

# Course Planning for Grade 9

*Guidance Tools for Parents*

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# 30 Credits

19 Compulsory + 11 Elective

- 4 credits in English (1 credit per grade)
- 3 credits in Mathematics (1 in Grade 11 or 12)
- 2 credits in Science
- 1 credit in Canadian History
- 1 credit in Canadian Geography
- 1 credit in The Arts
- 1 credit in Health and Physical Education
- 1 credit in French as a second language
- 1 credit in Grade 9 or 10 Tech
- 0.5 credit in Career Studies
- 0.5 credit in Civics

1 Group 1 credit ~

English, or French as a second language, or a Native/classical/international language, or social sciences and the humanities, or Canadian and world studies, or guidance and career education, or coop

1 Group 2 credit ~

Health and physical education, or the arts, or business studies, or French as a second language, or cooperative education

1 Group 3 credit ~

Science (Grade 11 or 12), or technological education, or French as a second language, or computer studies, or cooperative education

11 Elective Credits

Gr 11  
Religion

# Grad Requirements

## community service

40 hours

must be completed between Grade 8 graduation and April 1st of Grade 12

## literacy requirement

OSSLT or OLC

the Ontario Literacy Test with a minimum score of 300 or the Literacy course

## elearning

2 credits

Opt-out option is available

When to take  
your compulsory courses

## English Stream

Grade 9

Religion

English

Math

Science

Geography

French

1 Grade 9 or 10 Tech

Grade 10

Religion

English

Math

Science

History

Civics/Careers

Grade 11

Religion

English

Math

1 Science, Tech, French, or co-op - Group 3

Grade 12

Religion

English

1 Phys Ed

1 Art

1 Business or Additional Phys Ed, Art, French, or co-op - Group 2\*

Recommended  
to take in  
Gr 9 or Gr 10

When to take  
your compulsory courses

# French Immersion

Grade 9

Grade 10

Grade 11

Grade 12

Religion

Religion

Religion

Religion

English

English

English

English

Math

Math

Math

Science

Science

1 Science, Tech, French, or co-op - Group 3

Geography

History

French

French

French

French

Civics/Careers

1 Phys Ed

1 Grade 9 or 10 Tech

1 Art

1 Business or Additional Phys Ed, Art, French, or co-op - Group 2\*

● Courses  
in French

●● Recommended  
to take in  
Gr 9 or Gr 10

# Grade 9 Course Selection

## English Stream

**HRE1O1**  
open

Religion

**ENG1L1** locally developed **OR** **ENL1W1** de-streamed

English

**MAT1L1** locally developed **OR** **MTH1W1** de-streamed

Math

**SNC1L1** locally developed **OR** **SNC1W1** de-streamed

Science

**CGC1W1**  
de-streamed

Geography

**FSF1D1**  
de-streamed

French

Elective

Elective

## French Immersion

**HRE1OF**  
open

**ENL1W1** de-streamed **OR** **ENG1L1** locally developed

**MTH1W1** de-streamed **OR** **MAT1L1** locally developed

**SNC1W1** de-streamed **OR** **SNC1L1** locally developed

**CGC1WF**  
de-streamed

**FIF1DF**  
de-streamed

1 grade 9 or 10 TECH credit is required

TAS1OC - Communications & Computer Tech  
TAS1OS – Construction & AutoShop

1 ART credit is required and recommended in grade 9 or 10

ADA1O1 - Drama  
AMI1O1 - Instrumental Music  
AMV1O1 - Vocal Music  
ATC2O1 - Dance  
AVI1O1 - Visual Arts

1 PHYS ED credit is required and recommended in grade 9 or 10

PPL1O3 - Phys Ed - Female  
PPL1O4 - Phys Ed – Male  
PAI1O3 –Fitness & Pilates - Female  
PPL1OF - Phys Ed – FI Female  
PPL1OG –Phys Ed –FI Male

