

W.L. Seaton Secondary

COURSE SELECTION

Grade 11 → Grade 12

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Dogwood Graduation Program

- Complete a minimum of 80 credits over the next school year to graduate.
- 52 required course credits
- At least 28 elective course credits
- A minimum of 16 credits (4 courses) at the Grade 12 level
- Must have one applied skills/fine arts course



Grade 10

| Required Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|
| 1. Language Arts 10 (2 courses) | 2 + 2 |
| 1 a) Literacy 10 Assessment | n/a |
| 2. *FSCH10 or SS10 | 4 |
| 3. Math 10 (choose one – <u>En</u> or *Fr) | 4 |
| 3 a) Numeracy 10 Assessment | n/a |
| 4. *FSCF10 or SC10 | 4 |
| 5. PE 10 | 4 |
| 6. Career Life or *CLEF | 4 |
| 7. Fine Arts and/or Applied Skills 10, 11 or 12 | 4 |
| 8. Elective (*FRAL10 required for FI) | 4 |
| Immersion students need to have a min. of 4 FI (*) courses at the grade 11 level. | |
| Total Credits for Grade 10 | |

Grade 11

| Required Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|
| 1. Language Arts 11 | 4 |
| 2. SS 11/12 or *FI equivalent (Choose one) | 4 |
| 3. Math 11 (choose one) | 4 |
| 4. Science 11 or 12 (choose one) | 4 |
| 5. Elective | 4 |
| 6. Elective | 4 |
| 7. Elective (*1 Fr Lang course for FI) | 4 |
| 8. Elective (*) | 4 |
| Immersion students need to have a min. of 2 FI (*) courses at the grade 11 level. | |
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| Total Credits for Grade 11 | |

Grade 12

| Required Courses | Credits |
|---|---------|
| 1. Language Arts 12 | 4 |
| 1 a) Career Life Connections (<u>En</u> or *Fr) | 4 |
| 1 b) Literacy 12 Assessment (implementation in 2020-21 school year) | n/a |
| 2. Any Grade 12 course | 4 |
| 3. Any Grade 12 course | 4 |
| 4. Any Grade 12 course | 4 |
| 5. Elective | 4 |
| 6. Elective | 4 |
| 7. Elective (*FRAL 12 for FI) | 4 |
| 8. Elective (*) | 4 |
| Immersion students need to have a min. of 2 FI (*) courses at the grade 12 level. CLC is available outside the timetable as a 9 th course | |
| Total Credits for Grade 12 | |

Graduation credits!

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| LA0-Language Arts 10 | 4 | SC1-a Science 11 or 12 | 4 | LA1-a Language Arts 11 | 4 |
| LA2-a Language Arts 12 | 4 | PH0-Physical and Health Education 10 | 4 | SS0-Social Studies 10 | 4 |
| AST-Arts Educ/Applied Design, Skills and Technologies | 4 | SS1-CIV 11 or SS 11, or FNS 12 | 4 | SC0-Science 10 | 4 |
| MA0-a Mathematics 10 | 4 | MA1-a Mathematics 11 or 12 | 4 | NDC-Elective | 28 |
| NMA10-Numeracy 10 Graduation Assessment | | CLC-Career Life Connections | 4 | CLE-Career Life Education | 4 |
| LTA10-Literacy 10 Graduation Assessment | | | | | |

What do you need in Grade 12?

- **All students must take 8 courses**
 - *2-3 alternative choices*
 - *French Immersion students must have two courses in French (FRAL & FCLC)*
- ***Choose carefully, the timetable is created based on your selections***
- **Pick thoughtful alternates in case you don't get your first choice**
- **Courses need enough students selecting them to be offered**
- **Plan with the future in mind**
 - *Graduation Requirements?*
 - *Post-Secondary Requirements – if planning to attend university or college check into the program requirements NOW!!*

Grade 12 Course Selections

Required Courses

1. English Studies 12
2. Career Life Connections
(*French- 9th course only & English- 8th or 9th course*)
3. 3 other grade 12 level courses
4. 3 other choice courses

(French Immersion Students must complete FRAL 12 and one more French course)

