



Our Lady Queen of the World Catholic Academy

Grade 9 Course Selection Presentation
February, 15th 2024

Opening Prayer

We ask for God's blessing on our Foundation and its family of schools. Lord; grant us the will to work together, the wisdom to listen to each other's views and the insight to plan together, in recognition of our role in supporting one another. Help us to continue as a school that supports the development of each individual child, offers a stimulating working environment for staff and provides a focus for the local community. Continue to guide Our Lady Queen of the World Catholic Academy to forever be an example of Christian witness in our world and Christian roots in our communities.

Amen

YCDSB Land Acknowledgement

The Our Lady Queen of the World Catholic Academy (OLQWCA) community acknowledges, with gratitude, the Indigenous land that it resides on, and the nations that call it home, including the Haudenosaunee, Anishinaabewaki, the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Wendake-Nionwentsio, and the Métis people. We continue to embrace collaborative values in recognition of Indigenous cultures and the wealth of experience and knowledge that these cultures provide. We acknowledge that, as people who share this land, we must also share the responsibility of upholding Treaty 13 and the Williams Treaty. We will ensure that this shared land, and advancements made on it, are done in the spirit of furthering the 94 Calls to Action towards reconciliation and in collaboration with the Indigenous communities and people who share this land.



Important Information

- Compulsory courses failed in Semester 1 **MUST** be included on your course selection form (even if you plan to take this course in summer school).
- There are **NO ELECTIVE CHANGES** for students in Grades 9 and 10, so choose wisely.
- You must select 2 **ELECTIVES** and 2 **ALTERNATE** courses.

New Terminology

GRADE 9



GRADE 10

Destreamed (W/D)

Academic (D)

Locally Developed (L)

Applied (P)

Open (O)

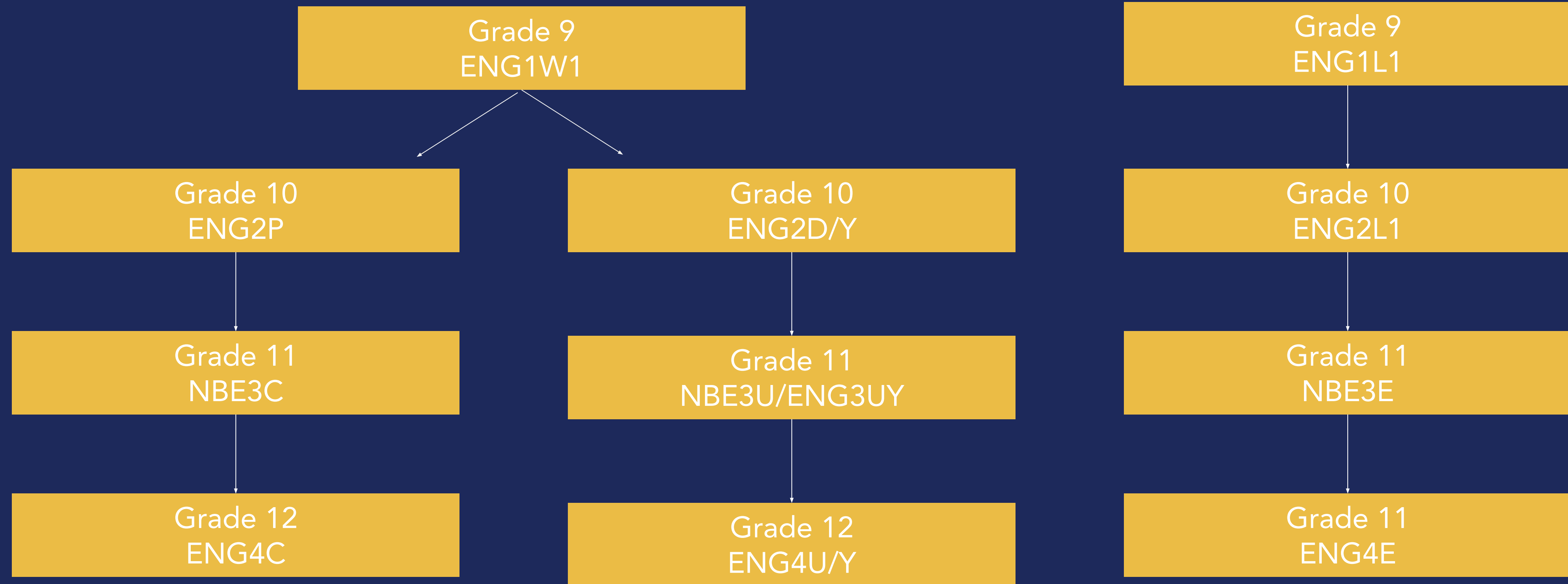
Locally Developed (L)

