



St. Mary Catholic Secondary School

Grade 11 going into Grade 12
Course Selection Workshop
2020-2021



Guidance



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myBlueprint

Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program

Course Levels and Calendars

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Course Selection is an important component of Secondary and Post-Secondary Pathways Planning.

Course calendar

St. Mary offers a wide selection of courses at many different levels. Students and parent/guardians can access our **COURSE CALENDAR** (courses offered and descriptions) online using **myBlueprint**. DCDSB's **Pathways to Success** guidebook and our



Going Into My Final Year: What Should I Be Doing?

- Choosing the right courses
- Researching post-secondary options – where do I find the resources?
- Open Houses – March Break
- Diploma/Degree Panels – May
- Planning to go out of province/country, self-directed – see your counsellor

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Pathway Programs

Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM)

Summer School Programs

Transitioning to High School/Head Start

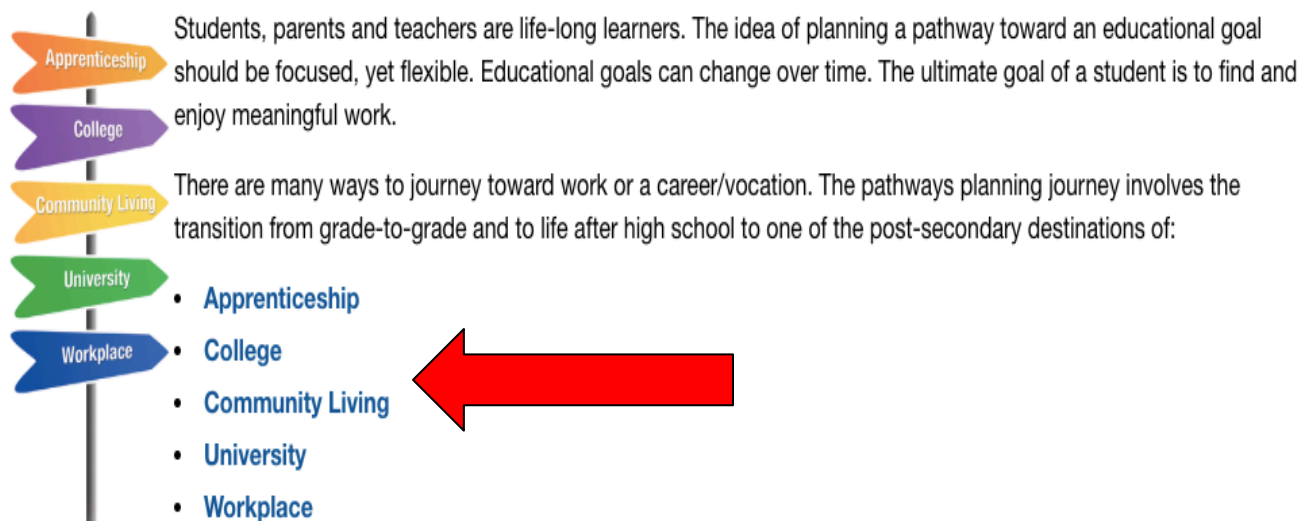
Arts

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Post-Secondary Pathways



Apprenticeship Bound Students

- Minimum requirements for admission
- Additional requirements: volunteer/work experience in a skilled trade, tech-class, etc...
- Visit www.apprenticesearch.com

Plus see other websites listed at
stmary.dcdsb.ca > Getting Ready for
Post-Secondary





College Bound Students

- What types of courses are required?
- Minimum requirements for admission
- Additional requirements: portfolio, testing, volunteer/work experience, questionnaire, etc...
- Visit www.ontariocolleges.ca – College

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ontariocolleges.ca

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APPLY NOW

Already have an account? [Log in.](#)

The application for programs starting August 2019 - July 2020 is available now!



University Bound Students

- Minimum requirements include **SIX Grade 12 U/M level credits** (one must be ENG4U1)
 - Do I need math at U or M level?
 - Minimum mark requirements
 - Ex. of specific requirements (Social Science vs Engineering program)
 - Additional Information/supplementary forms sometimes required
- Visit www.ouinfo.ca for more information on university programs and requirements





PROGRAMS

WHAT INTERESTS YOU?