Student Choice Courses

- Languages
- Electives
- Additional academics
- Athletics
- AP courses

Languages

- **Fral 12 (French Immersion)** – *required for your dual dogwood*
- **French 12**
- **Introductory Spanish 11**
- **Spanish 11** (must have done Introductory 1st)
- **Spanish 12** (must have done Spanish 11)

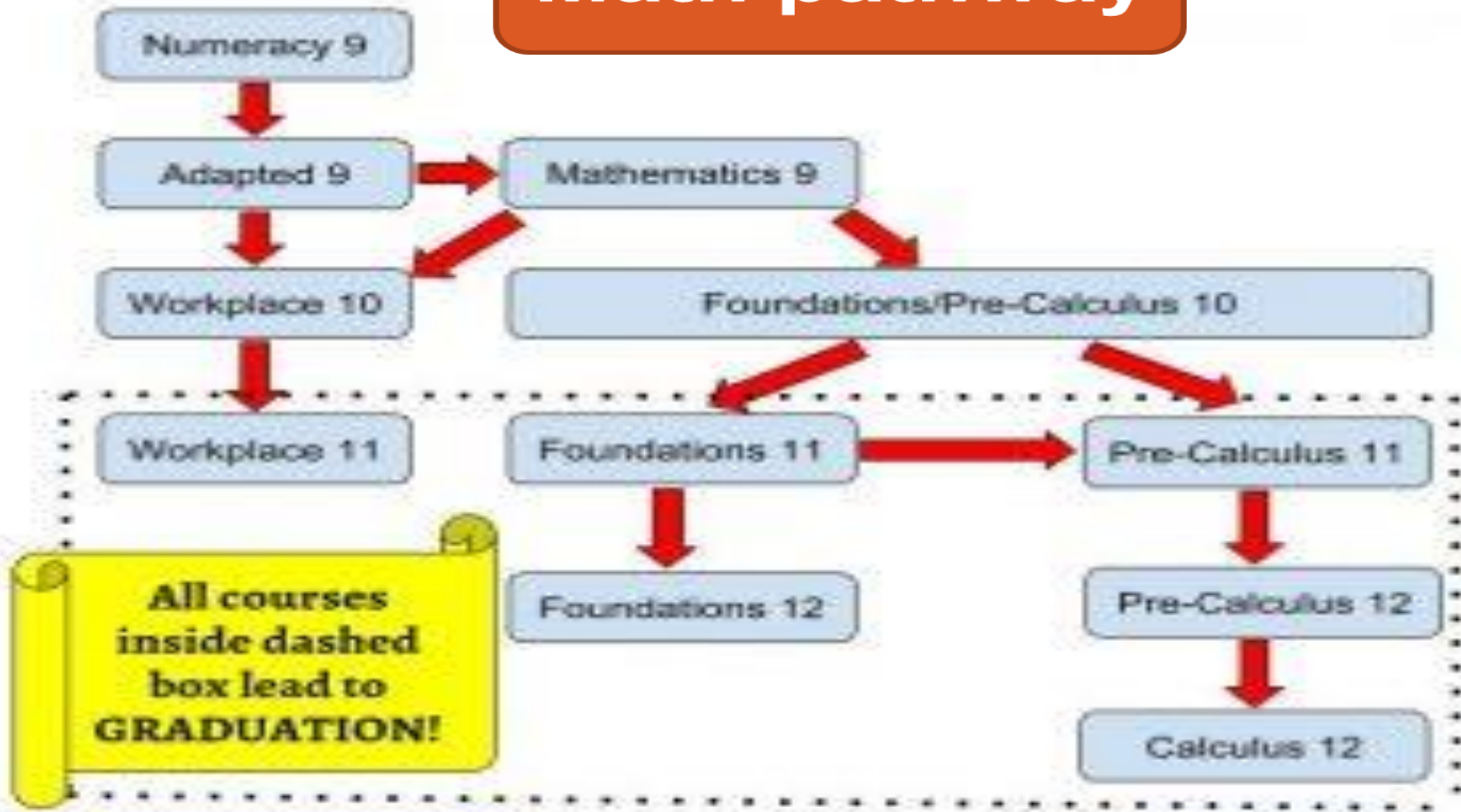
*2nd language NOT required to GRADUATE,
but maybe required for admissions to*