Other

GLE1O1 – Learning Strategies

# Grade 9 Course Selection

# Grade 10 Course Selection

## English Stream

## French Immersion

## English Stream

## French Immersion

**HRE1O1**  
open

Religion

**HRE1OF**  
open

**HRE2O1**  
open

Religion

**HRE2OF**  
open

**ENG1L1** OR **ENL1W1**  
locally developed de-streamed

English

**ENL1W1** OR **ENG1L1**  
de-streamed locally developed

**ENG2L1** OR **ENG2P1** OR **ENG2D1**  
locally developed applied academic

English

**ENG2D1** OR **ENG2P1** OR **ENG2L1**  
academic applied locally developed

**MAT1L1** OR **MTH1W1**  
locally developed de-streamed

Math

**MTH1W1** OR **MAT1L1**  
de-streamed locally developed

**MAT2L1** OR **MFM2P1** OR **MPM2D1**  
locally developed applied academic

Math

**MPM2D1** OR **MPM2P1** OR **MAT2L1**  
academic applied locally developed

**SNC1L1** OR **SNC1W1**  
locally developed de-streamed

Science

**SNC1W1** OR **SNC1L1**  
de-streamed locally developed

**SNC2L1** OR **SNC2P1** OR **SNC2D1**  
locally developed applied academic

Science

**SNC2D1** OR **SNC2P1** OR **SNC2L1**  
academic applied locally developed

**CGC1W1**  
de-streamed

Geography

**CGC1WF**  
de-streamed

**CHC2P1** OR **CHC2D1**  
applied academic

History

**CHC2DF**  
academic

**FSF1D1**  
de-streamed

French

**FIF1DF**  
de-streamed

**CHV2O1 & GLC2O1**  
open

Civics & Careers

**CHV2O1 & GLC2O1**  
open

Elective

Elective

**FIF2DF**  
de-streamed

Elective

Elective

### ART

**ADA1O1** Drama  
**AMI1O1** Instrumental Music  
**AMV1O1** Vocal Music  
**ATC2O1** Dance  
**AVI1O1** Visual Arts

### TECH

**TAS1OC** Communications & Computer Tech  
**TAS1OS** Construction & AutoShop

### PHYS ED

**PPL1O3** Phys Ed (female)  
**PPL1O4** Phys Ed (male)  
**PAI1O3** Fitness (female)  
**PPL1OF** Phys Ed (female) French Immersion  
**PPL1OG** Phys Ed (male) French Immersion

### OTHER

**GLE1O1** Learning Strategies

### ART

**ADA2O1** Drama  
**AMI2O1** Instrumental Music  
**ATC2O1** Dance  
**AMV2O1** Vocal Music  
**AWD2O1** Digital Photo  
**AVI2O1** Visual Arts  
**AWA2O1** Arts & Crafts

### PHYS ED

**PAF2O3** Weight Training – female  
**PAF2O4** Weight Training – male  
**PAF2OW** Wrestling (co-ed)  
**PPL2O3** Phys Ed - female  
**PPL2O4** Phys Ed - male

### TECH

**TCJ2O1** Construction Tech  
**TTJ2O1** Automotive Tech  
**TGJ2O1** Communications Tech

### OTHER

**BEP2O1** Launching & Leading a Business  
**FSF2D1** Core French  
**GLE2O1** Learning Strategies  
**HFN2O1** Food & Nutrition  
**LWGBD1** German  
**LWSBD1** Spanish

*AP courses are available in Math (MPM2D2A & English ENG2DA)*

# Course Selection Planning Tool

available on our website and the Edsby transition page



**Course Selection Planning Tool**  
GRADES 9 & 10 ♦ ENGLISH STREAM

| GRADE 9   | GRADE 10  |
|---|---|
| Religion<br><input type="checkbox"/> HRE101                                   | Religion<br><input type="checkbox"/> HRE201   |
| English<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG1L1<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENL1W1 | English<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG2L1<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG2D1<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG2P1<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG2DA |
| Math<br><input type="checkbox"/> MAT1L1<br><input type="checkbox"/> MTH1W1    | Math<br><input type="checkbox"/> MAT2L1<br><input type="checkbox"/> MEM2P1  |