Open (O)

Summer School

- Information will be available closer to the March Break
- Grade 9 students may take an acceleration or remedial course in Summer School
- Please consult with your Guidance Counselor before registering for a course in Summer School

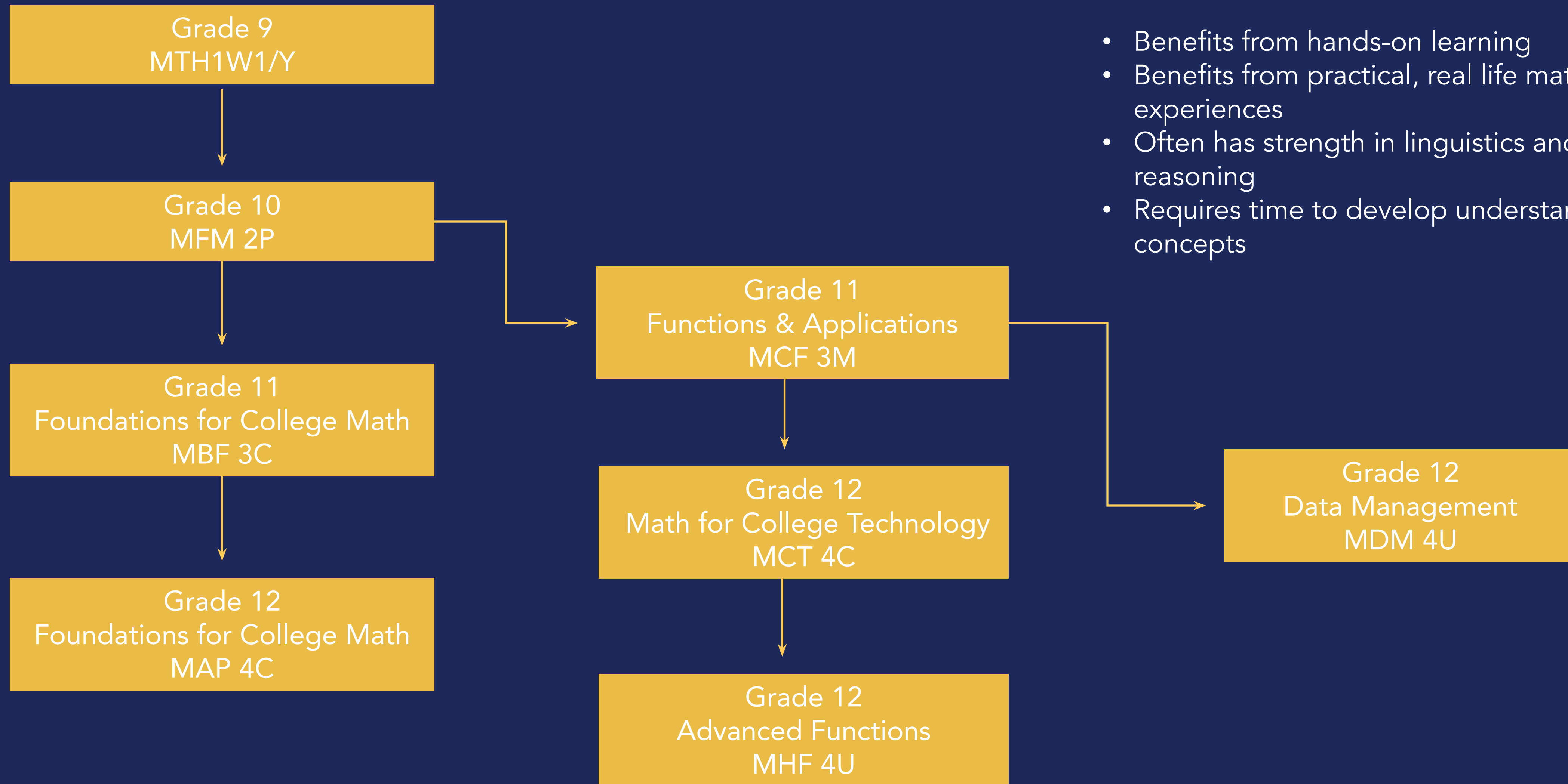
Pathways for English