MATH DECISION

- Pre-Calc 12...Pre-Calculus
 - *Business, Science, Health Professions, Engineering RELATED FIELD*
- Calculus 12
 - *A helpful course to take if you are planning to enter a science or math field in university.*

Math pathway



Science 12

- **Chemistry 12**
- **Anatomy and Physiology 12** (formerly Bio 12)
- **Physics 12**
- **Any grade 11 science** (Life Science 11, Physics 11, Biochemistry 11 – 8 credits, Chemistry 11, Environmental Science 11)
- *(Must have a grade 11 or 12 Science to graduate)*

Language Arts

- **English Studies 12** (*required by all grads*)
- **First Nations Academy 12** (*8 credits- Eng & Socials*)
- **AP English language and Composition 12**
 - (*8 credits- get English Studies 12 credits in this class*)
 - *Can earn 1st year university English credits*

Social Studies

- **Courses for 2021/2022**
- **Explorations Sciences Humaines 11 (*French Immersion*)**
- **Comparative Cultures 12**
- **Human Geography 12**
- **Law Studies 12**
- **Political Studies 12**
- **20th Century World History 12**
- **First Nations Academy 12 (*8 credits- Eng English First Peoples and Socials BC First Peoples Studies*)**

- **Courses for 2022/2023**
- **Social Justice 12**
- **Contemporary Indigenous Studies 12**

Fine Arts

- **Art Studio 12**
- **Studio Art 2D 12** (*formerly Drawing and Painting*)
- **Drama 12**
- **Theatre Production 12** (*formerly stagecraft*)
- **Theatre Company 12** (*must audition now*)
- **Musical Theatre 12**
- **Choir 12**
- **Concert Band 12**
- **Jazz Band 12** (*9th course outside the timetable*)

Applied Skills

- **Entrepreneurship 12**
- **Digital Media Development 12**
- **Media Design 12** (*Formerly Yearbook- 9th course outside the timetable*)
- **Graphic Production 12**
- **Computer Programming 12**
- **Metalwork 12**
- **Woodwork 12**
- **Automotive Technology 12**
- **Skills Exploration 12** (*Trades Sampler*)
- **Food Studies 12**
- **Specialized Studies in Food 12** (*recommended after Foods 12*)
- **Textiles 12**

Athletics

- **Outdoor Education 11/12** (PEAK experience– 8 credits)
- **Active Living 12**
- **Fitness and Conditioning 12** (9th course outside the timetable)
- **Active Living 12 – Basketball**
- **Active Living 12 – Volleyball**
- **BA Yoga Skills 12 – Yoga**
- **Rec Leadership 12** (9th course outside the timetable)



PEAK

EXPERIENCE

Here is where your journey begins!

WHAT IS PEAK?

PEAK Outdoor Experience is not your typical Outdoor Education 11/12 course!

PEAK is two back to back blocks, which allows for full days during the week to go on outdoor excursions. We also go on several multi-day/night trips!

In 2022, depending on the timetable system we use at Seaton (quarter system or semester system), PEAK will run in the fourth quarter, or in the second semester.

If we run a quarter system, PEAK will be all day every day for the entire fourth quarter.

If we are in a semester system, PEAK will run half days four days a week, with one full day (Thursdays) to take on longer day trips.

Students will receive credit for Outdoor Education 11 and Outdoor Education 12.

Social Studies

- **Human Geography 12**
- **Comparative Culture 12**
- **Political Studies 12**
- **History 12**
- **Law Studies 12**
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Electives

- **Psychology 12**
- **AP Psychology 12**
- **Peer Tutoring 12** (*French and English*)
- **Self and Society 11** (*new*)
 - focuses on human development; examining self-perception, values, attitudes, beliefs and emotional responses.
 - This is a course for students wishing to explore how we develop a sense of self and how we navigate our identity.
 - Students will examine the importance of self-awareness, social awareness, self-management and relationships.