**Tech**

1 credit is required in grade 9 or 10

Grade 9 Options:

- TAS10C Comm Tech & Computers
- TAS10S Construction & AutoShop

Grade 10 Options:

- TCJ201 Construction Tech
- TTJ201 Automotive Tech
- TGJ201 Communications Tech

**Course Selection Planning Tool**  
GRADES 9 & 10 ♦ FRENCH IMMERSION

| GRADE 9   | GRADE 10  |
|---|---|
| Religion<br><input type="checkbox"/> HRE10F                                   | Religion<br><input type="checkbox"/> HRE20F<br><input type="checkbox"/> HRE20G  |
| English<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG1L1<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENL1W1 | English<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG2L1<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG2D1<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG2P1<br><input type="checkbox"/> ENG2DA |
| Math<br><input type="checkbox"/> MAT1L1                                       | Math<br><input type="checkbox"/> MAT2L1   |

**Tech**

1 credit is required in grade 9 or 10

Grade 9 Options:

- TAS10C Comm Tech & Computers
- TAS10S Construction & AutoShop

Grade 10 Options:

- TCJ201 Construction Tech
- TTJ201 Automotive Tech
- TGJ201 Communications Tech

1 credit is required & recommended in grade 9 or 10

Grade 9 Options:

- ADA101 Drama
- AMI101 Instrumental Music
- AMV101 Vocal Music
- AVI101 Visual Arts

# Reach Ahead

available on our website and the Edsby transition page



## Summer School REACH AHEAD Information

Durham Catholic District School Board Students  
850 King St. W, Unit 26 Tel. (905) 438-0570 Fax. (905) 438-0571

**Deadline for Application is Friday, June 14, 2024**

**Students may take only ONE Reach Ahead course per summer, regardless of delivery method.**

### e-Learning (online) Courses

**NOTE: Student MUST be in Ontario for duration of course as VPN is not supported for those out of the province.**

*Successful completion via e-Learning fulfills one of the two online learning credits required for the Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD). Additionally, a course code beginning with "T" fulfills the new Grade 9/10 Technological Education requirement for the OSSD.*

| Session 1: July 3 to July 26, 2024                      |        | Session 2: July 30 to August 22, 2024 |       |
|---|--------|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Introduction to Business                                | BB10   | Communications Technology             | TGJ10 |
| Exploring Family Studies                                | HIF10  | Green Industries                      | THJ10 |
| UP (Ultimate Potential) Math                            | GLS10  | Health Care                           | TPJ10 |
| Expressions of First Nations, Metis, and Inuit Cultures | NAC10  | Hospitality and Tourism               | TFJ10 |
| Geography (English)                                     | CGC1D  |                                       |       |
| Geography (French Immersion)                            | CGC1DF |                                       |       |
| Communications Technology                               | TGJ10  |                                       |       |
| Green Industries  | THJ10  |                                       |       |
| Health Care   | TPJ10  |                                       |       |
| Hospitality and Tourism                                 | TFJ10  |                                       |       |

### In-Person Courses (8:30 a.m. – 2:37 p.m.)

**NOTE: Student is expected to attend all 18 days in person.**

*Successful completion of the TIJ10 Exploring the Trades course fulfills the new Grade 9/10 Technological Education requirement for the Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD).*

| Session 1: July 3 – July 26, 2024 | Father Leo J. Austin CSS | Session 2: July 29 – August 22, 2024 | Arch Denis O'Connor CHS |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Visual Arts (English)             | AVI10                    | Visual Arts (English)                | AVI10                   |
| Visual Arts (French Immersion)    | AVI1OF                   | Visual Arts (French Immersion)       | AVI1OF                  |
| Exploring the Trades              | TIJ10                    | Exploring the Trades                 | TIJ10                   |