Pathways for Applied Math Students

LEARNER PROFILE

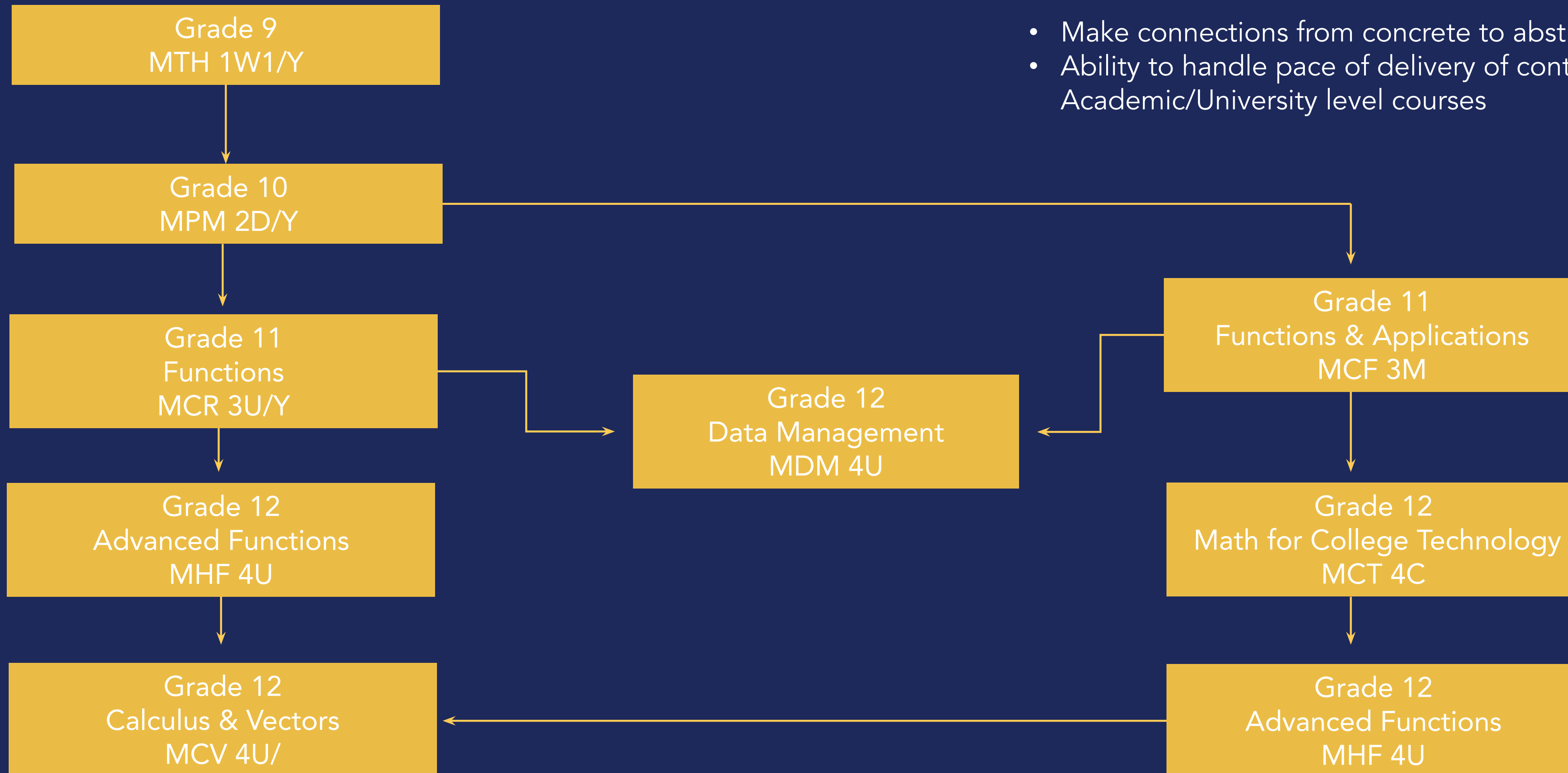
- Benefits from hands-on learning
- Benefits from practical, real life mathematical experiences
- Often has strength in linguistics and/or spatial reasoning
- Requires time to develop understanding of concepts