UNIVERSITIES

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

FINANCE

FEES & SCHOLARSHIPS

APPLICATIONS

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW



Welcome to Ontario Universities' Info
A guide to Ontario's universities for high school students.



Find a Program

Search for your ideal program and find out the information you need to apply, like prerequisites, grade requirements and more. Plus, compare your choices.



Choose a University

Get to know Ontario's universities and where they are located. Find out information about campus visits, residence costs and more!



How to Apply

Which application is right for me? Answer a few statements to guide you to the proper undergraduate application.





Course Option Packages

- Cover Page (with all your reminders!)
- myBlueprint Course Guide
 - Step by Step Instructions
- Course Offerings List
- Post-Secondary Resources

Introduction

- Choosing courses – consider post-secondary plans/past performance (see **Post-Secondary resources** at stmary.dcdsb.ca)
- Full disclosure
- Remedial Summer School – 35% required, upgrades are full month of July
Registration begins in May for Sem 1 courses
- Accelerated Summer School – in-class & eLearning courses
- eLearning courses in Grade 12
- Private School credits



Graduation Requirements

- 30 Credits (18 Compulsory) – see your guidance counsellor or “**Course Planner**” for your personal “graduation requirements” summary
- OSSLT – usually in March (re-write, prep classes)
- 40 hours of Community Service



Course Types

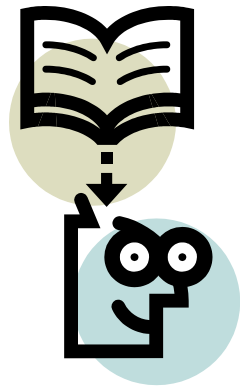
Similar to Grade 11 based on post-secondary destinations

- College (C)
- Open (O)
- Mixed U/C (M)
- University (U)
- Workplace (E)



Course Selections

- 6-8 courses + 1 alternate. Spares need to be selected on "Course Planner", max 2
- English & Religion Required in Gr. 12
- Some courses count as 2 credits (co-op 2 or 4 credits)
- Can I take MDM4U1, MHF4U1, MCV4U1?
- Religion – HRE4O1 vs HRE4M1
- IDC4U1/4U3/4U4/4UE – Can only take one
- PPL4O1/PPL4OB – Can only take one



Course Selections

French Immersion

Compulsory Courses:

- French – FEF4UF
- HRE4MF (**optional in French**, but good additional preparation for DELF)
- Students must have a min of 10 credits in French for Graduation certificate





Selecting Course for Grade 12

- Explanation of process
- Online course calendar
- Continue your Research (“Getting Ready for Post-Secondary” at stmary.dcdsb.ca)
- Don’t have internet access or printer?





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STUDENTS

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Durham Catholic District School Board is committed to supporting Student Success and the Ministry of Education's mandate for **Creating Pathways to Success**, as a results students in Grades 7 to 12 will be transitioning to myBlueprint Education Planner. This new web-based program is replacing Career Cruising.

myBlueprint allows students to:





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> What's Next: Student and Parent guide to education and career/life planning in Ontario Direct Link	View
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> OntarioColleges.ca Direct Link	View
> Cooperative Education/STEP Application Attachment	Download
> Student Course Selection Video Direct Link	View
> e-Learning course registration form (2020-2021) Attachment	Download
> Retreat Leadership Application Attachment	Download



1 Step 1
Add Courses

2 Step 2
Review Courses

3 Step 3
Submit Courses

Review Course Selections

Required _____ 24/30

Total Credits _____ 24



View Progress



SHSM Planner

Your school offers 4 Specialist High Skills Majors

Learn More

Pathway Eligibility

Last Updated
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Refresh Eligibility

