can also log into my blueprint to see course descriptions
- \* View <u>Elective Course</u> <u>Descriptions</u> on website

Note: Grade 10s are welcome to take gr 11 electives – especially those focused on sciences/ math

\* Remember you must have a tech elective in grade 9 or 10

#### **ARTS**

- Drama (0)
- Music (Instrumental & Vocal) (0)
- Guitar (0) (prereq. AMU101)
- Visual Art (0)

# BUSINESS AND COMPUTER STUDIES

- Launching and Leading a Business - BEP20
- Computer Studies(0) ICD20

#### MODERN LANGUAGES

- French (P & D)
- Extended French (D)

### GUIDANCE

Learning Strategies (O)

## HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- Physical Education (O)
- Personal Fitness (O)
- Volleyball (O)
- Hockey (gr 9/11)

REMEMBER:
You must
take a tech
credit in gr.
9 or 10

#### **TECHNOLOGY**

- Communications (O)
- Construction (O)
- Hospitality & Tourism (O)
- Tech Design (O)
- Hairstyling & Aesthetics (O)
- Transportation (O)
- Gr.10 Health Care (online)

#### SUMMER SCHOOL 2025

If summer school is part of your plan...take this into account when choosing courses. (don't choose the same course twice)

You should choose your summer school courses BEFORE completing your grade 10 registration.

MyBlueprint - Continuing Education tab (grades 9-12)



### SUMMER SCHOOL 2025







All summer school courses are e-learning and asynchron ous

June 30th
- July 25<sup>th</sup>

Daily attendance required

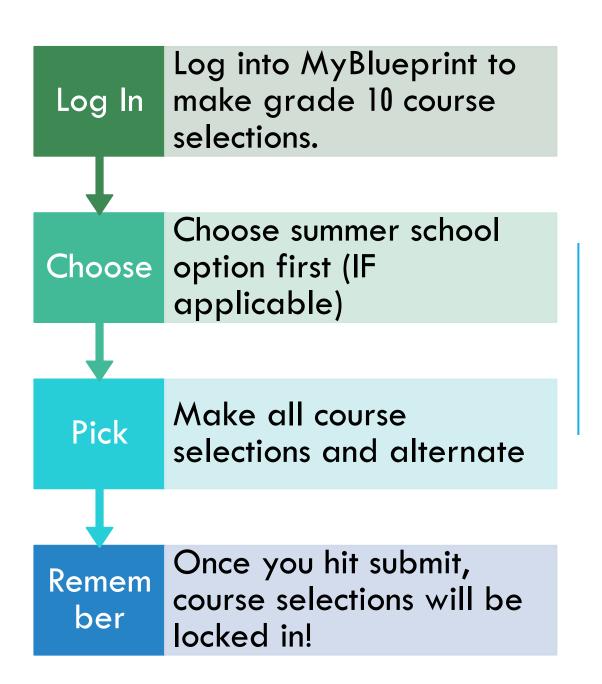


MyBlueprint Continuing
Education tab



### GRADE 9/ 10 SUMMER SCHOOL CHOICES

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AWL10 — Visual Arts Drawing
BEM10 — Building the Entrepreneurial Mindset
GLE101 — Learning Strategies
PAF101 — Personal Fitness
TAS10- Technology in Trades
PAF201 — Personal Fitness
ICD20 — Digital Technology & Innovations
BEP20 — Launching and Leading a Business
GLC/CHV20 Careers/ Civics or individually
Credit Recovery (must fill in form)
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## How do I register?

## ALTERNATE CHOICE

Choose a BACKUP
Option/Alternate that you
would be happy with – if your first
choice is not available, we will add
your alternate

Choose courses wisely changes are not always possible.

Once you click submit your courses are locked in you will be prompted to enter a parent email address for approval

#### DUE DATES

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

Selections must be approved by a parent by Feb. 21st

Sign Off Forms electronically by parent email (should match email in PowerSchool) & payment on—School Cash online - \$40 Activity Fee



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Who Am I

High School

■ Continuing Education

Post-Secondary

Money

Guides

Favourites

#### **High School**

Plan Courses

AVI10 (AVI101) • 1 Credit • 96%

Health & Physical Education..

PPL10 (PPL101) • 1 Credit

Course

Alternates

Alternate

#### ■ Official High School Plan

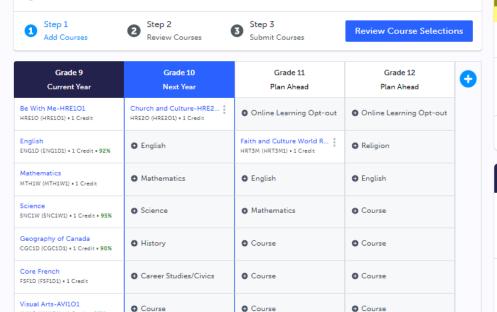
Your courses are Not Submitted

Currently planning for Holy Trinity Catholic High School (1)

Not returning next year?

View Plans

Course Selection Resources

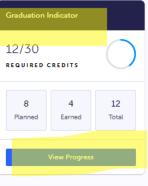


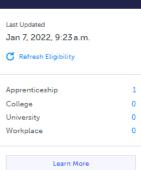
Creating Options Through...

DCO3O (DCO3OC) • 2 Credits

Course

Course





Pathway Eligibility

### QUESTIONS / HELP

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

HOW DO I REGISTER?

LET'S WALK
THROUGH
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