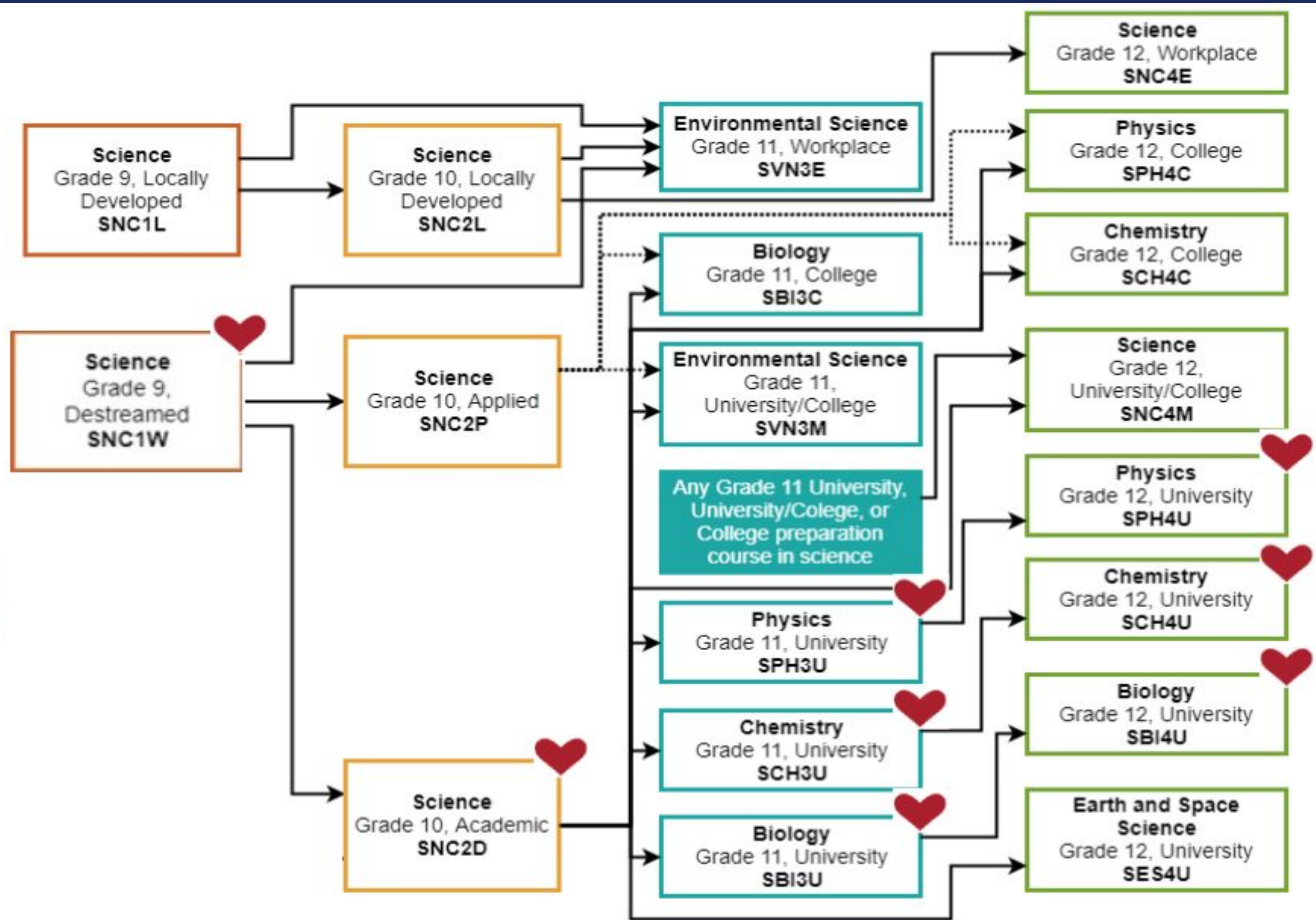


Pathways for Academic Math Students

LEARNER PROFILE

- Make connections from concrete to abstract with ease
- Ability to handle pace of delivery of content of Academic/University level courses





Grade 10 Elective Courses

Computer Studies

- ICD20 (Digital Technology and Innovations in the Changing World)

International Languages

- LWI BD2 (Italian)

Physical Education

- PAL1O1 (Volleyball)
- PAL 2O1 (Racquet Sports)
- PAL3O1 (Soccer)
- PAL4O1 (Basketball)
- PPL 2OF (Healthy Active Living Education - Girls)
- PPL 2OM (Healthy Active Living Education - Boys)
- PPL2O1 (Healthy Active Living Education - Co-ed)



Grade 10 Elective Courses

Technological Education

- *New* TAS2O1 (Technology and the Skilled Trades)
- TDJ 2O1 (Design Technology)
- TEJ2O1 (Computer Technology & the Skilled Trades)
- TFJ 2O1 (Hospitality and Tourism)
- TGJ 2O1 (Communications Technology)



Grade 10 ESL Courses

- ESL A, B, C, D, E
- AVI2OS
- BEP2OS
- CHC2DS
- CHC2PS
- CHV2OS/GLC2OS
- GLE2OS
- HRE2OS
- MFM2PS
- MPM2DS
- SNC2DS
- SNC2PS



ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Grade 10 French Immersion Courses

- CHC 2DQ
- FIF 2DQ
- HRE 20Q



French Immersion

Grade 10 AP Prep Courses

- CHC2DY
- ENG2DY
- MPM2DY
- SNC2DY
- Capstone Seminar
ENG2DY2 (Full Year)



AP Capstone Program

Grade 10 Seminar (ENG2DY2 Full Year)