Apprenticeship	_____ 1
College	_____ 0
University	_____ 0
Workplace	_____ 0

Learn More

Grade 9 Completed	Grade 10 Completed	Grade 11 Current Year	Grade 12 Next Year
English - Academic ENG1D (ENG1D1) • 1 Credit	English - Academic ENG2D (ENG2D1) • 1 Credit	English: Contemporary... NBE3C (NBE3C1) • 1 Credit	+ English
Principles Of Mathem... MPM1D (MPM1D1) • 1 Credit	Principles Of Mathem... MPM2D (MPM2D1) • 1 Credit	Functions and Applicat... MCF3M (MCF3M1) • 1 Credit	+ Religion
Science - Applied SNC1P (SNC1P1) • 1 Credit	Science - Applied SNC2P (SNC2P1) • 1 Credit	World Religions-Beliefs... HRF3O (HRF3O1) • 1 Credit	+ Course
Core French - Academic FSF1D (FSF1D1) • 1 Credit	CHC2D1 Canadian Hi... CHC2D (CHC2D1) • 1 Credit	Co-Op Place Holder 2 ... COP2O • 2 Credits	+ Course
Geography Of Canada... CGC1D (CGC1D1) • 1 Credit	Civics CHV2O (CHV2O1) • 0.5 Credit		+ Course
Religious Education HRE1O (HRE1O1) • 1 Credit	Career Studies GLC2O (GLC2O1) • 0.5 Credit	Introduction To Entrep... BDI3C (BDI3C1) • 1 Credit	+ Course
Healthy Active Living ... PPL1O (PPL1O3) • 1 Credit	Religious Education HRE2O (HRE2O1) • 1 Credit	Understanding Canadi... CLU3M (CLU3M1) • 1 Credit	+ Course
Dance ATC1O (ATC1O1) • 1 Credit	Introduction To Business BBI2O (BBI2O1) • 1 Credit	American History CHA3U (CHA3U1) • 1 Credit	+ Course
	Construction Technolo... TCJ2O (TCJ2O1) • 1 Credit		Alternates
			+ Alternate

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Filters

Grade 12

English

Search Courses...

English

English - College

Grade 12 • ENG4C (ENG4C1) • College

English - University

Grade 12 • ENG4U (ENG4U1) • University

English - University (Advanced Placement)

Grade 12 • ENG4U (ENG4UA) • University

English - Workplace

Grade 12 • ENG4E (ENG4E1) • Workplace

Ontario Secondary School Literacy Course

Grade 12 • OLC4O (OLC4O1) • Open

Ontario Secondary School Literacy Course - eLearning

Grade 12 • OLC4O (OLC4OE) • Open

Studies In Literature - Pan African/Caribbean Literature Focus

Grade 12 • ETS4U (ETS4U1) • University

The Writers Craft - College

Grade 12 • EWC4C (EWC4C1) • College

The Writers Craft - eLearning

Grade 12 • EWC4U (EWC4UE) • University

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Discipline

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Business Studies

Canadian and World Studies

Career Studies/Civics

Classical and International Languages

English

French as a second language

French Immersion

Guidance and Career Education

Health and Physical Education

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Navigating Your Future - Pathways for Student Success

Consider Specialty Programs:

- Co-op
 - experiential learning
 - 2 or 4 credits (COP2/4O)
 - application is required** at Course Option Collection
 - mature student ready to represent St. Mary at a place of employment



Navigating Your Future - Pathways for Student Success

- Dual Credit Programs
 - earn a high school credit and college credit at the same time
 - students should consistently earn strong marks (level 3+) in C level courses
- Alternative Programs (Reconnect, Centre for Success, etc)

Navigating Your Future – Pathways for Student Success

- SHSM – 4 SHSM programs at St. Mary
 - learn more/express interest on Career Cruising or submit application to teacher lead
 - great opportunity to enrich high school experience
 - gain knowledge and skills in a particular pathway sector



eLearning Courses 2020-2021

- Can take the place of one course on your timetable
- Appropriate for highly motivated/independent learners
- Check under “course discipline” on planner, coded with an E (ie., MDM4UE)



NEW COURSES FOR 2020-2021

- ETS4U1 – Studies in Pan-African Literature
- IDC4U4 – Peer Tutoring
- PAF4O1 – High Performance Training
(application required)
- ICS4U1 – Computer Science
- View course listings for many other options!

- Proposed Dual Credit Courses
 - THJ3MD – Green Industries



Course Options are due on: **Thursday, Feb 27th**

You will be called down by GRADE, by ALPHA.
Remember to bring the following with you:

- Student Activity Fee of \$75
 - Proof of payment/Cash On-Line receipt
- Course Request Sign Off Sheet (signed by parent/guardian)
- Additional Applications (including CO-OP, eLearning, High Performance, etc)

Reminders:

- Not Returning? - Must indicate on-line and print – see us in Guidance
- Q & A – Week of Feb 10th during all lunches – drop by and visit us!
- **All Course Selection items were distributed in Homeroom**