Outside the TIME TABLE

- **Yearbook 12**
 - *after school*
- **Leadership 12**
 - *Usually Mondays after school*
- **Choir 12**
- **Leadership 12**
 - *Usually Thursdays after school*
- **Jazz Band 12**
- **Rec Leadership 12**
- **Fitness and Conditioning 12** (*early morning*)
- **Career Life Connections** (*Grad Requirement- French or English*)
- **Work Experience 12 A and 12B** (*up to 8 credits for a paid or volunteer job*)

Before you make your selections

- Think carefully about your interests, your plans for the future.
- Remember you are required to take a **minimum of 8 courses next year, 9 if you take CLC outside the Timetable.**
- If you are involved in an external academy, please select 8 courses but then check in with your counsellor to make sure they are aware of the courses that you specifically want to be in next year. They will do their best to make sure that you are able to have access to those courses at Seaton.
- Spares are only approved after the first interim. A form must be completed and approved by Admin.

Meeting Entrance Requirements for University or College

- Most Universities in BC require that you take Language Arts 12 and **3 other** approved grade 12 classes.
- Universities in other provinces *MAY* want you to have **4 other** approved classes.
 - Make sure you get involved! Universities want to see that you are well-rounded
 - Join clubs, sports and get involved in your community
- Examples of approved courses:
 - Anatomy and Physiology 12, Chemistry 12, Physics 12, Pre-Calculus 12
 - History 12, Law 12, French 12, Spanish12

Other options:

- Academies (Athletics)
- Students without Borders
- Earthquest

Grade 12 Career Programs Opportunities

Work Experience Course

Work Experience 12A and/or WEX 12B

- paid job or a volunteer job that has WorkSafe BC coverage
- Paperwork to complete and then work 110 hours
- Receive WEX 12A credit
- Receive WEX 12B credit if you have two jobs or you do two very different jobs in your work.

SEE MRS. JORGENSEN IN THE CAREER CENTRE ROOM 207 IF INTERESTED FOR THIS SUMMER OR NEXT YEAR.



Forestry/Trades

Unique program held at *Charles Bloom Sec. School*

May be able to participate during the first semester.

Students gain trades experience and skills exploration in

First Semester in grade 12

Automotive
Heavy Duty Mechanics
Welding

Students also receive academic credits in:

Logging 12
Forestry 12



Dual Credit Trades Programs in Vernon- 2021-2023

Grade 11 start planning and apply asap for your grade 12 year

Start your apprenticeship while still in high school and have your tuition paid for

Plumbing and Piping

August 2021-January 2022

Welding

February 2022-July 2022

Other trades programs available in Kelowna and Salmon Arm.

See Mrs. Jorgensen in Rm 207 if interested.



Dual Credit Certificate Programs

Available during gr. 12 year but you have to apply ASAP

Have the required certification to start a good paying job right after high school.

Offered 2x a week in the evenings and every second Saturday:

Education Assistant

Nursing Unit Assistant- currently wait

Offered full time during the day:

Health Care Assistant Program (all year)

Administrative Assistant Program(all year)

Office Assistant(1st semester or Q1 and Q2)

**See Mrs. Jorgensen in
Room 207 if interested**



ACADEMIC Dual Credit

Grade 12 students have the opportunity to earn **university-transfer credits** and **secondary school graduation credits** at the same time for the following ACADEMIC college classes. *See next slide*

These courses will be available to high school students to take in the **late afternoon or evenings** in either the **fall or winter** terms and are **transferable to universities and colleges**.

The tuition is sponsored by School District #22.*
Student fees, books etc are the responsibility of the student.

*Upon **successful completion** of the course, students will receive four (4) secondary school credits on their official transcript, equivalent to three (3) Okanagan College credits.*



ACADEMIC Dual Credit

ACADEMIC DUAL CREDIT CLASSES:

Subject to change by OC

FALL TERM

INDIGENOUS STUDIES 100 — INTRODUCTION TO INDIGENOUS STUDIES

ECONOMICS 115 — PRINCIPLES OF MICRO-ECONOMICS

POLITICAL SCIENCE 101 — INTRODUCTION TO POLITICS

ASTRONOMY 111 — ASTRONOMY 1

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 128 — COMPUTER APPLICATIONS 1

WINTER TERM

ENGLISH 100 — UNIVERSITY WRITING

POLITICAL SCIENCE 111

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 116 — MARKETING

All offered in **VERNON**

Grade 11 Students !

DEADLINE to APPLY IS MAY 28