- AP Capstone is an innovative program from the U.S. College Board that uses an inquiry framework to equip students with the independent research, collaborative teamwork, and communication skills that are increasingly valued by universities.
- AP Capstone is built on the foundation of two AP courses — AP Seminar (gr. 10) and AP Research (gr. 11)
- AP Seminar is a prerequisite for AP Research; completing AP Seminar and all its required assessment components is necessary for students to develop the skills to be successful in AP Research.
- In AP Seminar, students are assessed with two through-course performance tasks and one end-of-course exam; all three assessments are summative and will be used to calculate a final AP score (using the 1–5 scale) for AP Seminar.
- In AP Research the following year, students are assessed on a 4000-5000 word Academic Paper, Presentation and Oral Defense; there is no exam in this course.

AP Capstone Program

Grade 10 Seminar (ENG2DY2 Full Year)

- Interested students must select ENG2DY2 and HRE2O12 in myBlueprint
- The program will run for the full year where students will attend ENG2DY2 on day 1 and HRE2O12 on day 2
- Unfortunately AP/FI students can not participate in this program because of the HRE2O1Q requirement

Log In

Sign Up



Welcome Back

Username/Email

clarissa.micallef@ycdsb.ca

Password

[Forgot Password?](#)

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Log In

Online Course Selection

myBlueprint

Online Course Selection

- ▶ Go to myBlueprint and log in.

Enter your username and password:

Your username is: Your school gmail (@ycdsbk12.ca)

Your password is: Your school account log in

- ▶ Click on "High School" on the left hand side of your screen.

Grade 9 Current Year	Grade 10 Next Year	Grade 11 Plan Ahead	Grade 12 Plan Ahead
English ENG1P1 • 1 Credit	+ English	+ English	+ English
Religious Education HRE1O1 • 1 Credit	+ Religion	+ Religion	+ Religion
Foundations of Mathe... MFM1P1 • 1 Credit	+ Mathematics	+ Mathematics	+ Course
Science SNC1P1 • 1 Credit	+ Science	+ Course	+ Course
Issues in Canadian Ge... CGC1P1 • 1 Credit	+ Civics	+ Course	+ Course
French FSF1P1 • 1 Credit	+ Careers	+ Course	+ Course
Drama ADA1O1 • 1 Credit	+ History	+ Course	+ Course
Healthy Active Living ... PPL1OF • 1 Credit	+ Course	+ Course	+ Course
	+ Course		

Online Course Selection Continued...

- Here you will see the courses you are currently enrolled in and the courses you will need to input for next year.

Indicating Your Intention to Take a Summer School Acceleration Course

- ▶ Once you have finished selecting courses click on "REVIEW COURSE SELECTIONS".
- ▶ On the right hand side of the screen you will see a box titled "Add Comments".
- ▶ In the comment box please write a comment describing which acceleration course you wish to take in summer school (*NOTE*: THIS IS NOT SUMMER SCHOOL REGISTRATION).
- ▶ When you are finished click on "Submit Course Selections".

The screenshot displays the 'Review Courses' interface. At the top, a warning message states: 'Review your course selections before submitting. Once submitted, you can no longer make changes in myBlueprint.' Below this, a progress bar shows three steps: 'Step 1 Add Courses', 'Step 2 Review Courses' (the current step), and 'Step 3 Submit Courses'. A green button labeled 'Submit Course Selections' is positioned to the right of the progress bar. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column, titled '1 Review Course Selections', lists three courses with green checkmarks: 'ENG2D1 English', 'HRE2O1 Religious Education', and 'MPM2D1 Principles of Mathematics'. The right column, titled '2 Add Comments', contains a text input field with the text 'I will be taking Careers and Civics in summer school|' and a small icon in the bottom right corner.

Parental Approval Procedure

After you submit your courses click on "Send Approval Email" and enter a Parent/Guardian email address. Your parent or guardian will receive an automatic email asking them to approve or reject your Course Selection.

*Parental approval must be completed in order to process your course selection

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. This approval is not required for students over the age of 18.

Parent/Guardian Email

Send Approval Email

Graduation Indicator

24.5/30
REQUIRED CREDITS

24.5 Planned	0 Earned	24.5 Total
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View Progress

SHSM Planner

Your school offers 3 Specialist High Skills Majors

Online Course Selection Continued...

- ▶ Select all your courses. Click on the "Review Course Selections" button and look it over with your parents/guardian.
- ▶ Click on "Submit Course Selections."
- ▶ Click on "Send Approval Email" and enter a parent/guardian email address.
- ▶ Course selections can not be processed until a parent/guardian approves your course selection

Important Dates



- Course Selections must be submitted by:
February 23, 2024
- After this date students will be put on a wait list.
- Last date for course changes, if possible, is:
March 8th, 2024

Student Activity Fee

A \$50 Student Activity Fee is required with course selection. Please note that yearbook, locks etc. will be a separate fee. Please see the following link for instructions for our online payment system. Instructions were sent to all parents.

[School Day Payment Instructions](#)

PLEASE SEE YOUR GUIDANCE
COUNSELLOR IF YOU NEED ANY
ASSISTANCE WITH COURSE
SELECTIONS

ANY QUESTIONS?